

Harris and one John Gee returned with this depon^t: And hard by the landing place this depon^t did see as it were a bundle of Lynnen and out of itt hung a thing much like vnto fish gutts and this depon^t asked the woman Servant, whats this that looketh like fish Gutts And the woman replied that they were fish gutts And this depon^t would haue faine seene what it was But the woman pushed this depon^t away and Snatcht it up and flung it into the water and this depon^t run into the water and fetched it out and opened the Cloth and there was a man Child within itt, And John Gee standing by did see the child when this depon^t opened the Cloth And the woman sayd burye itt, But this depon^t and John Gee and the woman went vp to the howse together And this depon^t did intend to acquainte M^r Langworth with itt, but the howse being full of Company thought best to lett it rest vntill the next morning And this depon^t went to the water side the next morning and the Child was taken away and further sayth not.

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The marke of R Robert Joyner

Jurat coram me William Evans

John Gee sworne and Examined the Eight day of January 1660 p. 433 aged twenty seauen yeares or thereabouts Sayth That he this depon^t being at the howse of M^r James Langworth in the tyme of Easter in the yeare 1657 went to helpe to hawle a Cowe out of a Swamp with Robert Joyner and as they were hawling the Cowe out Elizabeth now the wife of Samuell Harris then Servant to M^r James Langworth came to them and as they were againe returning to the howse by the water side their lay a Bundle of Clouts And the said Joyner asked the said Elizabeth what that was, and the said Joyner goinge to see what it was, the said Elizabeth pushed him into the water from itt And the said Joyner snatching at it the Bundle broake and there appeared the face of a dead child it being black in the face and this depon^t and the said Joyner were intended to speake of itt to M^r Langworth, but the howse being full of Strangers did not And this depon^t went home the next morning And further sayth not.

The marke of ψ John Gee

Jurat coram me William Evans

The Examinacōn of Elizabeth the wife of Samuell Harris taken before Coll W^m Evans one of his Lordships Justices for the County of S^t Marys the Eight day of January 1660 Sayth That shee did see the Child

Walter Hall Ctk:

The Deposicōn of Margaret Marshguy aged twenty foure yeares or thereabouts sworne and examined the fift day of February Anno domini 1660 Sayth, That she this depon^t being the fellow Servant of Elizabeth Harris the now wife of Samuell Harris whoe came in both Servants into the Province of Maryland sometyme in February in the yeare of our Lord 1646 and were consigned to James Langworth in