

Lib. J. R. Evangelists did Depose and say that he was born in Cedar
 & U. S. Creek Hundred and County aforesaid and that he has Lived
 the Greatest Part of his Life time in the County aforesaid
 (to wit) all about about 3 or 4 years thereof, he further
 Saith that is well Acquainted with Gravelly Branch where
 formerly was a wading Place for Travellers to Pass and
 p. 317 repass, and that there is a Bridge built over the said Place
 of Passing and repassing, and that he hath heard from
 Sundry Persons living near the said Branch that whoever of
 the Inhabitants of the Province of Maryland Passed over the
 Wading Place aforesaid or the Present Bridge afs^d Ac-
 counted and esteemed themselves to be then within the Limits
 of Sussex County aforesaid or as it is Generally Termed by
 the Inhabitants of Maryland Government (In Pensylvania
 on the same Place about 18 years Last Past he also saith,
 that he is acquainted with John Willey now a Prisoner at
 Lewis in Sussex County aforesaid and that he knoweth the
 Plantation whereon the said John Willey Dwelt he also
 knoweth that a certain John Coverdel a Liver in the said
 County of Sussex had made a Small emprovement or Settlement
 on the same Place about 18 years Last Past he also saith,
 that he knoweth that the said Plantation hath been Surveyed
 by virtue of a Warrant from the Land Office of the Hon-
 ourable the Proprietaries of the Province of Pensylvania and
 Counties on Delaware for a Certain Ephraim Polk who sold
 it to the aforesaid John Willey, and that he has often seen
 him (as being a near neighbour to him in the quiet and
 Peaceable Possession of the said Plantation he Likewise saith
 that he knoweth not, nor hath he ever heard of any Survey
 being made on the Aforesaid Plantation or any Right or
 claim thereto set up under the Government of the Province of
 Maryland aforesaid until the Late Disturbance which hap-
 pened on Some Part of the said Willeys Plantation and being
 interrogated whether he knew any thing Relative to a Riot
 lately (as it is said) Committed there or to any Accident
 ensuing thereon, he the Deponent saith he was not Present on
 the Day where in it happened nor can he say any thing
 thereof but from Common Fame and Report he therefore
 Concludes his Testimony and further saith not

Jurat Coram Nobis

Warren Burroughs

R^s Holt

Jacob Kollock

Jacob Phillips

Sussex County on Delaware

The Deposition of John Pettyjon sen of the County afore-
 said Yeoman aged 70 years or thereabouts taken at Lewis in