

Carlisle May 26th. 1772.

Mr. Lukens.

Sir. I have purchased a tract of land for Mr Hoop's heirs on the east side of the Letort Spring Joingⁱⁿ lands belonging to the Town of Carlisle within half a mile of said Town, likewise Purchased out lotts of Mrs. John Polk joining said land cont^g about thirty six acres, and there is still vacant about forty acres.

(~~the reason~~ (the reason its so broken) laying at the head of these Lotts, joing an out lott of John Kerrs Jonathan Kersby and the York Road as φ the enclosed application, I have applied to Mr Tilghman to purchase the whole as it wou'd make my place a better figure this you can see by examining the draft he tells me he makes no doubt but I shall get it but upon what terms he couldn't tell, but said the Valuation will be left to Col^e John Armstrong he being there agent at that place. As your upon the spot I'll be forever obliged to you for your assistance in obtaining it upon purchase for three shillings Sterling φ acre is a very heavy ground rent. I mean to clear and fence it which I suppose will not be doing much injury to the Proprietaries as I mean nothing else then to keep the land. There is the lott I applied for when in the City the latter end of last August when in Comp^y with Mr Callinder as φ a copy of the Location here enclosed, this I would want upon the same terms to purchase if not take it any way that the others have the out lotts, being the terms I just spoke of to the Secretarys I shall send you the return of the survey soon I shall thank you for an answer as soon as possible when I shall be your most obed^t Humble Surv^t

John Lukens Esqr. Sur. General.

Char^s McClure.

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-fourth day of February 1910.

Henry Howell
Secretary of Internal Affairs.

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John Lukens Esqr.
Surv^t General.

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