

(5) This day to wit July y<sup>e</sup> sixteenth 1706 came before the P<sup>r</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> Jacob Lockerman Jun<sup>r</sup> formerly by the P<sup>r</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> Doct<sup>r</sup> John Clarke for Dorcht County and prayd to be dismissed of this P<sup>r</sup> Office he Resolving to Act no further therein which is so him granted and ord<sup>d</sup> that y<sup>e</sup> P<sup>r</sup> Jacob of his P<sup>r</sup> Office be Rat<sup>d</sup> & dismissed that he do deliver to y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> a fair Transcript and Record of what was by y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> done and Acted when he was in his P<sup>r</sup> Office w<sup>ch</sup> he promiseth to do as soon as he can conveniently finish y<sup>e</sup> same At which time y<sup>e</sup> P<sup>r</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> Doct<sup>r</sup> and Christo Hugh Teleton Jun<sup>r</sup> to be Clerk of y<sup>e</sup> Towns of Dorcht County in y<sup>e</sup> place and stead of the P<sup>r</sup> Jacob;

Now this day to wit July y<sup>e</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> 1706 came before y<sup>e</sup> P<sup>r</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> Govert Lockerman Sheriff of this County and meket retorne of a Certain writt from y<sup>e</sup> said Com<sup>rs</sup> to him directed to impane a Jury of freeholders to Assess the P<sup>r</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> this day to Value the Value the P<sup>r</sup> Town Lands which P<sup>r</sup> Pannall being returned the Jurors therein name appeared to Wit Tho<sup>s</sup> Viccars Sen<sup>r</sup> Jun<sup>r</sup> Travillion Will<sup>m</sup> Dorrington Tho<sup>s</sup> Pirson Jun<sup>r</sup> Pirson Ben<sup>j</sup> Palmer Edw<sup>d</sup> Stephens Jun<sup>r</sup> Salisbury Tho<sup>s</sup> Skinner Tho<sup>s</sup> Viccars Jun<sup>r</sup> Edw<sup>d</sup> Williams and Will<sup>m</sup> Watton which P<sup>r</sup> Jurors appearing and having viewed y<sup>e</sup> P<sup>r</sup> Lands were sworn in these words following  
You shall well and truly Inquire and true Return make to whom the Right Property and freehold of one hundred Acres of Land part of a Tract of Land containing three hundred Acres called Bickerton now layd out for a Town doth properly belong and that you further Inquire Assess and return what Damages and Recompence you shall think fitt to be awarded to y<sup>e</sup> Owners of such Land & all persons interested therein according to their severall and Respective Interest to be paid by the takers up of y<sup>e</sup> P<sup>r</sup> Lots Res- pectively according to the best of your knowledg<sup>e</sup> So help you God; which P<sup>r</sup> Jury being by y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> sworn and they having taken the Oath as afores were Ordered to withdraw by them selves to Consider of y<sup>e</sup> same which they did and returned w<sup>th</sup> this following Verd<sup>t</sup> (Viz) We of this Jury find the Right and property belongs to John Kirke and further we of the Jury do Award y<sup>e</sup> John Kirke for the Land and Damages fifteen thousand pounds of Tobacco Tho<sup>s</sup> Viccars Sen<sup>r</sup> foreman Upon reading which P<sup>r</sup> Writt was demanded by y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> Jurors if they found that all the hundred Acres of Land belonged to the