

tim hee was Clark of the sd Courtt in entring upon this Record Liber B
 that the sd Read by these depositions should Call himselfe Knaue,
 but the Courtt finding by an order grounded upon the sd Oaths
 that the sd Hynson hath not notouriously Iniured the sd Read, but
 only by neglect of the sd Hynson who hath acknowlged that itt
 was his error & negglect in not fully expressing in the sd oaths that
 these words & th^e s^d South att his owne howse Called the sd Read
 Knaue & sd hee would proue itt w^{ch} was the full truth of the sd Oaths
 as afores^d

8 Moneth 11th 1656

[fol. 10] (*)

This day Robert Martin & Henery Ashley did both of them Ac-
 knowledge in Court, this to bee their act & deed which hereafter
 followeth

Artickles of Agree^{mt} made & held this 11th of Octob^r 1656, be-
 tween Robert Martine on th^e one ptie & Henery Ashley on th^e other
 ptie in manner & forme as followeth; ffirst it is agreed between th^e
 aboue named pties, That wee doe firmly by these p^rsents bynd our
 selues in th^e forfeiture of fve thousand pounds of good tobacc^o &
 Caske to hould & Continne in an equal Copartnership, in all th^e
 stocke of Cattell hoggs & Land, Crops of Tobacc^o & Corne, only
 th^e s^d Robert Martin resseruinge to himyselve three Cowes for my
 three Children, and at the end of th^e sd three yeares, if th^e aboue
 named pties doe Joyntly agree to breack of their Copartnership,
 th^t then there shall bee an equall diuission of their estates, of Cat-
 tell hoggs Land & Cropps, or if otherwise both pties bee agreed,
 their Copartnership may Continue soe longe as th^e agree upon,
 and for th^e true pformance hereof wee th^e aboue named pties haue
 enterchangeably sett o^r hands this 11th day of Octob^r 1656

Wittnes Tho: South	Rob ^t Mar R tain his mark
John D Dabes his mark	Hen: Ashly

Know all men by these p^rsents th^t I Capt Rob^t Vaughan of th^e
 Isle of Kent, haue & doe, acknowledge to haue bartered, sould, &
 made sall of, one broune bull, about three yeares ould, with a swallow
 taill on the Right eare, & underkeeld on th^e left eare, with a barren
 Cow, & a heiffer, off th^e same mark, unto Jn^o Salter, which afforesd
 Chattell, with their Increase, & I th^e afforesd Vaughan doth by these
 p^rsents acknowledge a free & firme salle, by mee, & from my heires
 execut^r Admin^r and Assignes, foreuer, unto th^e sd Salter, his heires,
 execut^r Admin^r, or Assignes foreuer, to haue & to hould, keepe
 possesse & Inioy, peaceably as his owne pp goodes, in wittnes whereof
 I haue hereunto sett my hand this 3th Octob^r 1656

Test Marke Benson	Rob ^t Vaughan
Peter Parker	

* These entries of early date on folios 10-13 are by the hand of Clerk Thomas Hill, whose official service ended in November, 1656.