

Do you know the now known path or Road of Potuxent River and how long have you known the same to be called and made a path or Road and whether the same was not formerly first the patenting of the said Harrovy's Manor from the Reservation Manor to a place lying in St Marys County called the Horn Ine near the halfway house at the charge of the hon<sup>ble</sup> William Stone then Governor of Maryland and how the same came to be called Phoenix by path.

5<sup>th</sup> July

Do you know or have you heard where the first bounded Tract of the said Harrovy's Land stood and whether you have not heard that the same stood at the head of St Lawrence's Creek and how you came to know and hear the same?

6<sup>th</sup> July

Do you know or have you heard where the ancient Potuxent Road was before the now Road or path was made and whether the same did not go over the head of Park River and St Lawrence's Creek as near as possible they could go?

7<sup>th</sup> July

Do you know the name of the said Samuel Watkins called the Pipe in Labret County and how the head line of the said Land runs and whether the said Land or any part thereof is within St Josephs Manor to your knowledge and how you know the same to be?

8<sup>th</sup> July

Do you know St Nicholas his Creek in Park River and what part of the River runs it from and how you came to know the same?

By Vertue of a Commission to us Thomas Tinker John Pigger & Francis Freeman directed from the high Court of Chancery bearing Date the 26<sup>th</sup> of July 1694 for the Examination of Jurk witnesses as should be produced for and on behalf of Samuel Watkins of Labret County Gent concerning a Tract of Land lying in Labret County aforesaid called the Pipe upon certain Interrogatories to wit as followeth.

In obedience to which Commission we have met at the house of Richard Keene in Labret Town this day to wit the 17<sup>th</sup> of September 1694

John D Small of Labret County planter aged Thirty five years or thereabouts being sworn and examined Saith.

1<sup>st</sup> July

To the first Interrogatory That he did not know Nicholas Harrovy but the Tract of Land whereon he lived he knew and by the Relation of old Mr Hopwell and old Mr Richard Keene and Mr Francis Parkwith and his own Mother and other of the Neighbourhood that the head line of the said Land did run with the known path of Potuxent which path did run over the head of St Lawrence's Creek and the bound upon the River was from the mouth of St Lawrence's Creek to the mouth of St Nicholas his Creek

2<sup>d</sup> July

As to the second Interrogatory he can say no more than what he hath said above.

3<sup>d</sup> July

As to the third he saith not.

4<sup>th</sup> July

As to the fourth he saith that he has known the now Potuxent Road this twenty seven years called by the name of Phoenix path and the Road to St Marys.

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