

Pensilv^a 55.

By the Commissioners of Property.

At the request of Thomas Shute that we would grant him to take up and improve the north part of a square of Ground which lies between the sixth & seventh Streets from Delaware and between Mulberry & Sassafrass Streets of the City Philad^a and that he may hold y^e same from y^e Term of one and Twenty years next ensuing after y^e date hereof for w^{ch} he agrees to pay to y^e use of the Prop^y or Trustees of y^e Province Twenty shillings Sterling Money of Great Britain yearly during y^e said Term and at y^e expiration thereof to deliver up & surrender the same under a good fence and well improved.

These are to authorize and require thee to survey or cause to be survey'd unto y^e said Thomas Shute in the place aforesaid the said north part of a square of Ground To be by him held under y^e said yearly Rent of Twenty shillings which in case y^e said Thomas Shute yearly fulfill and pay then this survey shall be for y^e said Term valid otherwise y^e same is to be void as if it had never been made nor this warrant ever granted. Given under our Hands and the Seal of the Province at Philadelphia the first day of y^e first Month Anno. Din. 1719¹/₂₀.

To Jacob Taylor - Surv^r Gen^lRich^d Hill

Isaac Norris

James Logan.

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-sixth day of January 1912.

Henry Houch
Secretary of Internal Affairs.