

George Haddaways Depositions about Miles End and Wobloy

Maryland Talbot County

By Virtue of a Commission from the high Court of Chancery for this Province of Maryland to me directed bearing Date the Eighth day of this Instant Year in the Tenth Year of her Majesty's Reign Anno Domini 1711. To whom it may (concerns) I Certify that I have this day caused to appear before me upon the Tracts of Land mentioned in the said Commission called Wobloy and Miles End, Francis Bullock Emmon Williams John Henry Robert Smith Charles Bridges John Cogger & George Haddaway Senr. being persons nominated to me as Evidences to prove the bounds of the said Lands and have taken their Depositions relating therunto & therewith Returned them and I do further Certify that for the better ascertaining the bound of the said Lands to posterity: In the presence of the aforesaid Evidences, I did cause a Locust post to be sett up and marked with Twelve Notches about Ten Yards from the Bay Side at the place where the Evidences did declare the beginning bounded Tree of Wobloy being an Ash did Stand, and at the place where the Cedar Tree did Stand which was supposed to be marked instead of the second bounded Tree of the aforesaid Land called Wobloy; I have caused a White Oak Tree standing very near the place where the Cedar stood to be marked with Twelve Notches and at the place where the Gum Tree did Stand which was supposed to be in the East Line of the aforesaid Land called Miles End and serves as a direction to find the second bounded Tree thereof. I have likewise caused a Locust post marked with Twelve Notches to be sett up but for as much as the ^{place where it} second bounded Tree of Miles End did Stand remains very uncertain I have left it without any other notification than the Landing place mentioned in the said Depositions and other Circumstances relating thereto Given under my hand this 20th day of September in the Tenth Year of her Majesty's Reign Anno Domini 1711.

M. J. Wobloy

Talbot
Francis Bullock of Talbot County planter Aged about Seventy & three years Concerning the bounds of a Tract of Land called Wobloy. Saith that some years agoe (but cannot tell how many) Ralph Fishburne desired him the Dependent together with Emmon Williams to go with him to the Bay Side to see the first bound Tree of aforesaid Tract