

ings Sterling for his the S.^d Comp.^{lts} Costs of Suit to him adjudged and this you are not to Omitt in any wise under the penalty there-upon Ensuing. Wittness our Self at our City of S.^t maries the nine & Twentieth day of may in the nine & thirtieth year of o.^r Dominion over our Said province of Maryland, Annoꝝ Domini one thousand Six hundred Seventy and one Liber C D

Cæcilius &c.^a To the Sheriff of Calvert County Greeting We Command thee that by the Oaths of Twelve honest and Legall men of thy County by whom the truth of the matter may be better known diligently thou Enquire if it be to the damage of us or others issue Grant to Edward Keene of the Same County Gentl ten acres of Land Lying in or near the plantation on w.^{ch} the Said Edward Keene now dwelleth Called Stockley in Hunting Creek in Patuxent River in the Said County on Each Side of the Run of Water there Running Called Hunting Creek aforesaid and on w.^{ch} the Said Edward hath Set a Certain Water mill with Liberty & Licence to take fell Cutt down and Carry away by Land or water any wood or Timber fitt for building of a mill other then Timber fitt for to Splitt into Clapboards upon any the Lands adjoyning to the Said ten acres of Land on Each Side of the Said Creek & if it be to the damage & prejudice of us or others then to what damage & prejudice of us & to what damage & prejudice of others & of whom & how & in what manner & how & of who and of whom the afores.^d tenn acres are holden & by what Service & in what manner & how & of what value they were by the year according to the True value of them before any Improvem.^t made of the s.^d ten acres & who are the present possessors of the S.^d ten acres & who & how many are the Mesnes between us & the p^rsent possessors of the s.^d ten acres & what Lands or Tenements Remain to the p^rsent possesso.^{rs} over the s.^d ten acres and if the Land Remaining to the p^rsent possesso.^{rs} over the s.^d ten acres will Suffice to uphold their manno^r Viz.^t the Sixth p.^t of the manno.^r allotted by y.^e Condiçon of plantaçons for y.^e Demeasne as before y.^e Alienaçon for Building a mill & that y.^e S.^d possessors in Assizes Juries & Recognitions may be put as before y.^e alienaçon to that y.^e Co.^{ty} by y.^e alienaçon af.^d in default of the p^rsent possesso.^{rs} more than was wont be not Charged & Grieved & y.^e Inquisiçon y^reupon openly & distinctly made to us in y.^e Chan.^{ry} und.^r the Seale & the Seales of them by whom it was made w.thout delay then Send Wittness our Self at S.^t maries this 19.th day of Decemb.^r in y.^e 39.th year of our Dominion over our Said province Annoꝝ Domini 1670 (fol. 57)

On the Backside of the foregoing Writt was thus Written I have Caused Inquisition to be made by the Oaths of Twelve Honest and Lawfull men of my County according as by this writt I am Com-manded the further Execution of this Writt appeareth by a Certain Inquisition Indented to this writt annexed p. 49
(fol. 57)

Chr: Rousby Sher