

March Court -- ann^o 1728 -- 151
Lord Proprietary that is to say the said Patrick Malalley in one hundred pounds sterl and
the said Robert Collier and Geo. Benston in fifty pounds sterl each on their goods and
chattel lands and tenements severally to be made and levied for the use of his
said Lordship his heirs and Successors if Default be made in the Condition hereunder
written --

The Condition of the above Recognizance is such that if the
above bound Patrick Malalley do and shall make his personall appearance before his
said Lordships Justices of a peace, nisi prius, by or and for him, and Goal Deliver, at dividing
^{in the County of} ~~the~~ the first Tuesday of April next then and there to answer unto all such matters and
things as on his said Lordships behalf shall be objected against him, and do stand and abide
the Judgment of the Court thereon, and do not depart the same Court without Licence thereof
and in the mean time to be of the good behaviour, and well and up rightly behave himself
to wards his said Lordship, and all his good People, then this Recognizance to be void and
of none Effect otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law --

Daniel Hull }
Commission and affidavit }
Soudsett: Charles absolute Lord Proprietary of the provinces of Maryland
and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To Robert King Ephraim Wilson
John Trehearn & Boaz Walston all of Soudsett Co^{ty} Gent Greeting Know ye
that we have appointed you or any three or two of you to be our Commissioners to
Examine Evidences on Behalf of a certain Daniel Hull of the Co^{ty} of Soudsett in relation to the
Bounds of a tract of Land lying in the Co^{ty} of Soudsett called Long Ridge We Therefore require
you or any three or two of you at some time & place as to you or any three or two of you shall
seem convenient you meet on wth said Land called Long Ridge (you first having taken your
Oath on the Holy Evangelist of almighty God according to act of assembly in such case made &
provided) & there cause to come before you or any three or two of you all such Evidences as
shall be to you or any three or two of you Nominated by wth said Complainant (or Deft if any) & let
you Examine them upon their Oaths to be by you or any three or two of you administered
on wth Holy Evangelist of almighty God in wth presents of wth Complainant (or Deft if any)
touching wth truth or remembrances of their Knowledge or any thing that may relate to wth
cause afo^{re} & wth reducing the severall Depositions into writing you send wth same together
with this our Commission under your or any three or two of your hands to us to our R^{ty} of
Soudsett with all convenient speed Witness said Hopkins Gent Chief Justice &c

The Deposition of John Silman aged thirty eight years being sworn on wth Holy Evangelist of
almighty God Sayeth that about nine years agoe he saw a marked white Oak standing in wth same
place much about wth place where William Catling gave his Deposition of a marked white Oak further
saith not -- Taken this second day of September 1728: By virtue of a Commission
to us Directed from Soudsett County Court the above Deposition was taken before us
this Deposition was taken at wth request of Daniel Hull } Ephraim Wilson
Boaz Walston
John Trehearn