

299.) found, together with y^e Commission Certified under our hands
This 20th day of July 1695
John Thompson
Edw Jones.

George Oldfield of Cecil County aged 46 years or thereabout depos.
oth as follth (viz^t)

That some time about 4 or 5 years last past to y^e best of this Depo.
-ment's remembrance one Thomas Henson of y^e County came
to y^e house of this Depo^t in Elk River & did request him as a
Neighbour to go with him to Mr Hyland another Neighbour
to him this Depo^t who accordingly did & further requested
this Depo^t & y^e Mr Hyland to go with y^e Henson to the
house of Mr Wm Davo to tender Mr Wm Davo several bills w^{ch} he had
due to him in Baltimore County in pt pay of a piece of land w^{ch}
y^e Henson had, as he said, purchased of y^e said Mr Davo w^{ch} accord-
-ingly this Depo^t & y^e Hyland went with him to y^e Mr Davo's
house. There y^e Henson did then & there tender to y^e Mr Davo
several bills w^{ch} were due to him in Baltimore County (y^e Henson
to pay) a bill of 500^l w^{ch} he had of Mr Miles Gibbon. Another of Mr
James Hensell of 500^l w^{ch} he had of Mr John Waller of 500^l
lot & another of Mr Tho^s Hogg of 500^l w^{ch} he had in pt pay of y^e
land. Upon w^{ch} Mr Davo replied y^e he would not give himself
y^e trouble to go & receive it. but if y^e Henson would receive
it & get it in hand y^e Henson would take it but not other-
-wise. And y^e Mr Davo further said y^e he was not then in great
haste for y^e lot for if y^e Henson would make it upon y^e land
good lot he would take it. And this Depo^t further said y^e there
was at y^e house of y^e Davo at y^e same time one John Sequens
who was indebted to y^e Henson y^e sum of 500^l & had pt of tobacco
y^e Mr Davo did then & there offer to pay to y^e Henson
y^e tobacco. And thereupon y^e Henson did discharge y^e said
Sequens. And this Depo^t further said y^e y^e Henson at y^e time
& place afo^{re} did further acc^t with y^e Mr Davo for work done by
him y^e Henson for y^e Davo in making of Wares. but
how much it was this Depo^t cannot remember. And further
said y^e some time afterwards this Depo^t was in company with
Coll Horner & y^e Mr Davo together with several others
y^e house of one Tho^s Hensell then living in Salisbury w^{ch}
he did hear y^e Coll Horner offer to y^e Mr Davo full pay
& satisfaction for y^e above mentioned lands. And further said
not Geo Oldfield. Sworn before us y^e 22nd June 1695

John Thompson
Edw Jones

Interrogatories proposed to Mr George Oldfield upon Oath (at
Request of Mr Wm Davo y^e Depo^t) this 22nd June 1695
Whether Coll Horner did then show any ready tobacco

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