& Jamie Johnson late of Calvert County aforesaid deceased, by wch Commission
Amongst other things it was found, that the said Jamie Johnson in his Lordsp^s said
Commission named the day that hee dyed was seized in his Demesne as of fee of
One Tract of land Called Island neck. Beginning att a marked oake standing by a
Marsh neare the head of a Creeke Called Island Creeke, on the west side thereof
and Running Downe the Creeke into the River for Length six hundred eighty five perches
Bounding on the south with the said River for the length fifty perches to a Creeke
Called the back Creeke, on the west with the said Creeke for the Length of foure
hundred and five perches to a marked birtlbree, And with a Line drawne north & by
East from the said birtlbree for the Length of two hundred & fifty perches to a
marked oake, on the northwest a Line drawne east of the said oake into the said Island
Creeke, on the east with the said Creeke Containing by Estimation six hundred Acres
more or less, the same being held of his Lordsp and his heires as of the Lordsp Manor
of St Mary's in free and Common soccage by fealty onely for all Services being then yearly
worth in all Issues above Reprizes Twelve pounds sterling, and that the said Jamie
Johnson dyed about the month of February wch was in the yeare of our Lord god 1663
and that the said Jamie Johnson dyed without any Lawfull heire By wch mean
aforesaid the aforesaid Tract of Land Called Island neck in the possession of the said Jamie att
the time of his death as all other the Lands of the said Jamie wth in his Lordsp^s Province
of Right Escheate unto his Lordsp as Absolute Lord and Prop^ty of his Lordsp Said
Province of Maryland, And by the said Commission it was further found that the said
William Dorrington hathever since the death of the said Jamie Johnson and then dee hold
the said Tract of Land in his Lordsp^s Right as it appeared by the said Inquisition
Remaining upon Record in his Lordsp^s Secretary's office in his Lordsp^s Province of
Maryland, And whereas his Lordsp by his Deed of Grant Under his greate
Seale ufed in the said Province for granting of Lands there bearing date at St Mary's
the five and Twentieth day of October in the one and fortieth yeare of his Lordsp^s
Dominion over the said Province of Maryland Did for the Consideration of six
thousand pounds of Tobacco to the hands of his Lordsp Deare Sonne Charles Calvert
Esq his Lordsp Capt gen and Chiefe Governor and Receiver gen of his Lordsp
Province of Maryland to his Lordsp use by the said William Dorrington by the
name of William Dorrington of the County of Dorchester in his Lordsp Province of
Maryland Planter Vile and faithfully paid, Of his Lordsp^s speciall grace Certaine
Knowledge and meere motion, gave grant and confirme unto the said Wm Dorrington
his heires and assigns for ever All that tract parcell or Dividend of Land Called
Island neck situate Lying and being in his Lordsp said County of Calvert &
Beginning att a marked oake standing by a marsh neare the head of a Creeke called
Island Creeke on the west side thereof and running Downe the Creeke for Length six hundred
Eighty and five perches bounding on the south with the said River for the Length of
fifty perches to a Creeke Called the Back Creeke, on the west with the said Creeke
for the Length of foure hundred and five perches to a marked birtlbree, and with a
Line drawne north and by east from the said birtlbree for the Length of two hundred &
fifty perches to a marked oake on the northe wth a Line Drawne east from the
said oake into the Island Creeke, on the east with the said Creeke Containing six hundred
Acres more or less Together with all and singular the appurtenances in the said Rectes
Inquisition mentioned and to his Lordsp hands then came by Escheate by the death
of the said Jamie Johnson in the said Inquisition named for want of heires of him the
said Jamie Johnson According to the meete and bounds before specified To have &
to hold the said six hundred Acres of Land Called Island neck with all & every
the appurtenances before mentioned and specified According to the meete and bounds

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