

Liber B. was content to underwrite the Bill of Sale & received Some goods in part of payment which She left in the hands of the Said Cap^t Stone untill the return of her Shallop In Wittness whereof I have hereunto Sett my hand this 20th of May 1650 at Providence in the County of Annarundel

Ƴ me Tho: Johnson

The above mencōned Thomas Johnson hath made Oath before me James Homewood Magistrate in Providence that what he hath testified above is the truth to the best of his knowledge die ditto

James Homewood

p. 229 The Deposition of Elizabeth Parry aged 26 years or thereabouts taken on the 22th of October Sworn and exam^d Saith

That She was present when M^rs Margaret Brent made an absolute bargain with W^m Stone Esq^r of a house at S^t Maries formerly belonging to Leonard Calvert Esq^r deced & that there was goods at her request delivered unto her in part of payment for the Said house, And that She was present when there was a bill of Sale made for M^rs Brent to Set her hand unto, but She refused to Sett her hand to it, if that it was therein written that She Should be bound to defend him from all Claims, But She would willingly Set her hand to the Bill of Sale if that it was therein written, all Just claims whatsoever, Moreover She heard her Say afterwards that She would not Meddle with the goods afores^d unless the Gov^r would enter upon the house ffurther this Depon^t Saith not

The mark of E P Eliz Parry

Jurat coram nos

Rob^t Vaughan W^m Eltonhead.

W^m Stone Esq^r Compl^t } Upon reading of a former Order of
M^rs Margaret Brent Def^t } this Court of the 20th of November last made in this Cause It appeared thereby that the hearing of this Cause was by consent on both sides respited till the then next Court, and nothing being then done in the business the Defd^t was afterwards arrested upon a warrant to appear in June Court last, and the Complaynant now producing a Letter under the Defd^{ts} hands of the 28th of Aprill last whereby She pretending that her coming down to Maryland in June would be very Inconvenient earnestly desired the Comp^h to referr the hearing of the Cause till this Court and then She would not fail to be down, upon which Letter the Complayn^t (as he affirmed) was drawn to respite the hearing according to her desire But it appears by another Letter now Shewed under the Defd^{ts} hands dated the 10th of July last that She now waves all former proceedings, and preremptory averreth that She