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adlegate in the said County, or that he be retained as adwant to the said Ordinary Keeper, nor shall Enter-  
tain any other person whatsoever that shall be noted to you as a common tippler by the Justices of the County  
Court, and Likewise pay unto the honourable Chisemon Lloyd Esq. of the sum of five hundred pound of  
tobacco yearly for Licence money forever for you keep Ordinary and in Every respect Comply with the act  
of assembly Entitled an act for Regulating of Ordinaries &c.

John Dennis Ind. } Somerset County p. To the Worshipful Justices of Somerset County - Now in Court Sitting  
Esq. } the humble Petition of John Dennis Ind. - Humbly Sheweth to your Worships

That Whereas your petitioner has for some time sold Liquors at the Court house in Somerset  
County to the Use of those that should call for the same, Humbly prays your worships to grant your petitioner  
Licence for the Keeping an Ordinary or publick house at the place aforesaid and in duty Bound your petitioner  
will Ever pray John Dennis Ind.

The Petition aforesaid being read & heard and fully understood It is considered by the Justices  
that the aforesaid Petition be granted as prayed the aforesaid John Dennis Ind. giving Security according to Law &c.

Whereupon the said John Dennis Ind. together with John Dennis Ind. and Adam Heath of said  
County Gentlemen his Security all present here in Court in their proper persons acknowledged themselves to -  
Owe and stand fully indebted unto his Lordship the right honourable the Lord proprietary of the province  
of Maryland his heirs and assigns Successors in the sum of twenty pound. Sterd. jointly & severally to be  
Levied on their Body, goods and Chattels Land, or tenements for the Use of his said Lordship his heirs &  
Successors. In Case the said John Dennis Ind. Entertain any freeman, or Loof person in his house above  
twenty four hours (Count times Excepted) unless such person be capable to give his Vote for adlegate in this  
County, or that he be retained as adwant to you, nor shall you Entertain any other person whatsoever, that  
shall be noted to you as a common Tippler by the Justices of the County Court, and Likewise pay unto the honora-  
ble Chisemon Lloyd Esq. the sum of five hundred pound of tobacco for Licence Every Year that he shall  
Keep Ordinary, and in Every respect Comply with the act of assembly Entitled an act for Regulating Ord-  
inaries &c.

John Gundry } To the worshipful Justices of the Peace now in Court Sitting the petition of John Gundry  
Esq. } Sheweth that your petitioner hath a piece of Land called Middle Ridge being taken up along  
time since and the Boundaries in some Measure out of Remembrance therefore prays your worships  
will Grant a commission to some convenient Gentlemen to Examine Evidence on the said Boundaries according  
to act of assembly in such Cases provided and as in duty Bound shall pray John Gundry

The petition aforesaid being read heard and fully understood It is considered & ordered by the Justices that  
a commission Issue to William Clunier, Isaac Morrey, Japhery Long and Thomas Williams all of said  
County Gentl. and that any three or two of them meet on the aforesaid Land and take the depositions of what Eviden-  
ces shall be to them Produced, and the same reduce into Writing, and return them to us with all convenient  
Speed &c.