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other bounder between Bear point tract of Land and the Land called Custers trouble but that same Gun from the first  
bounder and further I aith not — — — — —

Confort <sup>for</sup> ~~make~~ Burton

Somerset County Esq: By virtue of a Commission from the Worshipfull the Justices of Somerset County Court to us  
directed we certifie that at the day and times in the within depositions mentioned having first qualified our selves and  
Given due notice according to act of assembly we took the depositions and Examinations as well on the behalfe of Isaac  
Coster as of John Harris in their presence concerning the Line of Marked trees in the said Commissiōn mentioned  
as by the said Commission we are commanded in witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and Seals this 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of Nov: 1781. — — — — —

Francis Allen <sup>Seal</sup>  
William Hardy <sup>Seal</sup>

Lewis Jones Esq: } Somerset Esq: Chrestes absolute Lord and Proprietor of the province of Maryland and  
and affidavits --- } Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore Mr: So William Houghton, Thomas Dashiel, Robert Jones  
and John Elrey of Somerset County Gentlemen Greeting Know ye that we have appoint-  
ed you or any three or two of you to be our Commissioners to examine Evidence on behalfe of a certain Lewis Jones  
of this County aforesaid in Relation to the bounds of a tract of Land lying in the County aforesaid called Ellists Choice —  
we do --- require you or any three or two of you, at sometime and place as to you or any three or two of you shall  
be most convenient you meet on the aforesaid Land called Ellists Choice [you first having taken your Oaths on the holy  
Evangelist of Almighty God according to act of assembly in such case made and provided] and have cause to come before  
you or any three or two of you all such Evidence as shall be to you or any three or two of you nominated by the  
said Complainant or Defendant if any and that you or any three or two of you nominate  
them upon their corporall oaths to be by you or any three or two of you Administered  
on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God in the presence of the Complainant  
(or Def: if any) touching the truth or remembrance of their knowledge or  
anything that may relate to the cause aforesaid and that Reducing  
the severall Depositions into Writing you send the same together with  
this our Commission under your or any three or two of your hands to us to our  
County Court of Somerset with all convenient speed Willness William — — — — —  
Plamer Gent: One of our Justices of our said Court the twenty fourth Day  
of November In the Sixteenth Year of our Dominion & anno Domini: 1781  
one thousand Seven hundred and thirty — — — — —  
And afterwards the same Commission was returned to the Court with  
the following Endorsement and Likewise to the same Commission it  
was annexed — — — — —  
April 29<sup>th</sup> 1781 Then Thomas Dashiel Robert Jones and John Elrey  
came before me the subscriber one of the Lord Proprietary's Justices  
of the peace for the County of Somerset and took their oaths on the  
Holy Evangelist of Almighty God to execute the within Commission  
justly truly and impartially according to the best of their knowledge  
Test: Willm Houghton