



By the Com^{rs} Impowered to grant Lots and Lands in the
province of Pennsylvania and Territorys there unto belonging

At the request of Charles Pickering in Rbd of W^m Rakestraw that
wee would grant him to take up One thousand ac^b of Land in Either
of the County^s Philadel or Bucks; the said Rakestraw being
a purchaser of two thousand f^f five hund ob^b acres

These are therefore in the Proprietarys name to will and require
thee forthwith to Survey or cause to be Surveyed unto him the said
Number of Acres in Either of the aforesaid County^s where not already
taken up according to the method of Townships appointed by the
Governo^r; he seating and improving the same within Six Months
after the Date of Survey and make returne hereof to the
Secretarys Office given at Philadelphia ye 17 of ye 2d mo = 1686
To Thomas Holme) James Claypoole
Survey^r Gen^l) Robert Turner
The Com^{rs} granted him to chuse any of the three Countie^s
11th 3 mo ordered ~~me~~ to lay it out

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 23rd day of November 1909

Henry Hancock

Secretary of Internal Affairs.