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at the said Marriage and no other person except as above mentioned to the best of this  
Deponent's knowledge the said Stead Lowe and Letitia have since their Marriage  
(to the day of his Deposition) been always despised and repudiated by their Acquaintance and  
Friends to be Man and Wife that the said Stead Lowe always acknowledged the same  
as this. Deponent verily believes and that he never heard of any Person in this Province  
who entertained the least Doubt thereof. This Deponent further declares that he knew  
the said Stead Lowe in England and all his Family that he was the Brother of the  
said John Lowe as above mentioned and that the said Stead Lowe came into this Province  
of Maryland with this Deponent in the Year of our Lord 1747 and lastly this Deponent  
declares that the said Stead Lowe left one Child only by the said Letitia being a Son who  
was baptized by the Name of Stead by the Rev'd Mr. Henry Addison. The Child is now in  
this deponent's sixth year and at present lives with this said Deponent and further saith not.

Recorded the 25 May 1767

H. Hanks

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This Indenture made this second Day of April in the Year of our Lord One Thousand  
Seven hundred and Sixty seven Between John West of Baltimore County in the Province of Maryland  
Plautor of the one Part and Benjamin Rumsby of Cecil County in the Province aforesaid of  
the other part Witnesseth that the said John West covenants and agrees to and with the said  
Benjamin Rumsby to dock barn and cut off all Estates Tail and Remainders in Tail of  
and in all that One Hundred and Thirty Acres of Plantable Land Situate lying and being in  
Baltimore County in the Province aforesaid being part of a Tract of Land called Maidens Mount  
and contained within the lines following Beginning at the bounded Boreel of a Tract of  
Land called Maidens Mount and running up the said Branch to a bounded Oak being the  
Second Tree of a Tract of Land formerly called Paradise but now waste addition thereto running  
from the said Tree south west by South Sixty perches then North Sixty Degrees west two  
hundred Perches then with a straight line to the end of the North fifty five degrees west  
Sixty Perches Course then with the rest of the lines to the first tree and it is further  
covenanted concluded and agreed by and between all the Parties to these Presents for themselves  
and their and every of their heirs by these Presents in manner following that is to say that  
the said John West shall and will before the End of May Term next coming permit  
and suffer the said Benjamin Rumsby to sue forth and prosecute against him the said John West  
one Writ of Entry or Dispossession into post returnable before the Justice of the Provincial Court  
at Annapolis thereby demanding the said Tenements with the Appurtenances herein before  
mentioned by such Name and names Numbers of Acres Quantities <sup>Englishties</sup> Terms and Descriptions  
in said Writ to be contained and in such Manner and Form as by Law shall be made  
Law shall be advised unto and upon which said Writ of Entry to be prosecuted and  
sued forth the said John West shall appear gratis and vouch to warranty the common  
Vouchers who shall appear and impanel and afterwards make default and depart in  
Contempt of the Court so that Judgment may be thereupon had and given for the said  
Benjamin Rumsby to recover his said Tenements with the Appurtenances against the

J. J.