

Land Called Blackman and the Bounds thereof being decayed and uncertain your Petitioner prays your Worshipps would be pleased to Grant a Commission to ascertain the Bounds of said Land as any other Bounds on which the same may depend and your Petitioner as in Duty bound Will Pray — Thomas Daskill

Whereupon Came hereinto Court the sd. Petitioner in his Proper Person and thereupon the Petition being Read and heard and fully understood it is Considered by the Court here that a Commission issue to the sd. Thomas Daskill as by the Petition of is Ordained and that Ephraim King, George Gale, George Cook and Alexander Robinson of Somerset County be Commissioners and execute the same Commission According to Act of Assembly in such Case provided &c

To the Worshipfull the Justices of Somerset County Court the Petition of Henry Lewis Esq. sheweth that your Petitioner is possessed of part of a tract of Land called the same Privilege the Bounds of which are uncertain and Obsolete and the Evidence to Prove the same Ancient and before your Petitioner therefore prays that your Worshipps would Grant a Commission and Appoint Commissioners to examine Evidence to perpetuate the Bounds thereof the Bounds of any other Lands on which the same may depend and your Petitioner shall pray —

Whereupon Came hereinto Court the sd. Petitioner in his Proper Person and thereupon the Petition being Read and heard and fully understood it is Considered by the Court here that a Commission issue to the sd. Henry Lewis as by the Petition of is Ordained and that William Hayward, W. Allen, George Gale and Nicholas Evans of Somerset County be Commissioners and execute the same Commission According to Act of Assembly in such Case provided &c

The Jurors for his Lordship the Right Honorable the Lord Proprietor that was is for the County of Somerset County upon their Oath present that William Balle Sheriff of Somerset Parish in the County of Somerset on the Twenty fifth day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Sixty at the Parish of in the County of with force and Arms in and upon a certain Stephen Harding in the peace of God and the said Lord Proprietor then and there being an assault did Maltreat and him the said Stephen then and there did beat Wound and kill by which it was much Disparaged and other harms to him the said Stephen then and there did to the great Damage of the said and Against the Peace of the Right Honorable the Lord Proprietor that was is his good Rule and Government and Safety

Thereupon it is Comanded the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should Take the said William Balle of he should be found in his Parish and him should safe keep so that he might have his Day before the Justice of his Lordships County Court of Somerset to be held at Business Lane from the third Sunday of June Anno Domini thousand seven hundred and Sixty One to answer unto his Lordship as and Concerning the said

At which Day here Came the sd. W. Balle in his Proper Person and had shewing of the said and said that he will not Contend with his Lordship for the saving Costs Salses and Expenses about the Breaches which himself fine with his said Lordship by Occasion of the Breaches and put himself upon the favor of the Court

Whereupon all and Singular the Breaches being seen and by the Court here fully understood it is Considered by the Court here that the sd. William Balle for the Breaches and Offenses in the said and above specified be taken &c. Which said William Balle present herein Court as if injured for the Breaches and Offenses of the sum of Six pence Current Money of Maryland which he paid herein Court to the Sheriff of the County of for the use of his Lordship &c

The Jurors for his Lordship the Right Honorable the Lord Proprietor that was is for the County of Somerset County upon their Oath present that John Turlay Esq. of Somerset Parish in the said County of Somerset on the eighth day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Sixty at the Parish of in the County of Commit Jurisdiction with a certain Margaret Duncan and at that time on the body of her the said Margaret then and there lay to the high displeasure of Almighty God to the full trouble of all others in such Case Offending contrary to the peace of the said Lord Proprietor that was is his good Rule and Government and Against the favor of the Act of Assembly in such Case made and provided and safe &c Thereupon it is Comanded the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should Take the said John Turlay if he should be found in his Parish and him should safe keep so that he might have his Day before the Justice of his Lordships County Court of Somerset to be held at Business Lane from the third Sunday of June Anno Domini