

vey according to its ancient metes and bounds the more ancient tract in which part of the tract that you are required by the warrant put into your hands to resurvey shall be said to be included, and in your certificate you are to insert the name of such more ancient tract, the name of the patentee thereof, and the time when it was taken up ; after which you are to survey the tract for resurveying which the warrant shall have been granted. This mode of proceeding will enable you to discover certainly whether any, and what part, of the younger tract is included and taken away by the elder survey, and you are always by proper words to denote and distinguish the same in your platt and in your certificate, after alledging that you have surveyed the several tracts separately according to their ancient metes and bounds, beginning with the most ancient and that you have added _____ acres of vacant land (in case any vacancy be added) by virtue of the before mentioned warrant of resurvey : you are then to describe or give the lines of such resurvey, which you are by the warrant directed to make, and for which patent is to be issued ; saying, " Lastly beginning for the out lines of the resurvey by virtue of the before mentioned warrant &c ;" and at the bottom of your certificate you are to give tables of courses, referring by figures to the platt, viz. the courses of the more ancient tract or tracts into which it is alledged that such younger survey to be resurveyed does run ; the courses of the former survey now to be resurveyed ; the courses of the vacancy or vacancies added, and lastly, the courses of the resurvey, or land, for which patent is now to issue ; and when you rectify any error in such former survey now to be resurveyed and patented, you are in your certificate to note and mention *what* the error was, to *what* it was owing, and how you have amended the same ; and where there shall be any surplusage, or deficiency, discovered on a resurvey, you are to mention in your certificate *what* such surplusage or deficiency is, and *how* you apprehend such surplusage or deficiency happened.

10th. You are when ordered to resurvey two or more tracts into one, they being contiguous to each other, *first* to resurvey them severally, according to their respective ancient metes and bounds, and you are to insert in the platt, as well as in your certificate, their original *names*, and *quantity* of acres within their respective lines, and in your certificate say, " lastly beginning for the out lines of the resurvey made by virtue of the before mentioned warrant, &c." and give the courses thereof.

11th. In resurveying any escheat land you are to lay it down according to its ancient metes and bounds : If the party be not satisfied therewith, the land must lie for any other who will take it on those terms.