

Affirmative & th^t the Co^mittee of this house draw up a Bill for th^t Purpose wth a Provisoe th^t the Co^mission^{rs} of the Respective Counties appoint the Places where these houses are to be built Provided there be noe houses Convenient allreadie & th^t the Upper house be desired to Concurr^e wth this house in this Vote & send their Answ^r to this house

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The above vote delivered to this house by Captaine Burgesse & M^r Weekes

An Answ^r to the Last message of this house touching the Limitac^on of Serv^{ts} times was Returned from the Lower house as followeth viz^t Upon the Returne of the above s^d Answ^r from the Upper house Put to the Vote Whether the former Law now in force Limiting Serv^{ts} times wth addic^on of Certificates from the Registers Office in his Ma^{ties} Kingdomes & dominions to be equivalent wth Indentures be Sufficient or whether a new one should be made according to the Preceding Votes Resolved th^t the Ould Law be Continued & the addic^on afores^d be added.

Signed by ord^r
Rob^t Ridgeley Clerke.

This House desireth the Secretarie to Signifie to the Lower house the Evils & Inconvenienc^s th^t have been found to Attend the Allowance of Certificates from the Registers Office w^{ch} is desired by the Lower house to be made an Addic^on to the Act intended to be drawne for the Limitac^on of Serv^{ts} times

In the Record for Lands Lib. 10th ffo. 264 is Contained thus.—

September the 17th 1662. Laid out for William Battin of this Province Planter a Tract of Land Lyeing in Charles County Called Battins dales on the West side of Wickocomico River & on the West side of Saccaia Swamp, being about a mile north from the Land Called daniels mount to be held of the Mannour of Saccaia Beginning at a Marked Oake upon a Hill by a greate Swampe neare a Cow Path Called Saccaia Path Bounding on the West by a Line drawne North & by west for length three hundred Twentie Pearches to an Oake by a Runne side in a Swampe on the North by a Line drawne East & by north from the s^d Oake for breadth ffive Hundred Pearches on the East by a Line drawne South & by East from the end of the East & [by North] line for Length Three Hundred & Twentie Pearches [on the] South by a line drawne West & by South from the end [of the] South & by East line unto the first marked oake Con[taining &] now Laid out for a Thousand acres more or lesse

Rob^t Clerke Sur[vey^r]