

August Court — 1734

Land

Peter Fischjarrell Aged Sixty Years or there abouts being on the <sup>Land</sup> Called Marlowe Discovery Depoeth  
 On the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that Twenty Seven Year agoe or there abouts he this Depo-  
 nant Used the house of Edward Wheeler the Elder and in Consideration with the Said Wheeler  
 heard him say severall Times that the Land that he the Said Wheeler had Bought of Tho: Marlowe  
 Called Marlowe Discovery as he this Depoant Remembers lying Near the head of Marokin  
 Bridges now in the possession of Mr: Ellis the Said Thomas Marlowe could make no Good Title  
 too. him the Said Edward Wheeler for that the Land or Great part thereof Belonged to Shigway  
 and this Depoant further saith that he afterwards married Margaret Wheeler the Widow  
 and Relect of the afd. Edward Wheeler and that he has often heard the Said Margaret this  
 Depoants Wife and Edward Wheeler afd. say that they Lett Samuel Worthington have the Land  
 Called Marlowe Discovery and their Bargain therein for the Reason afd they being apprehensive  
 they should loose it or Great part of it by Shigways Survey and further this Depoant saith not  
 that the Subscribers being Duely Qualified as appears by Indorment on a Commission to us  
 Directed from Somerset County Court and having Complied with all the Requit therein Required  
 by giving Due Notice Agreeable to Act of Assembly doe

Beter Fischjarrell  
 his mark

Certifie that the above deposition was taken before us and Signed by Fischjarrell this 10<sup>th</sup> Day of  
 June 1734

William Colke Aged Sixty One Year or there abouts. Depoeth on  
 the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that he was present when a pine Stump in the Root of  
 which is now first a leader Post Market with sixteen Notches by Consent of Henry Dorman Junr.  
 Son and heir of Mary Heath and John Finch when the Said Stump was proved by White John Browne  
 and William Heath and Severale Others to be the first Bounder of a Tract of Land Called Dooq  
 patented by John Shigway and this Depoant further saith that John Brown aforesd told  
 this Depoant that John Shigway had shewed the aforesd John Brown the above pine (or  
 now pine Stump) Severale Times in the Root of which the leader Post above mentioned is now first  
 is the first Bounder of Dooq and further saith he was One of the Jury Brought by Henry Dorman  
 Junr. when the above pine or now pine Stump and now leader Post was proved as is above Expressd  
 that the first Course from of Said Tree or Bounder was Runn According to Patent by Order of the  
 then Jury South East the tenth of One hundred and fifty poles and the Surveyor to wit Col  
 William Whittington after the number of perches aforesaid was Runn out would not be Ruled by  
 the Jury Any further but Run it as he thought fitt himself which Afterward occasioned a great  
 many Words between Nathanel Horsey and Samuel Worthington and Col Whittington with  
 one or both of them the foranall aforesd. Nathanel Horsey Alledging as well as this Depoant  
 Remembers that there was not any Occasion for a Jury being Called there if the Surveyor would  
 Run as he pleased and further saith Not

James Strawbridge  
 Tho: Browne

William Colke

wee the Subscribers being Duely Qualified as appears by Indorment on a Commission to  
 us Directed from Somerset County Court and having Complied with all the Requit therein Required  
 by giving Due Notice Agreeable to Act of Assembly doe Certifie that the above Depoation was  
 Taken before us by William Colke on this 10<sup>th</sup> Day of June and 1734

James Strawbridge  
 Tho: Browne

Matthew Dorman Aged fifty six Years or there abouts Depoeth  
 On the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that he was present when a pine (or now pine Stump)  
 in the Root of which is now first a leader Post marked with sixteen Notches by Consent of Henry  
 Dorman Junr. and John Finch which pine or now pine Stump was proved by the Oath  
 of White John Browne William Heath Junr. to be the first Bounder of a Tract of Land  
 Called Dooq Taken up and patented by John Shigway and and that he this Depoant