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John Sworne as affid saith that he has often marked Beach which Stood
Near the place where the Sassevis Stake afford now stands and that he believes -
not above ten foot from the same pott which he has been told was one of the Bounder
Tress of the Land afford called Oliver's Portion -

Archibald Deal aged forty three years being sworn as affid saith that Within ten or twelve
feet of the Sassevis Stake afford there stood a marked Beach which as he was told -
by Margot Scalford and Hugh Trigle Senr. was the Second Bounder of the Land -
called Oliver's Portion and at the Request of the aforesaid Margot Scalford he the
said Deal New Marked Two sides of the Beach and further saith Not -

Thomas Gray aged Twenty two years being by us sworn as affid saith that about
forty foot to the Eastward of the aforesaid Sassevis Stake stood a Beach Stump which
he was told when he was a boy, but cannot remember by whom it was the Second
Bounder of the aforesaid Land called Oliver's Portion but saw no marks theron and further
saith not - Depositions of witness taken upon the Land aforesaid called Oliver's -
Portion by us the Subscribers being first duly Qualified according to Law this 12
Day of April 1733

Wm Land
F Donaldson

Somerset County Esq. I do hereby certify that on the fifth day of December anno 1732 came John
Shiles and was qualified Constable of Maitland hundred by taking of the several Oaths to his Government
and making and subscribing the declaration before me .. James Deshick -

Hutton Hill Commission Somerset Esq Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the provinces of Maryland
and appendants. -- And an alon Lord Baron of Baltimore Esq To James Martin William Lane Edmund Lough
and Edward Rownd all of Somerset County have greeting Know ye that we have appointed
you or any three or two of you to be our Commissioners to examine Evidence on behalfe of a certain
Hutton Hill of the County aforesaid in Relation to the bounds of tract of Land called Bear Stable lying in Somer-
set County we therefore require you or any three or two of you at Somers Hill and place as to you, or any three
or two of you where seem convenient you meet on the aforesaid Land called Bearstable (you first having taken
your Oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God according to act of assembly in such case made and pro-
vided) and there 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 deft if any and that you or any three or
two of you examine them upon their corporate 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 deft if any touching the truth
or remembrance of their knowledge or any thing that may relate to the cause aforesaid and that reducing
the several depositions into writing you send the same together with this our Commission under your