

Liber CD An Inquisition Indented taken at Portobacco in Charles County this 13.th of December in y.^e 40.th year of y^e Dominion of Cæcilius &c.^a before Henry Adams Gent & Thomas Mathews Gent by virtue of a Commission in the nature of a writt of Mandamus to them directed to this Inquisition Annexed to Enquire after the Death of Simon Oversee Late of Charles County deced by the Oath of Edmond Lindsey, John Courts Alexander Smith, Archibald Wahob, John Paine Clement Theobald, James Littlepage Barthe: Coates, Francis Heyden John Alward, John Kimberrow Samuell Eaton which Said Jurors upon their Oaths Say that the S^d Symon Oversee was Seized of his Demeasneas of ffee upon the day of which he dyed which was about the Beginning of ffebruary Anno Domini 1659 of one Thousand acres of Land Lying Scituate and being on the East Side of Portobacco Creek in Charles County aforesaid being the Southermost part of two thousand acres of Land Granted by the Lord Prop.^{ty} of the province of maryland unto Lieuten.^t William Lewis according to his Grant under the Broad Seale of this province bearing date the 26.th day of Octob.^r Anno Domini 1649 as by the Said Grant Recourse being thereunto had doth and may appear and by the s.^d Lieuten^t William Lewis Sold unto Job Chandler and the Said Simon Oversee of which two Simon Oversee was the Survivor w.^{ch} Said Land was holden of his Lpps manno.^r of West S.^t maries in free and Comōn Soccage by ffealty only for all manner of Services yeilding & paying yearly unto the Lord Proprietary forty Shillings Sterling or Twenty Bushells of Good Indian Corne And the afores^d Jurors do further find that the afores^d Simon Oversee at the time of his decease as aforesaid was Seized and Dyed possessed of five hundred and fifty acres of Land called Rotterdam Lying on the East Side of the Eastermost branch of Nancemy Creek And further the Said Jurors Say that the S.^d Simon Oversee at the time of his Death was Seazen in his Demeasne of Six hund.^d acres of Land Called Stoopside whereon John Caine Lived then & doth Still live and that the s.^d Land (as they humbly conceive were held of his Lpps manno.^r of West S.^t maries and by Such Services as was usually Expressed in his Lpps Grants about that time and further the said Jurors do find no heir that the Said Simon Oversee had, And the s.^d Jurors do find further that the thousand acres first mentioned bought of William Lewis is in the possession of Edmond Lindsey by virtue of a Lease from Isaac Allerton who married the Relict of the Said Simon Oversee Granted to him the Said Edmond Lindsey for Twenty one years whereof there is about Eight years Expired out of w.^{ch} Thousand acres there is two hundred acres or thereabouts now in the possession of m.^{rs} Ann fflowke by virtue of a Lease Granted by the Said Edmond Lindsey unto George English late of this County in whose possession it was three years or thereabouts and then Sold by him unto Coll.^o Gerrard fflowke late husband

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