

Liber C D Calvert County ss

An Inquisition Indented taken at s^t Leonard's Creek the 11.th day of Decemb.^r in the 40th year of the Dominion of Cecilius &c^a Annoq^{ue} Dom 1671 before Thomas Sprigg & Richard Perry Gent by virtue of a writt to them directed & hereunto annexed by the Oaths of John Grammer Samuell Sprigg, John Parry John Martin, Francis ffoockes, Edward Armstrong Samuell Graves, Michael Higgin John Norwood Samuell Taylor William Wilkenson and Samuell Styles who upon their Corporall oaths Say that Peter Johnson in the writt named the day that he dyed was Seized in his Demeasne as of ffee of one Tract of Land Lying on the north Side of Putuxent River near a Creek Called S^t Leonards Creek Beginning at a marked oake in the Woods near a hollow Called Johnson's Hollow Bounding on the north with the Hallow and a line drawn East into the Said Creek from the Said Hallow on the East with the Said Creek on the South with the Said Creek on the west with the Land of William Stone Esq.^r Containing by Estimation Two hundred and Sixty acres more or Less the Same Land being held of his Lordship's the Lord prop.^{ty} and his heirs as of the manno.^r of S.^t Maries in free and Common Soccage by ffealty only for all Services being yearly worth above all Reprizes five Shillings two pence half penny farthing Sterling that he the S.^d Peter Johnson dyed about the month of Aprill in the year 1660 and that James Johnson was Brother and heir to the s.^d peter.

(fol. 74)

p. 59
(fol. 74)

Item The Jurors abovenamed further Say that the Said James Johnson in the writt named the day that he dyed was Seized in his Demeasne as of ffee of one Tract of Land Called Island neck Beginning at a marked oake standing by a marsh near the head of a Creek Called the Island Creek on the west Side thereof and Running down the Creek into the Said River for Length Six hundred Eighty and five perches bounding on the South with the Said River for the Length of fifty pches to a Creek Called the Back Creek on the west with the Said Creek for the Length of four hundred and five perches to a marked beech Tree and with a line drawn north and by East from the Said Beech for the for y^e Length of Two hundred & Seventy pches to a marked oake on the north with a line drawn East from the Said Oake into the Island Creek on the East with the Said Creek Containing by Estimation Six hundred acres more or Less the Same Land last mençoned being hold of his said Lpp̄ and his heirs as of their Said manno.^r of S.^t Maries in free & Common Soccage by fealty only for all Services being yearly worth in all issues above Reprizes Twelve Shillings Sterling, and that the Said James Johnson Dyed, about the month of ffebruary in the year 1660 & that y^e Said James Johnson dyed without any Lawfull heir by which means as well the afores.^d Tract of Land late in the possession of Peter Johnson aforesaid as also the afores.^d Tract of

(fol. 75)