

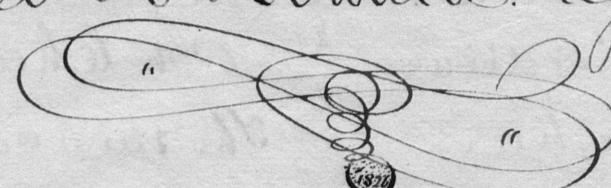
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land mentioned in the Bill & award all the ground rents charged on that lot or portion of ground in the city of Annapolis whereon the Playhouse stands being part of lot number sixty one in the city aforesaid, and bearing an annual rent of ten pounds ten shillings current money also the ground rents on the property on which Thomas Graham formerly lived being also part of the said lot number sixty one and bearing an annual rent of three pounds fifteen shillings current money also the four following lots lying in Allegany County westward of Fort Cumberland viz Lot number Two thousand six hundred and seventeen Lot number three thousand two hundred and sixty three Lot number three thousand two hundred and sixteen all of which rents and profits were purchased by the defendant from Gabriel Duvall trustee for the sale of Alexander Truemans real estate also all the right title and estate of him the said William Dent Beall of and to the four other following lots lying in Allegany County westward of Fort Cumberland Court Lot number Two thousand four hundred and eighty nine Lot two thousand four hundred and ninety lot number Two thousand five hundred and eighty nine and lot number Two thousand five hundred and eighty four and also all that tract of land formerly belonging to the said Alexander Truemans lying in Bedford County and State of Virginia which was purchased by him the said William Dent Beall from Gabriel Duvall the trustee for the sale of the said Truemans real estate and which said tract of land is also mentioned in the deed of trust executed by the said Alexander Truemans to the said Gabriel Duvall bearing date on or about the fifteenth day of Jan One thousand seven hundred and eighty nine a copy whereof is exhibited in the Bill of Complaint.

A.C. Hanson Chancery

Test

Samuel H. Howard, Reg. Land Law.



Terningham Drury  
& Abel Hill Drury

vs  
Abel Hill, Joseph Hill  
and Morgan Hill

Be it Remembered That heretofore to wit on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of November 1804 came Terningham Drury and Abel Hill Drury by John Johnson Esquire his Solicitor into the State of Maryland's Court of Chancery and exhibited therem his Bill of Complaint v. A. H. J. H. and M. H.

Abel Hill, Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill in the words following.  
To the Honourable Alexander Hanson Chancellor of Maryland  
The Bill of complaint of Terningham Drury of Anne Arundel County

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and Abel Hill Drury his son a minor by Terminus Drury his next friend humbly represents that Hannah Hill and Sarah Hill two sisters were seized in fee of two tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land called Burkheads parcel and Burkheads Meadow containing about three hundred acres of Land situate in said county that they both died testate and without issue since the year seventeen hundred and eighty eight whereby the said land descended equally to Abel Hill and Joseph Hill their brothers of the whole blood. Joseph Hill has also succeeded intestate leaving four children one of whom is also dead a minor and without issue whereby a moiety of the land descended equally to or now devolved on the three surviving children named Abel Hill, Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill. your complainants represent that the said Susanna Hill in her life time for a valuable consideration executed her bond to convey her part of the land aforesaid to your complainant Terminus Drury but have died without executing the deed the said first Abel Hill with a view of carrying the contract into execution on the ninth day of April nineteen hundred and ninety one conveyed the interest he derived by the death of said Susanna to the undivided moiety aforesaid to your complainant Terminus Drury as will appear by a copy of the deed No 1 herewith filed as part of this Bill. your complainants state that on the same day the said Abel Hill conveyed in fee to Abel Hill Drury and Mary Drury as joint tenants his interest in that part of the land he derived by the death of said first named Sarah Hill as will appear by the deed No 2 herewith filed your complainants should before have stated but they now state that the said first mentioned Sarah Hill married one Noble, and that Sarah Hill first named and Sarah Noble in the last deed mentioned are one and the same person and not different. They also state that Mary Drury in the deed mentioned is dead whereby her part has devolved on your complainant Abel Hill Drury by survivorship. your complainants state that on the facts of the said the said land must be divided as follows. one fourth to your complainant Terminus Drury. one fourth to your complainant Abel Hill Drury and the remaining half in three parts to be divided between the said Abel Hill, Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill the surviving children of said first named Joseph Hill. But they represent that on account of the wages of said Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill as well as that of your complainant Abel Hill Drury who are minors a division or a sale of the land can only be had in this court where cases of this nature are cognizable and where persons of age having interests in common in land of equal or unequal extent with minors may have the whole land divided or sold as on a consideration of all circumstances shall appear most advantageous to the parties considered.

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In consideration of which and as relief can only be obtained here where cases of this sort are cognizable. May it please your honour to cause Subpeonas to be issued to the said Joseph Hill, Abel Hill and Morgan Hill of Anne Arundel County commanding them to appear in this court to answer the premises and to abide by such decree as your honour may make and that you will decree a sale or a division as shall appear most advantageous, and grant such other relief as justice demands, &c.

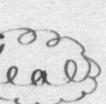
John Johnson for Compt<sup>r</sup>.

Exhibit C of File with the Bill.

This Indenture made this ninth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine between Abel Hill of Anne Arundel County of the one part and Terningham Drury of the said County of the other part. Whereas Susannah Hill sister of the said Abel Hill was in his lifetime seized of an estate in fee simple in and of one undivided moiety of part of two tracts of land lying in the County aforesaid called Puckheads Parcel & Puckheads Meadow, and being so seized for a valuable consideration taken in hand paid passed her bond to convey the same in fee simple to the said Terningham Drury. AND Whereas after the execution of said Bond the said Susannah died intestate and without issue whereby the legal estate to said Moiety descended to the said Abel Hill and to the four infant children of Joseph Hill deceased, which Abel and Joseph Hill deceased which Abel and Joseph were brothers of the whole blood and heirs of the said Susannah. And Whereas it is right and just that the right title and estate in and of said moiety should be made over and conveyed to the said Terningham Drury. This Indenture therefore witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of six shillings current money to the said Abel Hill in hand paid by the said Terningham Drury at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents and to carry into effect the bond and contract of said Susanna Hill to Terningham Drury. Be the said Abel Hill hath given granted bargained sold aliened and released and by these presents doth give grant have gain sell alien and release to Terningham Drury his heirs and assigns one undivided moiety of part of two tracts of land called Puckheads Parcel and Puckheads Meadow lying in Anne Arundel County and all the right title and interest and estate therein or thereto which descended to him on the death of Susanna Hill as one of her heirs, to have and to hold the said undivided moiety of said part of the said tracts and all the estate right title and interest which the said Abel Hill hath therein, to the said Terningham Drury his heirs and assigns forever. In witness whereof the said Abel Hill hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first above written.

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Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence  
of Jas Disney Saml. Garrison

Abel Hill 

Received on the day and year first above written of the abovenamed  
Terningham Drury the consideration above mentioned.

Test: Jas Disney, Saml. Garrison.

Abel Hill.

Maryland Sett on the ninth day of April one thousand seven  
hundred and ninety nine came before us the subscribers two of the  
Justices of the peace for Anne Arundel County Abel Hill party  
to the above and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed  
and the land therein mentioned to be the right title and estate  
of Terningham Drury his heirs and assigns forever according  
to the true intent and meaning thereof and the act of assembly  
in such case made and provided. Jas Disney, Saml. Garrison

(Endorsed) Rec'd 6 May 1799 to be recorded same day recorded in Liber  
N. S. N<sup>o</sup> 9 folio 312 one of Anne Arundel County Land Record Books

True copy

Nichl. Starwood Esq.

Test Thos H. Bowes Reg. Clerk.

Exhibit C. 2d filed with the Bill.

This Indenture made this ninth day of April in the year of our  
Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine between Abel Hill of  
Anne Arundel County of the one part, and Abel Hill Drury and Mary  
Drury children of Terningham Drury of the part. Whereas Sarah  
Hill of said County was in her own right seized of an estate in fee  
simple in and to an undivided moiety of part of two tracts of land lying  
in Anne Arundel County called Parkheads Parcel and Parkheads Meadow  
and afterwards died intestate and without issue whereby her moiety  
descended in three equal parts one to the said Abel Hill one to Susannah  
Hill and one to the infant children of Joseph Hill which Abel Hill, Susannah  
Hill and the children aforesaid were the heirs of the said Sarah  
Hill whereas afterwards and before any division made the said  
Susannah Hill died intestate and without issue whereby her third part  
of said moiety descended to Abel Hill and the children of Joseph Hill  
whereby the said Abel Hill became indebted to one moiety of the  
moiety which said Sarah died seized and he is desirous of conveying  
the same to his grand children aforesaid. Now this indenture  
Witnesseth that the said Abel Hill for and in consideration of  
the love affection he bears his said two grand children and for  
and in consideration of the sum of five shillings current money to  
him in hand paid there unto whereof he doth hereby acknowledge  
he the said Abel Hill hath given granted bargained sold aliened  
and released and by these presents doth give grant bargain and  
alien and release to the said Abel Hill Drury and Mary Drury

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Their heirs or assigns one undivided moiety of a moiety of part of two tracts of land called Pukheads Parcel and Pukheads Meadow which was the estate of the said Sarah Hobble, and all his estate right and title therein. To Have and to Hold the said undivided moiety of a moiety of part of two tracts of land, and all the estate right title and interest which the said Abel Hill hath therein to the said Abel Hill and Mary Drury their heirs and assigns forever. In witness whereof the said Abel Hill hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first above written.

Signed Sealed or Delivered in presence of  
John Disney, Sam Harrison

Abel Hill Seal

Received on the day and year first above written of the above named Abel Hill Drury and Mary Drury the consideration abovementioned.  
Testd by John Disney Sam Harrison. Abel Hill.

Maryland Oct. On the ninth day of April One thousand Seven hundred and ninety nine there came before us the subscribers two of the Justices of the peace for Anne Arundel County Abel Hill party to the above deed and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed and the land therein mentioned to be the right title and estate of Abel Hill Drury and Mary Drury their heirs and assigns forever according to the true intent and meaning thereof and the act of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

John Disney, Sam Harrison,  
(which was Endorsed as follows) Rec'd May 1799. To be recorded  
same day recorded in Liber A. Vol. 9 folio 54 of Anne Arundel  
County Land Records. Nick Harwoodell.

True copy of Testy Thos H. Bowie Reg'r of Land

Whereupon accordingly issued Subpoena in the usual form against the defendants to appear returnable to December Term 1804 which Subpoena was duly returned summoned. Whereupon was issued a commission to the person therein named to appoint a guardian to take the answer of the infant defendants as follows.

Maryland Oct. The state of Maryland. To Samuel Harrison of Anne Arundel County greeting. Whereas Birmingham Drury and Abel Hill Drury hath lately exhibited their Bill of Complaint before us in our High Court of Chancery against Joseph Bell and Morgan Bell defendants, and whereas we have commanded the said defendants to appear before us in our said Chancery at a certain day now past to answer to answer the said Bill but for as much as the said defendants are infants under age and cannot answer the said Bill nor defend this suit without having a guardian assigned in that behalf know ye therefore that we have given unto you or any three or two of

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you full power and authority in pursuance of the special order of our said court to assign and appoint a guardian for the aforesaid infants and to take the answers of the said infants by such guardian to the said Bill and therefore we command you any three or two of you, that at such certain day and place as you shall think fit you go to the said defendants if they cannot conveniently come to you and assign and appoint a guardian for the aforesaid infants and take the answers of the said infants by such guardian to the said Bill on such guardian's corporal oath upon the Holy Evangelist to be administered by you, any three or two of you, the said answer being distinctly and plainly wrote, and when you shall have so taken the said answers you are to send the same closed up under the seals of you, any three or two of you, together with your certificate of your having assigned and appointed such guardian as aforesaid, and this without fail in our said chancery. Witness the

Honourable Alexander Coote Hanson Chancellor  
the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January anno Domini 1805.

Ist Samuel H Howard Reg Cur Ban.

And at the same Term came the Commissioner named in the said Commission and made return thereof and of his proceedings in the premises as follows

To the Honourable Alexander Coote Hanson Esquire Chancellor of Maryland.  
I hereby certify that in pursuance of the annexed commission to me directed I caused the said Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill at a certain time and place by me previously appointed, to appear before me, and did then and there appoint Abel Hill their guardian to answer to the Bill of said Birmingham Drury and Abel Hill Drury filed against them and that I have taken the answers of said infants on the corporal oath of said guardian by me administered and now transmit the same together with the commission. Given under my hand this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February 1805.

Sam'l. Harrison.

The answers of Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill minors by Abel Hill their guardian to the Bill of complaint filed against them in the Chancery Court by Birmingham Drury and Abel Hill Drury or to so much thereof as they are advised to be material or necessary for them to answer unto they answer as follow. That they admit said Susannah Hill and Sarah Hill were seized in fee of the land in the Bill mentioned that they died intestate and without issue as stated, on which the land descended equally to said Abel Hill and Joseph Hill's descendants. They also admit that said Joseph Hill died intestate leaving four children one of whom is since dead a minor and without issue and that a moiety of said land descended equally to Abel Hill Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill the children of said Joseph. They also admit that said Susannah Hill executed

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a bond to convey her part to said Terningham Drury, the said Abel Hill conveyed his part to said Drury as stated, and that the said Abel Hill also conveyed to Abel Hill Drury and Mary Drury as stated. They also admit that said Sarah Hill married one Anthony Nible and that Mary Drury is dead and her part devolved on Abel Hill Drury. They submit to such decree as on a consideration of all circumstances may appear just and equitable.

Edwne Crundel County Court. On the 11<sup>th</sup> day of February 1805 personally appeared Abel Hill the guardian by me appointed to said Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the facts stated in the above answer are true to the best of his information knowledge and belief.

Sworn Before Sam. Harrison

And at the same term came Abel Hill and filed in Court his answer to the said Bill as follows.

The separate answer of Abel Hill to the Bill of complaint filed against him in the Chancery Court by Terningham Drury and Abel Hill Drury or so much thereof as he is advised to be material or necessary for him to answer unto he answers and says. That he admits said Susannah Hill and Sarah Hill were seized in fee of the land in the Bill mentioned, that they died intestate and without issue as stated on which the land descended equally to said Joseph Hill's descendants and Abel Hill. He also admits that said Joseph Hill died intestate leaving four children one of whom is since dead a minor and without issue, and that a moiety of said land descended equally to Joseph Hill, Abel Hill and Morgan Hill the children of said Joseph. He also admits that said Susannah Hill executed a bond to convey her part to said Terningham Drury, the said Abel Hill conveyed his part to said Drury as stated, and that the said Abel Hill <sup>also</sup> conveyed to Abel Hill Drury and Mary Drury as stated he also admits that Sarah Hill married one Anthony Nible and that Mary Drury is dead and her part devolved on Abel Hill Drury. He submits to such decree as on a consideration of all circumstances may appear just and equitable.

Edwne Crundel County Court. On the 11<sup>th</sup> day of February 1805 personally appeared Abel Hill and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the facts stated in the above answer are true to the best of his information knowledge and belief. Sworn before Sam. Harrison. And the said cause so standing was continued until February Term 1805 at which term the Chancellor passed the following decree in the premises.

Terningham Drury v Abel Hill Drury Chancery February Term 1805.

This cause standing ready for  
Abel Hill, Joseph Hill & Morgan Hill <sup>3</sup> decision on the Bill and answers  
and being submitted the said Bill, answers, and all other proceedings were

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by the Chancellor read and considered and it appearing to him on examination of all circumstances that it will be for the interest and advantage of all parties concerned to make partition of the land in the Bill mentioned as prayed. So is thereupon this fourth day of March Eighteen hundred and Five by Alexander Hanson Chancellor and by the authority of this court adjudged ordered and decreed that there be a partition of the tracts of land following Locket. two tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land called Birkheads parcel and Birkheads Meadow containing about three hundred acres of land situate in Anne Arundel County between the Complainants and Defendants. and to the end that this court may be enabled to make just partition thereof. So is ordered that a commission issue to Samuel Garrison, Benjamin Allen and Thomas Sellman — authorizing them or any two of them to enter upon walk over and survey the said lands and divide the same into five unequal parts as follows fourt. the said lands in the first place to be divided into equal and exact moieties one moiety to be then divided into two equal and exact parts and the other moiety thereof to be divided into three equal and exact parts and directing them to make out a plat and certificate of the said land and of the division thereof with the Beginning, course and an accurate description of said land and of each of the said five parts. and to the said commission there shall be annexed an oath of office as usual.

A. Hanson Chanc.

Whereupon was issued a commission to the persons therein named as follows.  
Maryland Oct. The State of Maryland To Samuel Garrison, Benjamin Allen and Thomas Sellman of Anne Arundel County greeting. I know ye that we have pursuant to an order of our High Court of Chancery this day passed in a suit therein depending between Lemuel Drury and Abel Hill Drury Complainants. and Abel Hill, Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill defendants. fully authorised and empowered you or any two of you to go to enter upon and walk over and survey two tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land called Birkheads parcel and Birkheads Meadow containing about three hundred acres. and to separate the same into two parts equal as may be in quantity and quality. and divide one of the said two moieties or half parts into two parts equal as may be in quantity and quality and the other moiety or half part into three parts equal as may be in quantity and quality and to make out a plat of the said land with a certificate of the Beginning and course and an accurate description thereof and of each part according to the division by you made and when you shall have so done you or any two of you who shall act are to certify and return unto our said Court of Chancery without delay your acts and proceedings in the premises by your certificate distinctly and plainly written closed up and under your

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several seals or the seals of such two of you as shall act. Provided nevertheless that before you or any of you shall act in the premises you or such of you as are to act shall each take the oath hereunto annexed and we do give any two or one of you full power and authority jointly and severally to administer such oath upon the Holy Evangelist. Witness

the Honorable Alexander Coates Hanson Chancellor this  
fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand  
and Eight hundred and five.

Samuel H. Howard Reg: Bar: Can.

Commissioners Oath. you shall according to the best of your skill and judgment make the partition directed by the commission hereto annexed. and in all things truly and faithfully execute the powers given and perform the duties required of you by the commission without favour or partiality to, or prejudice or ill will against any person whatever interested therein. So help you god.

And at the same term came the commissioners named in the said Commission and made return thereof and of their proceedings in the premises in the words following.

Maryland Let, the State of Maryland. to Samuel Garrison Benjamin Allard and Thomas Ellman of Anne Arundel County Greeting. Know ye that we have pursuant to an order of our High Court of Chancery this day passed in a suit therein depending between Birmingham Drury and Abel Hill Drury Complainants. and Abel Hill Joseph Hill and Morgan Hill defendants. fully authorised and empowered you or any two of you to go to enter upon. walk over and survey two tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land called Pick-heads Paree and Pickheads Meadow containing about three hundred acres and to separate the same into two parts equal as may be in quantity and quality. and divide one of the said moieties or half parts into two parts equal as may be in quantity and quality and the other moiety or half part into three parts equal as may be in quantity and quality and to make out a plat of the said land with a certificate of the beginning and courses and an accurate description thereof and of each part according to the division by you made. and when you shall have so done you or any two of you who shall act are to certify and return unto our said Court of Chancery without delay your acts and proceedings in the premises by your certificate distinctly and plainly written closed up and under your several seals or the seals of such two of you as shall act. Provided nevertheless that before you or any of you shall act in the premises you or such of you as are to act shall each take the oath hereunto annexed. and we do give any two or one of you full power and authority jointly and severally

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To administer such oath upon the Holy Evangelie. witness the Honourable Alexander Conte Hanson Chancellor this fourte  
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day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight  
hundred and five. Samuel H. Howard Reg'lar Com

missioners Oath. You shall according to the best of your skill and  
judgement make the partition directed by the commission hereto annexed  
and in all things truly and faithfully execute the powers given and  
perform the duties required of you by the commission without favour  
or partiality to, or prejudice or ill will against any person whatever  
interested therein. So Help you God. March 13<sup>rd</sup> 1805 I hereby certify  
that Samuel Garrison and Thomas Tellman qualified to the annexed com  
mission in the words of the above oath. Benj Allen.

March 13th 1805. I hereby certify that Benjamin Allen qualified to  
the annexed commission in the words of the above oath.

Sam. Garrison

To the Honble Alexander Conte Hanson, Chancellor of Maryland.  
Terningham Drury & <sup>Comp'ee</sup> and Abel Still Drury & <sup>Comp'ee</sup> Pursuant to an order from the  
High Court of Chancery directed to us

the subscribers, we being first qualified  
entered upon, walked over and surveyed part  
of the two tracts or parcels of land specified  
in said order and have made a plat of the same, and find from actual  
survey agreeably to the papers laid before us, that the said two parts of  
tracts of land contains three hundred and four acres. We then proceeded  
to make the several partitions directed in manner and form following  
as will more fully and clearly appear by reference being had to the annexed  
plat viz. It will be divided said land into two equal parts in quantity and  
quality c<sup>r</sup>. 1. contains one hundred forty seven acres of land and c<sup>r</sup>. 2 con  
tains one hundred fifty seven acres of land. The parties interested then  
mutually agreed for the plaintiffs to have and possess the Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 1 and  
the defendants to have and possess the Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 2. We then proceeded to  
divide one moiety or half part. Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 1 into two equal parts in quantity  
and quality that is to say c<sup>r</sup>. 3 contains seventy six acres of land and Lot  
c<sup>r</sup>. 4 contains seventy one acres of land. We then divided the other moiety  
or half part of land c<sup>r</sup>. 2 into three equal parts in quantity and quality that  
is to say c<sup>r</sup>. 5 contains fifty six acres of land c<sup>r</sup>. 6 contains fifty five acres  
of Land and Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 7 contains forty six acres of land. Two of the defendants  
that is to say Joseph Still and Morgan Still by and through their guardian  
Abel Still Senr agree that Abel Still Junr the other defendant (he being)  
of the age of twenty one years or upward) that he the said Abel should have  
and possess Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 5.

All which is humbly submitted to your honour.

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Sam Harrison   
Penr<sup>w</sup> Allen   
Thomas Sellman

And at the same term was filed in Court the following agreement.

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and Abel Hill Drury & It is agreed that the Commissioners returned be  
against & confirmed. It is also agreed that Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 3 shall be  
Abel Hill Joseph Hill decreed to Abel Hill Drury. Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 4 to Terning  
and Morgan Hill S<sup>r</sup>. ham Drury. Lots c<sup>r</sup>. 5 to Abel Hill Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 6 to  
Joseph Hill and Lot c<sup>r</sup>. 7 to Morgan Hill. In witness whereof the said  
Terningham Drury for himself and as next friend and natural guardian  
to his son Abel Hill Drury, the said Abel Hill Senior for himself and  
Abel Hill Senior the guardian of Joseph and Morgan Hill have this  
19<sup>th</sup> day of April 1805 here to set their names and seals.

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Penr<sup>w</sup> Allen.

Terningham Drury   
Abel Hill Jun<sup>r</sup>   
Abel Hill Sen<sup>r</sup>

Whereupon on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April 1805 the Chancellor passed  
his decree in the premises in the words following.

Terningham Drury & In Chancery February Term 1805  
and Abel Hill Drury & The said cause standing ready for hearing and

(vz) being submitted the Bill answers, exhibits return  
Abel Hill Joseph Hill & of the commissioners and agreement of the parties  
and Morgan Hill & as stated in the return and the agreement of the  
parties filed in the cause, as well as all other the other proceedings were  
by the Chancellor read and considered, and it appearing right that  
there should be a partition of the land in the Bill and proceedings  
mentioned. It is therefore this nineteenth day of April in the  
year Eighteen hundred and five by Alexander Coates Chancellor  
and by the authority of this Court adjudged ordered and decreed that  
there be a partition of the land in the proceedings mentioned, and that  
the return of the Commissioners be and the same is hereby ratified  
and confirmed. It is further adjudged ordered and decreed that the  
complainant Terningham Drury shall hold in severally and not  
jointly with the said other complainants and the defendant or either  
of them, all that part of the following tract of land called Parkheads  
Parcel and Parkheads Meadow situate in Anne Arundel County which  
said part is described on the plot returned by the Commissioners by lot  
number four, it being part of the lot c<sup>r</sup>. 1. Beginning for the said number  
four at the letter P, at the end of twenty eight and one half perches  
on the second line of the whole survey as returned by the commissioners  
and running with said line north twenty nine degrees east fifty four

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and one half perches then south eighty three degrees and fifteen minutes east two hundred and eleven perches and one half perches to the ninth line of the whole survey aforesaid then with said line south five degrees thirty minutes east fifty one perches to intersect lot number three then with said line north eighty three degrees and fifteen minutes west two hundred and forty three perches to the Beginning containing seventy one acres of land more or less. And it is further adjudged that the said Birmingham Survey have possession of the premises to him in severally aforesaid adjudged. It is further adjudged ordered and decreed that the complainant Abel Hill Survey shall hold in severally and not jointly with the other parties hereto all that part of the before mentioned lands which is described on the plot by Lot number three. the same being the other part of Lot number one. Beginning for lot number three at a stone it being the beginning of the whole survey. and running with the first and part of the second lines thereof north twenty four degrees and thirty minutes west forty nine perches north twenty nine east twenty eight and one half perches then south eighty three degrees and fifteen minutes east two hundred and forty three perches to intersect the ninth line of the whole survey then with said line south five degrees thirty minutes east eighty perches then with the tenth and eleventh lines of the whole survey north sixty nine degrees thirty minutes west two hundred and forty six perches to a white oak then south fifteen degrees forty minutes west fifty one and four fifth perches to the Beginning containing seventy six acres of land more or less. And it is further adjudged that the said Abel Hill Survey have possession of the premises to him in severally aforesaid adjudged.

It is further adjudged ordered and decreed that the said Defendant Abel Hill shall hold in severally and not jointly with the parties hereto or any of them all that part of the before mentioned lands which is described on the plot by Lot number five the same being part of Lot number two. Beginning for lot number five at the letter b at the end of eighty three perches on the second line of the whole tract and running with the second and part of the third line of said survey north twenty nine degrees east four perches and one fifth of a perch then north ten degrees east forty perches then south eighty three degrees fifteen minutes east one hundred and ninety eight perches to intersect the ninth line of the whole survey then with said line south five degrees thirty minutes east forty five perches to intersect lot number four then with said line north eighty three degrees fifteen minutes west two hundred and eleven perches and one half of a perch to the Beginning containing fifty six acres of land more or less. And it is further adjudged that the said Abel Hill have

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possession of the premises to him in severally offoresaid adjudged.

And it is further adjudged ordered and decreed that the defendant Joseph Hill shall hold in severally and not jointly with the parties hereto or any of them all that part of the before mentioned lands which is described on the plat by Lot number six the same being part of Lot No D. Begining for Lot No six at the letter D at the end offorty perches on the third line of the whole survey and running with said line and the fourth and part of the fifth line north ten degrees east sixteen perches then north seven degrees west twenty perches then north thirteen degrees east ten perches and one half of a perch, then south eighty three degrees fifteen minutes east one hundred and ninety perches and one half of a perch to intersect the ninth line of the whole survey, then with said line south five degrees thirty minutes east forty six perches to intersect Lot number five then with said Land north eighty three degrees fifteen minutes west one hundred and ninety eight perches to the begining containing fifty five acres of land more or less. and it is further adjudged that the said Joseph Hill have possession of the premises aforesaid to him in severally adjudged.

And it is further adjudged ordered and decreed that the said Defendant Morgan Hill shall hold in severally and not jointly with the parties hereto or any of them all that part of the above mentioned lands which is described on the plat by Lot number seven the same being part of Lot number Two Begining for lot number seven at the letter C. at the end of ten and a half perches on the fifth line of the whole survey and running with said line and the sixth seventh eight and part of the ninth line north thirteen degrees east thirteen and a half perches north twenty four degrees thirty minutes west thirty four perches south eighty degrees forty five minutes east one hundred and seventy four perches north seventy two degrees thirty minutes east twenty five perches south five degrees thirty minutes east forty six perches to intersect lot number six then with said line north eighty three degrees fifteen minutes west one hundred and ninety and a half perches to the begining containing forty six acres of Land more or less. And it is further adjudged that the said Morgan Hill have possession of the premises aforesaid to him in severally adjudged.

A.C. Handon Chanc.

Sect Samuel H Howard, Reg. Clerk.

