

Preamble's resolution as to release of restriction
on Bucks County lands passed Feb 27. 1861

Whereas the deed from James Logans to Jonathan Ingraham dated the 1st day, May 1747 recorded in Bucks County, in Deed Book No 14 page 408 contains the following clause. "And the said Jonathan Ingraham his heirs or assigns shall within the first twelve one years of the said term clear no more than three fifth parts of said tract of land and never thereafter clear no more than three fourth parts of the said tract of land hereby granted and the other one fourth part thereof shall be left for a supply of fencing and firing after the other timber shall be insufficient and shall not destroy or waste any timber except what shall be necessary for clearing aforesaid or shall the land so cleared as aforesaid after the first two years from the time of the first clearing be unparished by sowing often than once in three years for any sort of grain (buck wheat or Indian corn excepted)

And the owners of said tract have agreed that the same shall be valued by the appraisers under the proceedings for valuation of the said tract at twenty two thousand five hundred dollars with the understanding that the foregoing restrictions shall be released

Resolved that upon the valuation of the said tract of land being made at Twenty two thousand five hundred dollars the Philadelphia Library will with the consent of the present owners of the land execute a release of the said restrictions so however that none of the rights of the Company