

On the day and date aforesaid Mr. Livin Denwood Senr. Came before us the Subscribers and Solemnly did attest and affirm being what Passer as an oath by the people called Quakers he being one that upon a Resurvey which was made about forty five years agoe by George Johnson who at that time was the Surveyor of Somerset County that an Old Black Gum tree which he was then a Child the top blown off which stands about forty paces from the Edge of Bank by a Marsh Side which is opposite to Mr. Randolph Drowles Brick house which visibly appear to have four fair notches upon the North Side of the Said Tree and four on the South Side the East and West Sides of the Said Tree being decayed that the notches could not be so easily perceived. That the Said Tree which the Said Tract of Land called Wolford containing Seven hundred Acres belonging to Mr. Roger Wolford lying on the North Side of Monocan in Somerset County aforesaid was Decided to be the Tree that Divided the aforesaid Tract of Land from the Land of Mr. William Bosman Senr. and Mr. John Bosman Senr. being present at the Said Tree at the time Mr. Livin Denwood Senr. gave his Evidence, Said he Claimed no Land above the Said Tree and Mr. Roger Wolford being likewise present Said he Claimed no Land below the Said Tree, and the better to ascertain to posterity where the Said Tree stood; In the presence of Mr. Roger Wolford and Mr. John Bosman we caused a Sapling Hickory to be marked with four notches on the North Side and four on the South which stands about four upon the North Side of the Said black Gum.

To the Truth of what is above written we do here by Set our hands and affix our Seals the day and year above mentioned.

Sam^l Worthington
Ju^r. Jones

Cap. John Maryland By Virtue of a Commission out of the high Court of Chancery to us directed Dated the 16th day of July Anno Domini 1712 to examine Evidence touching the bounds of a certain Tract of Land lying in Dorchester County containing Six hundred and fifty Acres called Towne nook. We do therefore humbly certifye that this day to witt the Tenth day of Decemb^r Anno Domini 1712 personally appeared before us Henry Hooper

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