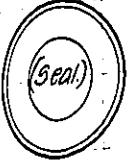


Pennsylvania ss:

By the Proprietaries



Whereas in and by an Act of General Assembly of this province in-  
titled "An Act for erecting the North West part of Bucks into a seper-  
ate County which in and by the said Act is called Northampton; and  
Thomas Craig, Hugh Wilson, John Jones, Thomas Armstrong and James  
Martin or any three of them, were appointed Trustees to purchase and  
take assurance to them and their Heirs of a piece of Land situate in  
some convenient place in the town of Easton in the said County in Trust  
and for the use of the Inhabitants of the said County and thereon  
to erect and build a Court House and prison sufficient to accomm-  
odate the publick Service of the said County and for the Ease and Con-  
venience of the Inhabitants, As in and by the said Act appears, And  
Whereas on the application and request of the said Trustees a  
certain Lot of Ground in the town of Easton in the said County  
was by our order and direction Surveyed and laid out for a pris-  
on for a publick use of the said County and the same hath been  
since erected thereon, but the patent for the said Lot not having  
been yet granted: These are at the Special Instance and request of  
the said Trustees to require you to accept into your Office the said  
Survey of the said Lot of Ground and make Return thereof into our  
Secretary's Office in order for Confirmation to the said Trustees and  
their Heirs for the use aforesaid and agreeable to the said Act of Assembly  
and, for your so doing this shall be your sufficient Warrant Given  
under my Hand and the Seal of the Land Office by vertue of certain  
powers from the said Proprietaries, at Philadelphia this Ninth day of  
July in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Sixty  
two.

James Hamilton.

To John Lukens Surveyor General.

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 twelfth day of April, 1910.

Henry Hoeck  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.