

is given to the sherriff of Charles County that he Cause to Come before the Justices of the Provincial Court of Annapolis the Third Tuesday of October Next or before the justices Appointed to take the Assizes in his County if they shall before that Time To Witt on [779] Monday the Twenty sixth Day of September Next to the County Court House in his County Come Twelve Good and Lawfull men of his Bailiwick by whom etc: who neither etc: to Recognize etc: because as well etc: Afterwards the Process Continued between the Parties afs^d on the Plea afs^d by the jury being Put thereon in respect here untill the Third tuesday of October Next unless the Justices of his Lordship the Lord Prop^{ty} to take the Assizes in the said County Assigned on Monday the Twenty Sixth Day of September next to the County Court House in the Said County should Come. At which said third Tuesday of October To Witt the 18th Day of the Same Month Anno Dom: 1726. before his Lordships justices of the Provincial Court at the City of Annapolis Came as well the said Thomas Nelson lessee of the said John Diggs As the said Jn^o Beale by their attorneys afs^d And the Justices of Assize before whom etc: Sent here their Record before them had in these words Viz^t: Afterw^{ds} To Witt the Day and Place above mentioned before Tho^s Addison Esq^r one of his Lordships justices of the Provincial Court of this Province and Phillip Lee Esq^r one other of the Justices of the said Court Assigned to take the assizes in Charles County afs^d According to the form of the Statute etc: Came the within named Tho^s Nelson Lessee of the said Jn^o Diggs by Edmond Jennings his attorney and the said Jn^o Beale by Dan^t Dulany his attorney And the jurors of that jury whereof Mention is above made being Called Likewise Come To Witt Robert Yates, Tho^s Stone Jun^r Jn^o Clarke, W^m Hoskins, Cha^s Musgrave, John Chandler, Tho^s Mathews, Edw^d Ford, John Maddox, Mark Penn, Benj^a Douglas, and Roger Fowkes who being Duely Elected Tried and Sworn to Say the truth in the Premisses Upon their Oath do Say that We of the jury find the following Entry on the Records in the Lord Proprietaries Land office Viz^t May the first 1665 Then Came jerome White Esq^r and Surveyor Gen^l of this Province and Requesteth that the Mannors reserved for his Lordship hereafter mention'd May be Entered on Record as followeth, Viz^t: In the County of St^t Maries reserved the Beaver Damme and Chapticoe In the County of Charles Pangia and Sachia Towns for Six thousand Acres in Each Mannor of the best Land About the Said Towns In Calvert County the Mannor of Patuxent In Ann Arundell County the Ridge With another Mannor reserved lying on the North side of the head of severn River above a place Called the Eagles Nest In Talbott County one Mannor at the head of the South East branch of Chester River lying between the brances of Chop-tank and Chester w^{ch} another Lying between the branches of Choptank and St^t Michaels and the head of [780] Tredhaven Creeks We find that the Lord Baltemore in Consideration of 10000th Tob^a by his Deed hereunto Annexed duely Acknowledged and Recorded bearing Date the tenth Day of March in