

That he this day heard the said William Furnis the Present Proposer of the same Land had then by his said Grandfather and William Thomson now in Possession of the Land then had by the said Andrew Thomson severally Acknowledge in the Presence and hearing of Cap: Ephraim Wilf and Mess: Levin Wilfson, William Wheatly and Samuel Wilfson that the same tree was the boundary Between them and Concerning the said Boundary this Depoant further saith that But at a marked Red Oak with a stem Notches being between the same Land of the said William Furnis and the Land of Joseph Silman called Amittie Standing on the North Side of Back Creek Branch near the point Between two streams both tending Northerly of the same tree the said James Furnis this Depoant saith that thirty years past or upwards he saw an old Dead Stump <sup>standing</sup> the said Red Oak which James Shawbridge Petitioner and William Furnis told them was the said Boundary of a tract of Land called Amittie and that the same was the Divisionall tree Between the Land of Furnis called Double Purchase and the Land called Amittie and this Depoant further saith that they the said James Shawbridge and Petitioner and William Furnis marked the said Red Oak in the Room of the said Old Dead Stump in the Presence of this Depoant and this Depoant further saith that he hath often seen the said Red Oak since and the same hath always been Acknowledged to be the said Boundary of Amittie and the Division tree as of and further saith not this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July Anno D: 1761 — James Furnis

The Deposition of Aaron Silman of Somerset County Aged fifty four years or there about being Sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God Depoath and saith that about forty years past he saw a marked Oak which he imagined was a boundary but if so he knows not what which tree stood on a Point of Land of the South Side of Back Creek and of the West Side of a Gully spring from the said Creek and running southerly Between the Lands of Levin Wilfson and William Furnis and further saith not this 10<sup>th</sup> May Anno D: 1761 — Aaron L. Silman

The Deposition of James Furnis Aged fifty seven years or thereabout being Sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God saith that about forty years past one James Shawbridge informed him that Mr Ephraim Wilfson made a Resurvey on his Land on the South Side of Back Creek at which time the said Wilfson settled a Post as Divisional Boundary Between his Land and a tract of Land called Fair Spring then in the Possession of the said Shawbridge but now in the Possession of the Present William Furnis and this Depoant further saith that the said Shawbridge informed him that he was Present at the setting of the said Post which as this Depoant was informed was set in the spot where there appeared then to be an Original Boundary and this Depoant further saith that he hath many times seen the said Post standing in a Piece of Marshy Ground about ten feet from the Bank of the South Side of Back Creek below the Wading Place and about thirty five yards to the Westward of a small Gully spring from the said Creek and running southerly Between the Lands of Levin Wilfson and William Furnis and this Depoant further saith that he hath several times since been shewed the said Post by his Brother William Furnis who told him it was the Beginning Boundary of the said William Furnis's Land called Fair Spring and further saith not this 10<sup>th</sup> of May Anno D: 1761 — James Furnis

The Deposition of William Bell of Somerset Aged thirty years or thereabout being Sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God saith that about November Last he was employed by Mr Samuel Wilfson to make a Resurvey on a tract of Land called Double Purchase and being Ordered by the said Wilfson to set a Course to Strike a track of the South Side of Back Creek supposing the same to be a Boundary of a tract of Land called Fair Spring the Land of William Furnis the Deceased by Jane Holland and when this Depoant came to the said track he was met by the said Jane Holland who told this Depoant he was Wrong and shewed him another track at a small Distance and told him that the same was a Boundary of the Land he Lived on which is a large spreading Branch standing on the very Edge of the Bank

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