

Salbol #1

By virtue of ye inclosed Commission to us directed from ye high Court
of Chancery of this province of Maryland & in Obedience to ye Command
thereof after Notice given to all parties concerned or relating to said
Tract or Tenement of Land called Hyals Point Cont 400 Acres of
Land look ye Depositions of John Hollingsworth George Colleson and
Thomas Mason, well and answered heretofore & have bounded a white
Oak about four yards distance from ye place where ye Evidence
made Oak ye former tree stood And ye with 12 Notches & likewise
bounded a Pine with twelve Notches in ye Room of ye other Pine
ye Pine being ye second bounded tree by them related having fair
Notches yet to be seen, ye 2d tree well and ordered in ye Room of ye
first about 18 yards back by Amosy Gully In witness whereof
We have hereunto set our hands this eighth day of March Anno
Domini 1696,

James Murphy (Seal)
Hugh Sherwood (Seal)

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The Deposition of John Hollingsworth of ye County aforesaid
being sworn on ye holy Evangelists did before us testify & say
ye about 30 years ago lived opposite against ye first bounded tree
of a tract of Land called by ye name of Hyals Point, Cont
400 Acres as it was so then reputed by ye Inhabitants & further
more faith ye ye Land he then lived on began at ye end of
Hyals point with occasioned him to take ye more Notice of ye said
Likewise he declared also ye bounded Pine for ye second bounded
tree was always reputed ye second bounded tree. And further ye
went faith not. Decemb^r ye 5th 1696/

The Deposition of George Colleson son of Salbol County
being examined & sworn before us on ye holy Evangelists
declare upon ye same ye about 20 years ago living at Cap^t Mills
deposed he did at certain times for a certain tree of brand
about ye place where ye aforesaid Hollingsworth showed us where ye
former bounded tree stood as he himself had showed us that & he
say with some Notches on it but ye he could not tell where it was
a bounded tree or no only ye he heard Henry Clay say ye Cap^t
did formerly own a Land from ye end south in expec^t
tion of taking up Land, that ye Clay pretended Right
& further ye Deposition faith not

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