

Liber B. major Iohn Billingsly, which Tobacco is Sound and mer-  
 No. 3. chantable  
 Iurat Coram nos  
 Mich: Brooke  
 Phill: Morgin

Signum

William M Canneday

These abovenamed parties having done according to their  
 Severall oathes, I then being present with them did See the  
 very Same in Wittness my hand this 24<sup>th</sup> of September 1657.

Iohn Lawson

Recorded for Iohn Knap

These presents Wittness that Whereas I Iohn Knap of the  
 Province of Maryland in the County of Putuxent did buy  
 formerly one parcell of Land adjoyning to m<sup>r</sup> Richard Prestons  
 Land, lying upon the Bay Side, of one Thomas Cole, I the  
 Said Knap doe for me my heires Executors and Assignes,  
 relinquish and redeliver to the use of the Said Thomas Cole,  
 all my right Title and Interest to the Said Land, in as full and  
 ample manner as it was ever delivered unto me for him the  
 Said Cole to Enjoy or dispose of for Ever. Wittness my hand  
 this 4<sup>th</sup> of November 1657

Acknowledged and Delivered

Iohn Knap

in open Court th<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> of Novemb 1657

Testes me Thomas Turner Clk

November th<sup>e</sup> 6<sup>t</sup> Anno Dni 1657

These are in the Name of his highness the Lord Protector  
 of England &c: to give notice to all the Inhabitants within this  
 Province, and to all others whom it may Concerne That  
 Whereas it appeareth by an Order of Court held at Putuxent  
 for the Province of Maryland the 24<sup>th</sup> of September 1656 that  
 Walter Peake the Administrator of Fran: Vandan of this Prov-  
 ince deceased, hath Satisfied and overpaid the tottall of the  
 Inventory of the S<sup>d</sup> Estate, That therefore the Said Admin-  
 ip. 354 istrator ought not, nor is not to be any farther, Sued, Impleaded,  
 molested or prosecuted for or Concerning the Said Estate or  
 any part thereof for which purpose this his Quiet Est or the  
 Record thereof is from time to time for the future to be  
 admitted and allowed of in all Courts of Iudicature within this  
 Province, for a Lawfull and Sufficent plea in Barr to all and  
 Every Suit, action and demand, which Shall happen at any  
 time hereafter to be brought Commenced or prosecuted  
 against him the Said Administrator in any Court within this  
 Province touching the Said Estate Contrary to the Direction  
 herein before Expressed Given at Putuxent under my hand  
 the 6<sup>t</sup> of November 1657

Richard Preston