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By the Commissioners of Property.

Whereas we have agreed with John Rudolph Buehly, Martin Kurndig, Jacob Miller, (ob)us Graeff, Hans Heer, Christian Heer, Martin Oberholts, Hans Funk, Michael Overholts & One Baoblyan, Swisssers lately arrived in the Province, for ten thousand acres of land situate on the North westerly (ob)ie of a Hill about twenty miles easterly from Conynstago & near the head of Perquin Creek for which sd land they are to pay the sume of five hundred pounds Sterling money of Great Brittain in manner fo(ob)lwing (That is to say) the sume of one hundred pounds part thereof in hand at the issuing of these p'sents. The (ob)ie of one hundred pounds more thereof (together with forty eight pounds like money being the interest of four hundred pounds for two years) at th(ob)end of two years & six months from the time of survey of sd Land (one half years interest of the whole being about) One hundred & eighteen pounds further part thereof with the interest included w(ob)in one year then next after one hundred & twelve pounds (the interest being included) further part thereof within one year then next after and the sume of one hundred & six pounds full residue thereof & of all interest for the same within the year then next following so that t(ob)sd whole four hundred pounds & interest as aforesd to be pd in six years next after time of survey. And also that the sd purchasers their Heirs & Assignes shall pay unto the Prop^{ty} & Govern^r Willi. Penn his (ob)l & Assignes the sume of one shilling Sterling money aforesd Quitrent yearly for ever, for every hundred acres of the sd ten thousand acres of land and that the sd purchasers shall have the sd land free of Quitrent for the two first years next after survey thereof. And the sd Purchas^rs requesting of us a warrant for the Location & survey of the Land aforesd. These are therefore to authorize & require thee (ob)l survey or cause to be surveyed unto the sd purchasers the full quantity of ten thousand acres of land (with reasonable allowance for roads & highways) in one entire tract at or near the place aforesd and to subdivide (the same (if they request it) into so m(ob)l smaller tracts or parts as they shall agree or appoint & to each of the his respectib)l share to be holden by the sd purchasers their Heirs & Assignes under the rents (ob)lments & agreem^ts aforesd & subject to distress fo(ob)l the sd rent in case of nonpayment And of (ob)l transactions & doings in the p'mises by vertue of these p'sents thou art to make returns into (ob)l Secretaries office with all reasonable & expedition. Given under our hands & seal of the Province the tenth day of the eighth (Month) in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred & Ten.

To Jacob Taylor,
Surv^r GertieEdw^d Shippen
Griffith Owen
Thos. Story

IN TESTIMONY that the above is a copy of the original remaining on file in the Department of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania, made conformably to an Act of Assembly approved the 16th day of February, 1833, I have hereunto set my Hand and caused the Seal of said Department to be affixed at Harrisburg, this

Twenty-seventh day of February 1912.

Henry Hoover
Secretary of Internal Affairs.