



*William Penn, Proprietary & Govern<sup>r</sup> of ye Province of Penn-  
sylvania, & ye Territories there unto belonging.*

*At ye Request of John Songhurst, y<sup>t</sup> I would grant him to take up a  
Lott in ye City of Philadelphia proportionable to his Purchase of  
five hundred Acres. These are to will & require thee forthw<sup>th</sup> to  
survey or cause to be survey'd unto him a Lott in ye second Street  
on Delaware side where not already taken up, & make returns there-  
of into my Secretary's Office. Given at Philadelphia ye 28<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> mo 1683.*

*For Thomas Holmes  
Survey<sup>r</sup> General.*

*W<sup>m</sup> Penn.*

*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 eighth day of February 1910.*

*Henry Hoover*  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.