

To the Queens Most Excellent Majesty  
in her Majestys high Court of Chancery

Maryland, &c.

We humbly certify that by Virtue of the within Commission we have caused to come before us at Oxford in the County of Talbot, William Willowby, Mary Lampor, and John Ryan, and having Examined them severally Concerning the premises within Comanded on the Holy Evangelist we doe herewith send the Substance of their severall Certificates in writing under our hands and Seals as by the Commission we are Comanded Dated at the Towne and Port of Oxford the 3 day of May in the thirte years of the reign of her Majesty Anne of Domini 1710

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John Bullen

Depositions taken on the behalfe of William Southis —

William Willowby of Dorchester County <sup>Plaintiff</sup> ~~Defendant~~ aged ab: Eighty six years that about thirty four years since he heard a certaine John Garnish of Saint Marys County say that a certaine Jane Garnish (now Compt. by the name of Jane Southis) was his Brother Williams Child, & further saith that one Smith Master of a Bermudas Hoop coming Oxford with salt and drinking a pint of Burnt rum with this Depont at the house of Catherine Catterton widdeow in Oxford (the house and Lot being now in the Possession of M<sup>r</sup> Robert Grundy) the said Smith being a Boy called Henry Moon, said here is a brave Estate, who will be heire of the same if the Boy y<sup>r</sup> Daughters son should dye M<sup>r</sup> Catterton replied that her Brother Child who was then in the Country (and named Jane Garnish) would be heire for she was the right heire to it after his deathe, the said Catterton hearing now her selfe this Communication was at Oxford about Twelve or Thirteen years agoe

May 3: 1710

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