

The Supreme Executive Council of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, GREETING:

KNOW YE,

That in consideration of the services rendered by *Robert Adams private* in the late army of the *United States*

there is granted by the said commonwealth unto *the said Robert Adams* a certain tract or parcel of land, lying in the county of *Westmoreland*

In the tenth district of donation Lands beginning at a Sugar Tree the numbered Corner and running East by Lot No. 2014 two hundred and sixty one perches to a Sugar Tree thence South by Lot No. 2015 one hundred and thirty perches to a Sugar Tree thence West by Lot No. 2012 two hundred and sixty one perches to an Elm Tree, thence North by Lot No. 2016 one hundred and thirty perches to the place of beginning Containing Two Hundred Acres & allowance of half Cent for Roads &c. Numbered MXXIII.

with its appurtenances, unto the said *Robert Adams* his heirs and assigns forever:

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract or parcel of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Robert Adams* his heirs and assigns, to the proper use and behoof of the said

Robert Adams his heirs and assigns forever, free and clear of all restrictions and reservations as to mines, royalties, quit-rents, or otherwise, excepting and reserving only the fifth part of all gold and silver ore for the use of this commonwealth, to be delivered at the pit's mouth clear of all charges.

IN WITNESS whereof *The Honorable Charles Biddle* Esquire Vice President of the Supreme Executive Council, hath hereunto set his hand, and caused the State seal to be affixed, the *eighteenth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty *seven* and of the commonwealth the *Twelfth*

ATTEST

James B. Smith
for John B. Smith



W. J. Biddle