

Thomas Dashiell Comissioner
and affidavits Rendred at
the request of Christopher Nutter.

Thomas Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Province
of Maryland and avolon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To Lewis
Gale, John Mullett, Geo: Scott & Thomas Humphrys all of
Somerset county Gent^{ms} Greeting, know ye that we have appointed

you or any three or two of you to be our comissioners to Examine Evidences
on behalfe of a certain Thomas Dashiell of the county afo in relation to the
bounds of part of a tract of Land Lying in the county afo Called Gethsemani
we therefore Require you or any three or two of you at some time and place as
to you or any three or two of you shall seem convenient you meet on the said Land
Called Gethsemani 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
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 the said complainent or
Deff^t if any and that you or any three or two of you Examine them upon those
corporall oaths to be by you or any three or two of you Administred on the holy
evangelist of almighty God in the presents of the said complainent or Deff^t if
any touching the truth or Remembrance of their knowledge or any thing that
may relate to the cause afo and that reducing the severall Deposition into
writing you send the same together with this our comission under your or
any three or two of your hands to us to our county court of Somerset with all
convenient speed Will test Jam^s Hopkins Gent^{ms} chief Justice of our said court
the Nineteenth day of march in the tenth year of our Dominion &c. Anno Domini
one thousand Seven hundred and twenty five

June the fiftenth day and Dow One thousand Seven hundred and thirty One here Duto Court George Scott and
Thomas Humphrys two of the Comissioners above nominated and made return of the same Comission thowon afo and
with the severall affidavits Rendred annexed vid^{elicet} march: 28th 1726 here Mr George Scott before me the Subscriber
one of his Lordship Justices of the peace for Somerset County and was sworn well and truly to Execute the within Comis-
sion according to act of assembly in that case made and provided from before me James Dashiell
on the Holy Evangelist

February 25th 1726. One the within mentioned Thomas Humphrys before me John Handy one of his Lordships
Justices of the peace for the County of Somerset and made oath on the Holy Evangelist of almighty God to Execute
the within Comission according to act of assembly in such case made and provided. J^s Handy

Maryland Somerset County August the 19th day 1726.
These are to Certifie that we the Subscribers by vertue of his Lordships Comission to us directed from his Lordships
Comission to us directed from his Lordships Justices of said County to Examine Evidences to the boundaries of a tract of Land
Called Gethsemani for nine hundred acres which tract of Land is in the possession of Christopher Nutter and other sundry
persons of said County at whose prayer said Comission I shud bearing date the 19th day of August 1726 according to
an act of assembly we did sett up our notifications and in our hands in Nequay Parish viz at Church Chapple and
other publick places above thirty days before we mett on said Land and having appointed by our said notifications
to meet on said Land the twenty fourth day of October 1726 so accordingly mett on the said day having Summoned Wm
Giles, Ja. Munnia, Thomas Willson, John More Jar^{ts} of the Parish Richard Rider, James Weatherly, Mary Cook
John Nicholson, Benjamin Weale, for evidence, in the presents of both parties we did proceed and being brought
by William Giles and the Rest of the abovesaid Evidence down to the north side of Quantico Creek by the
side of a small old or new mulberry post stands which post stands eighty yards to the Eastward of a pulley
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