

Whereas I Lawrence Starky of the Province of Maryland Liber B.  
Esq about the beginning of the last Spring for a Valuable  
Consideration then & Since by me received of m<sup>r</sup> Thomas  
Hatton Secretary of the Said Province, Sold and Delivered to  
the Said m<sup>r</sup> Hatton one heifer then about three years old of  
my own Marke being formerly m<sup>r</sup> Copleys w<sup>th</sup> a bull Calf by  
her Side Now both of them in the Said m<sup>r</sup> Hattons possession,  
Now this present writing Wittnesseth that I the Said Lawrence  
Starky doe hereby acknowledge ratife and Confirm unto the  
Said m<sup>r</sup> Hatton his Executors, Administrators and Assigns for  
Ever the Sale and Delivery of the Said heifer and Calfe as  
aforesaid with Warranty against all Just Claimes, Wittness  
my hand this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Sept Anno Domini 1653. p. 556

Law: Starky

In the presence of  
Thomas Carpenter

Richard ffoster Sworne & Examined 24<sup>th</sup> March 1653  
Sayth as followeth

That he Cannot Depose whether Nathaniell Batts hath any  
Estate in his hands or Noe but the Said Batts told him that the  
truck which was here was the Coll and his and before it went  
out of his hands the Said Batts would See him Satisfied for his  
Labour, After the Coll aboard his Sloop desired this Deponent  
to be Carefull in the busieness, for the Truck was his fully and  
wholly Since the Coll hath Sent to him by m<sup>r</sup> Slys Bark to gett  
Corne ready for him and more Sayth not The mark of  
Coram me Richard W Foster

Thomas Gerrard

This Bill bindeth me Thomas Ringe my heirs Executors and  
Administrators to pay or Cause to be paid unto John Taylor  
his heirs and assigns the full and Just Sume or quantity of  
Nine hundred Seventy and Eight pounds of Good Sound  
Tobacco in Caske at or upon the tenth day of November Next  
Ensueing and for the true performance of which paym<sup>t</sup> I doe  
hereby make and bind over unto the Said John Taylor my  
Cropp w<sup>ch</sup> I Shall plant this Year as alsoe what I shall make  
and gett by Smiths Work with my Smiths Tools or what else  
belonging to me at present or hereafter belonging and due to  
me till the abovesaid debt be fully paid to the Said John Taylor  
as abovesaid. Wittness my hand this 10<sup>th</sup> Aprill 1654.

Testis

William Britten

the marke of  
Thomas × Ringe

may the 16. 1652

Know all men by these presents that I Richard Husbands  
of wappin in the County of Middlesex Mariner doe make