

of Twenty one years by Benj<sup>a</sup> Woodward of Dorchester County Planter and Mary his Wife Comp<sup>l<sup>ts</sup></sup> ag<sup>t</sup> Tho<sup>s</sup> Hicks of Dorchester County Def<sup>t</sup> be Vacated and that the Comp<sup>l<sup>ts</sup></sup> have a right to Pattents for the Said Land And that the Def<sup>t</sup> do Surrender the Said Pattents into our Land office to be there Vaccated Accordingly. And that the Def<sup>t</sup> do pay unto the Compl<sup>ts</sup> the Sume of Three Thousand Seven hundred and Sixty five pounds of Tobacco Costs accrued by Occasion of the premisses af<sup>d</sup>. Wee being willing that the Decree of our Said Court should be Inviolably Observed Command you Thomas Hicks of Dorchester County that Immediatly after the receipt hereof You duly Comply with the af<sup>d</sup> Decree according to the Tennor and true Intent thereof hereof you are in no wise to faile at your perill Wittness our Self at the City of Annapolis the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of May in the 4<sup>th</sup> year of our Dominion etc. Annoque Dom 1719

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And thereupon afterw<sup>ds</sup> To Witt on the Same thirtieth Day of October Seventeen hundred and Twenty four the Same Court of Appeals here the Said Levin and Thomas Hicks by Joshua George and Daniel Dulany their Councill appeared and thereupon the proceedings in the Said Cause were ordered to be lodged and entered Whereupon the Said Cause is ordered to be Continued untill next Court At which Said Next Court To Witt on the third Tuesday of Feb<sup>ry</sup> being the Sixteenth Day of the Same Month in the Same Court of Appeals here the Said Levin and Thomas Hicks by their Council af<sup>d</sup> appeared and Writt of Scire facias to hear Errors having issued directed to the Sherriff of Dorchester County to Summons Philemon Lecompt and Mary his wife the Daughter and heir to W<sup>m</sup> Seward deced the Son and heir of George Seward to hear the Errors Assigned on the Decree af<sup>d</sup> and no return being made by the Said Sherr thereon Thereupon It was ordered that Scire facias Should be renewed directed to the Sherriff af<sup>d</sup> to Summons the Said Philemon and Mary his Wife to hear the Errors af<sup>d</sup> unless return made this Court of the former Writt of Scire facias. And thereupon the Cause is ordered to be Continued Untill Next Court. At Which Said Next Court To Witt on the third Tuesday of May being the eighteenth [666] Day of the Same Month Anno Dom Seventeen hundred and Twenty five in the Same Court of Appeals the Same Levin and Thomas Hicks appeared by their Council af<sup>d</sup> and the Said Philemon Lecompt and his Wife appeared by Thomas Bordley their Councill. Thereupon it is ordered that the Said Philemon Lecompt and his Wife or their Council give in an Answer plea or Demurrer to the af<sup>d</sup> Appeale from the Decree of the Chancery Court af<sup>d</sup> by Next Court And Thereupon the Cause af<sup>d</sup> Was Continued untill Next Court. At Which Said Next Court to Witt the third Tuesday of October being the Nineteenth Day of the Same Month Anno Dom Seventeen hundred and Twenty five the Said Philemon Lecompt and his Wife by their Council af<sup>d</sup> did give in their Answer to the aforesaid Appeale