

Ad 22. Dicit et deponit That about the 18th of May 1637 the said Clayborne being ready to goe for England did (in this deponents hearinge and in the presence of divers of the Freemen and servants there assembled upon the articulate Island make offer unto the said Evelin, to deliver unto him the said Evelin, all the goods, servants and whatsoever belonged to the said Clobery and Company in the said Joyntstocke according to an Inventory prepared by the said Clayborne and the said Evelin of which each had a cobby according to the said Clobery his directions, upon consideration the said Evelin would give the said Clayborne for the use of the said Clobery and Company a bond of £3000. sterlinge not to allienate or sell the said Plantation or Iland or any part thereof to the Marylanders or any other, and not to remove or carry away any of the servants from the said Island; But the said Evelin did deny and refuse to give the said Clayborne any such bond, whereupon the said Clayborne said for his part and for as much as concerned him the said Clayborne any ways he would not assigne the said Plantation or any of the servants or goods unto the said Evelin, Then the said Evelin replied that he did not care to have any such Assignment from the said Clayborne, And further this deponent sayth that the said Evelin then said that he the said Evelin would recover the Plantation and servants and all the goods aforesaid by Lawe and this deponent saith that the said Clayborne the next day departed for England That the said Evelin did (while the said Clayborne was there and in his absence after his departure) freely dispose and order the said Plantation, servants and goods as he thought goode, and further deposeth not.

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Ad 23. Dicit et deponit That the contents thereof are true to this deponent's owne knowledge.

Ad 36. Dicit et deponit That he this deponent doth verylie beleive that through the said Evelins bad carrage and disposall of the said Marchants estates and through the said Evelins neglect and carelesnesse in following the affaires of the said Jointstock is dampnified at the least £8000. as he beleiveth in regard all was lost and brought to ruein.

Ad 38. Dicit et deponit That as farr as this deponent knoweth there were noe more but six servants remayninge alive in Anno 163 which belonged to the said Clobery and Company as is mentioned in the Accounts articulate for that this deponent did employ them, and this deponent knoweth the said Clayborne had procured and brought up from Virginia a leven servants more as is mentioned in the Accounts articulate And this deponent saith that in 1634 as is articulate the said Clayborne received 19 servants and noe more from the said Clobery and Company of whome this deponent was one