

March Court — 1724 — 1661

By the said J<sup>r</sup> J<sup>r</sup> to a small Red Oak Block Down & Marked with Notches within a few  
Hearts & said Edmund Crappers House where he now Liveth & said Alexander Benning by  
the Subscribers Examined again on his Oath what he knew in Relation to & Marking  
of the said Red Oak Sayeth that he Left them when he feared & shamed as aforesaid before they came  
to that place but remembers that before he Left carrying & shamed that they Marked Shrivory  
for a Line tree, & said William Furvell One of the defendants aforesaid Benning present in person  
deposed before said J<sup>r</sup> J<sup>r</sup> & Crapper that at ~~the~~ <sup>some</sup> time said Land (called Mayfield) was Surveyed  
By the said William White that said Land adjoining to Mayfield now possessed by the said Crapper  
was then in his possession the said J<sup>r</sup> J<sup>r</sup> & Crapper being demised. ~~that~~ <sup>that</sup> the ~~land~~ <sup>land</sup>  
through & Indigations of said J<sup>r</sup> J<sup>r</sup> consented to Mark said Red Oak for a ~~last~~ <sup>last</sup> Boundary  
of Mayfield & said Red Oak Block Down as aforesaid Benning near ten paces long west of a  
Large dead white Oak bending Eastward & about a Quarter of a Mile to South  
west from an Orchard (said to be <sup>to be</sup> planted by the said William Furvell) & a plot of ground  
under our hands this fourth day of May in the Eighth year of his Lordships dominion  
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Robert Martin  
Adam Spencer

Joy Hobbs:

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Joy Hobbs appears according to his Recognizance Entered into before Capt.  
John Jones and William Sloughton Esq<sup>r</sup> two of his Lordships Justices of the  
Peace for Somerset County, and prays that his appearance may be recorded to save  
himself and Security from the same Recognizance of Bail Entered into for his appearance this  
Court &c. Whereupon the said Joy Hobbs appearance is Recorded and he accordingly discharged

Thereupon It is Ordered by the Court that the said Joy Hobbs give New Recognizance for  
his good behaviour and appearance at next Court &c. Thereupon the said Joy Hobbs present here  
in Court acknowledged himself to owe and stand Justly Indebted unto his Lordship the Lord propri-  
etary his heirs and Successors in the Sum of ten pounds Ster<sup>l</sup> to be Levied on his Body goods  
or Chattels Lands or Tenements for the Use of his said Lordship in case the said Joy Hobbs do not  
make his personal appearance before the Justices of our County Court to be held at Dividing Creek  
the third Tuesday of June next to answer unto his Lordship concerning all such matters and things  
as shall be then and there objected against him on his Lordships behalfs and to stand & abide  
the Judgment of the Court thereupon and not to depart the Court without Licence thereof and in the  
mean time to be of good behaviour to all his Lordships Loyal People &c. especially the peo-  
ple called the Indians &c.

Thomas Wilson

Pet<sup>r</sup>

To the worshipful Justices of Somerset County now sitting the humble petition  
of Thomas Wilson of Nantuxke aged about One hundred & ten years sheweth  
that your petitioner about two months agoe had his house burnt and all he had in the  
world... and it being a burthen to pay taxes pray it may be considered by the Court that I may be  
tax free and as in duty Bound shall Ever pray - Thomas Wilson  
the petition aforesaid being read & heard and the premises considered. It is Ordered by the Court that