

the same now out of hand; The Co<sup>rt</sup> suspended Execution untill next Court,

Upon ye Peticon of Peter Rambo & Pelle Dalbo desiering a grant and Liberty to take up on ye East syde of ye Schuylkill Each 200 acres of Land—

The Co<sup>rt</sup> granted the same the said Peticon<sup>rs</sup> seating & Improoveing the s<sup>d</sup> Land according to his hono<sup>r</sup> ye governo<sup>rs</sup> orders & Regulations;

Upon the Peticon of Andries Benkson desiering Liberty & a grant to take up 200 acres of Land in the Schuylkill,

The Court Granted ye same, the Peticon<sup>r</sup> seating & Improoveing the said Land, according to his Hono<sup>r</sup> the Gouverno<sup>rs</sup> orders & Regulacons;

Upon ye Peticon of Lace andries in the behalfe of John Wheeler & andrees Wheeler desiering a grant to take up for them boath 300 acres of Land in ye Schuylkill;

The Co<sup>rt</sup> granted to ye s<sup>d</sup> John and andries Liberty to take up 300 acres of Land they seating and Improoveing ye s<sup>d</sup> Land according to his Hono<sup>r</sup> ye Governo<sup>rs</sup> orders & Regulacons;

Upon ye Request of John Test & michill Jzard desiering Liberty & a grant to take up Each 400 acres of Land;

The Co<sup>rt</sup> granted the same They the Peticon<sup>rs</sup> seating & Improoveing s<sup>d</sup> Land according to the Regulacons & orders of his Hono<sup>r</sup> ye Governo<sup>r</sup>;

Upon ye Request of andries Jonsen Inckhooren desiering a grant to take up 200 acres of Land in the Schuylkill Just before Bever Island;

The Co<sup>rt</sup> granted the same hee seating & Improoveing the said Land according to his Hono<sup>r</sup> the Governo<sup>r</sup>s orders & Regulacon;

Upon the Peticon of Lace Dalbo and Oele Dalbo desiering Liberty & a grant to take up Each 100 acres of Land on the East syde of ye Schuyllkill,

The Co<sup>rt</sup> granted ye same they the Peticon<sup>rs</sup> seating & Improoveing s<sup>d</sup> Land according to his hono<sup>r</sup> ye Governo<sup>r</sup>s orders & Regulacons;

Itt being Represented to ye Court that by Reason of ye Peoples dayly takeing up of Land neare the mill<sup>1</sup> of Car-koen Creeke, The s<sup>d</sup> mill would bee Left destitute of any Land to gett Timber for ye use of ye s<sup>d</sup> mill, The Co<sup>rt</sup> therefore ordered that on the west syde of ye s<sup>d</sup> mill branch should bee Laid out 100 acres of Land for ye said mills use;

Upon the Request of James Sanderling and Henry Hastings desiering to take upp Each 200 acres of Land

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<sup>1</sup> This was the Swedish mill at Amesland Creek, or as it is here called, "Carkoens" Creek, *Carkoens* having been a corruption of "*Kakarikonk*," the name conferred upon the region by the Indians. It was erected by Governor Printz in 1643, and was the first water-mill built within the territory now embraced within the limits of New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Delaware. Printz, in his Report to the West India Company, Feb. 20, 1647, says . . . "this place I have called Mondal, building there a water mill, working it the whole year along, to great advantage for the country, particularly as the windmill formerly here before I came, would never work and was good for nothing" (Swedish MSS. Archives, Hist. Soc. Penn.). The site is well known, and is upon the road to Darby, the oldest highway in Pennsylvania, and the holes sunk into the rock in which the posts which supported the frame-work of the mill were placed, are still to be seen near the Blue Bell tavern.

The Co<sup>rt</sup> granted ye same They the Peticon<sup>rs</sup> seating and Improoveing the said Land according to the Regulacons & orders of his Hono<sup>r</sup>. ye governo<sup>r</sup>. the governo<sup>r</sup>.

Anthony Nealson Long brought in Co<sup>rt</sup> a certayne man servant named William Goaf whoeme hee has bought of moens Petersen for the full Terme of three Jears servitude The s<sup>d</sup>. William Goaf being p<sup>s</sup>ent In Co<sup>rt</sup> did owne the same and did faithfully promis to serve his said master honestly and truely ye aboves<sup>d</sup>. Terme of 3 Jears ;

Hans Juriansen Kien of Taokanink This day apered in Co<sup>rt</sup> and then & there did aknowledge a deed of conveigance bearing date the 9<sup>th</sup> day of this Instant month of march for the makeing ouer unto his Brother Jonas Juriansen Kien, as followeth viz: one Equall sheare and Lott of Land In quantity Equall w<sup>th</sup> ye shears & Lotts of ye: other Inhabitants of upland Towne or neighbourhood, w<sup>th</sup> all and singular the appurtenances Lying & Being in Upland aforesaid, The whole devident or tract of Land being heretofore surveiged & Laid out for ye six Inhabitants of upland Towne in generall Contaynes twelve hundred acres whereof the part & sheare of line the said Hans Kien being one of ye said six Inhabitants is Twoo hundred acres as well Cleared Land as wood Land; w<sup>ch</sup> said 200 acres was thereby sould and made ouer as above, together w<sup>th</sup> the housing and other appurtenances standing upon the said Hans Kien his Lott of Land Lying and being att upland Towne aforesaid near the Creeke, betweene the houses & Lotts of James Sanderling and Jurian Kien ; The said hans Kien did aknowledge alsoe to haue Received sat-

tisfaction for the p<sup>r</sup>misses from him the said Jonas; as by the said deed signed sealed & delivered by the s<sup>d</sup> hans Kien in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Johannes De haes & John addams & bearing date as above more att Large did apeare;

Jonas Juriansen Kien apeating in Court did then & there aknowledge & owne a deed of Conveigance & Transport for the makeing ouer for ever unto John Test Late of London merch<sup>t</sup> his heirs & assignes, al that the Land housing & appurtenances abovementioned By his Brother hans Kien the 9<sup>th</sup> day of this Instant month of march Transported & made ouer unto him the s<sup>d</sup> Jonas Juriansen and aknowledged by him the said hans kien this p<sup>r</sup>sent Court; Itt being for and In Consideracon of Certayne sume of money by the s<sup>d</sup> John Test to him the s<sup>d</sup> Jonas kien In hand paid; alsoe the s<sup>d</sup> Jonas by his s<sup>d</sup> deed of Conveigance did Transport & make ouer unto the s<sup>d</sup> John Test a certayne new Blocqhouse by him the s<sup>d</sup> Jonas built on the abovementioned Lott neare ye water syde of ye Creeke aforesaid; w<sup>th</sup> all and singular the appurtenances; w<sup>ch</sup> aboves<sup>d</sup> deed & Conveigance bears date the 11<sup>th</sup> day of this Instant month of march and was signēd sealed & delivered by the s<sup>d</sup> Jonas kien in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Joh: De haes and John addams;

John Test Late of London but now of Delowar merchant apeating in Co<sup>r</sup>t did then & there aknowledge & owne a certayne deed of Conveigance for ye makeing ouer for Ever unto Marmaduke Randell of London merchant his heirs and assignes all that the Land housing and appurtenances abovemenconed by Jonas Kien the 11<sup>th</sup> of this Instant

month of march Transported and made ouer unto him the said John Test—Itt being for and In consideracon of Certayne sume of money to him the said John Test in hand secured as by the said deed bearing date ye 12<sup>th</sup> day of this Instant month of march signed, sealed & delivered by the s<sup>d</sup> John Test to ye use of him ye abovementioned Marmaduke Rendall, In the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Johannes de haes & John Addams more att Large doth & may apeare ;

Neeles Mattsen apearig in Co<sup>r</sup>t did assigne Transport and make ouer unto James Sanderlins of upland his heirs & assignes, a Certayne Pattent granted by governo<sup>r</sup> Richard Nicolls unto him the s<sup>d</sup> Sanderlin y<sup>e</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> day of august 1668, w<sup>ch</sup> said Pattent was formerly by the s<sup>d</sup> Sanderlin made ouer unto him the said neeles matsen. The contents of ye afores<sup>d</sup> Pattent being as followeth viz : Whereas there are two Lotts of Land in upland att delowar upon ye north syde of the Creeke or kill next and adjoyning to Izrael Helms & Joost Daniels Land and bounded w<sup>th</sup> villus Lace Containing in breth six & therty yards, w<sup>ch</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Lotts haueing been Laid out by ye officers att delowar Ly unmanured and undisposed of, To ye End some good Improovem<sup>t</sup> may bee made Know yee that by vertue etc ;

New Castle march ye 9<sup>th</sup> 167<sup>3</sup>

GENTLEMEN

William orian Smith who Resides in the p<sup>r</sup>cincts of yo<sup>r</sup> Co<sup>r</sup>t was here arrested and Condemned to pay unto m<sup>r</sup> henry Ward y<sup>e</sup> sume of 130 gilders Including Court Chargis, hee upon humble Request obtayned the fauour of us that wee ordered Execution to be suspended untill 8, 8<sup>m</sup> Laest past,