



Pensilvania ss.

By the Commissioners of Property.

At the request of William Hews of the County of Chester that we would grant him to take up near Conestago Creek in the said County the quantity of four hundred acres of land for which he agrees to pay to the Prop<sup>rs</sup> use forty pounds money of Pensilvania for the whole and the yearly quitrent of one shilling Sterling for each hundred acres These are to authorize and require thee to survey or cause to be survey'd unto the said William Hews in the place aforesaid according to the Method of townships appointed the said quantity of four hundred acres of land that has not been already survey'd nor appropriated nor is seated by the Indians and make returns thereof into the Secretary's office which survey in case the said William fulfill the above agreement within three months after the date hereof shall be valid otherwise the same is to be void as if it had never been made nor this warrant ever granted. Given under our hands and seal of the Province at Philadelphia the 25 day of the 12<sup>th</sup> month Anno Dom<sup>i</sup> 1717/8. Richard Hill  
To Jacob Taylor Survey<sup>r</sup> General.

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-first day of June 1909.

*Henry Hock*  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.