



William Penn Proprietary & Govern<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> Province of  
Pennsylvania & y<sup>e</sup> Territories thereunto belonging.

At y<sup>e</sup> Request of Joseph Clayton y<sup>t</sup> I would grant him to take up  
One hundred Acres of Land at Rent in y<sup>e</sup> County of Chester Joyning to  
Jonathan Hayes & y<sup>e</sup> New Town. These are to will & require three forthw<sup>th</sup>  
to survey or cause to be Survey'd unto him y<sup>e</sup> said Number of acres in  
y<sup>e</sup> aforementioned County & place provided it be not taken up according to  
y<sup>e</sup> Method of Townships appointed by me & make return thereof into my  
Secretary's Office. Given at Philadelphia y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Mo 168<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

For Thomas Holmes

W<sup>m</sup> Penn

Survey<sup>r</sup> General.

24<sup>th</sup> ordered C. A. to lay it out accordingly.

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 third day of March 1909

*Henry Howard*  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.