

Liber B. River not far from the house An Indian (who then was Employed by the Said m<sup>r</sup> Brookes to hunt) brought word that there were Some hogs, whereupon m<sup>r</sup> Brookes Servants together with the Indian went and killedd Nine hogs all Marked hogs unless on Little young Boare Which (to this Deponents best remembrance) was not Marked, But what Marks they were this Deponent knoweth not, neither did he take any Notice of the Marks at the killing thereof, but after they were killed, the hogs Soe killed were all brought into m<sup>r</sup> Brooks house and there Spent by him as this Deponent believeth and further he Saith not.

Jurat Coram me  
William Bretton

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Robert Sheale

25<sup>th</sup> March 1654. I Thomas Gerrard Esq doe acknowledge to have received of m<sup>r</sup> Cuthb<sup>t</sup> Ffenwick full Satisfaction of a Judgment and Order of Court obteyned against him of one Thousand pounds of Tobacco and of all Damages and Charges incurred concerning the Said Suit. Wittness my hand  
Test. Willm Bretton  
Tho. Gerrard

p. 56<sup>i</sup> Whereas M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Hatton Secretary of this Province of Maryland hath upon the request of me Ffrancis Brookes Gent agreed to Deliver up or Cancell two Bills or Notes whereby Edward Claxton Stands bound to pay to the Said m<sup>r</sup> Hatton two Severall Sumes of Seven hundred and four hundred pounds of Tobacco, and Caske. I the Said ffrancis Brookes in Consideration thereof doe acknowledge to owe and Stand Indebted to the Said m<sup>r</sup> Hatton the Just and full Summe or quantity of Eleven hundred pounds of Good Sound Merchantable Tobacco and Caske As Wittness my hand this 17<sup>th</sup> day of Aprill Anno Dni 1654

Recognit Coram Nobis  
Willm Stone, Job Chandler

ffrancis Brookes his mark

By the Lieu<sup>t</sup> &c of Maryland

Whereas I am Given to Understand that Luke Gardiner doth in a uncivill refractory insolent Manner detayne at his House one Elinor Hatton a Young Girle Daughter to the wife of Licutenant Richard Banks and Neice to m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Hatton his Ldps Secretary Endeavouring (as is probably Suspected) to trayne her up in the Roman Catholick Religion Contrary to the mind and will of her Said Mother and Uncle who have often demanded her of the Said Luke, who refuseth to return