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Somerset County ¹⁰ At a Court of the light honorable Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. held at dividing Creek in the same County the third Tuesday of June to witt the seventeenth day of the same month and in the twenty first Year of his said Lordships Dominion &c. and Dowe One thousand Seven hundred and thirty five by his said Lordships Justices the peace in the same County to keep assigned of whom were present

The Worshipfull

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| Cap ^t John Smith ... | Cap ^t Henry Ballard .. |
| Willig ^o Houghton Esq ^r .. | Cap ^t David Wilson .. |
| Cap ^t John Handy ... | Cap ^t Edward Rownd .. |
| M ^r James Dashiell .. | Cap ^t Charles Brantliffe .. |
| Cap ^t John Scott ... | Maj ^r Geo. Dashiell .. |
| Cap ^t James Martin .. | M ^r Thomas Gillis .. |
| Cap ^t William Lane .. | M ^r Isaac Handy .. |
| M ^r Thomas Williams .. | M ^r Nicholas Dashiell .. |

His Lordships

Justices

Joseph M^rvester Esq^r

Thomas Hayward Esq^r

Proclamation being made in usual form and the sheriff of Somerset County to witt Joseph M^rvester Esq^r being ^{called} makes return of the paunde of the orphan Jury as followeth To wit Joshua Edw^oll Christopher Piper, John Larrison Joshua Sturges, W^m Adams, Edward Beachamp Cornelius Dickerson William Gray Maurice John Kellum John Aydelott, John Collins Thomas Larrison, John Bevin Richard Nicholson Hutton Hill, James Rowton & Underwood Rember the Jurors afo^r being severally called over did appear and were sworn and charged and sent out to consider &c soon after the orphan Jury afo^r being impaneled & sworn and charged afo^r returned here into Court and being severally called over did appear and being asked if they had agreed on any presentments answered no whereupon they were discharged &c

Inhabitants } To the worshipfull Court now sitting the humble petition of Nehemiah Holland and most of the pet^r neighbours in Mattapony neck humbly prays your worships to appoint persons to Lay out a Road from Bergema line to girde tree hill it being laid out in a direct line to the Line it being severall miles nearer for people to pass up and down the County as your petitioners shall ever pray Nehemiah Holland John Burnall, Fisher Walton, William Aydelott Bowden Robins & Johnson Hill which being read and heard and the premises considered It is thereupon ordered by the Court here that Mess^rs. William Lane and John Burnall make at certain times and place by them to be appointed as soon as possible and Lay out a Road and Cause the same to be cleared from the Line that parts Bergema from Somerset County near the plantation of Silas Chapman to girde tree hill and that the said Road be laid out and cleared the nearest & best way and of the best of prejudice to any person or persons & that Philip be Overseer of the same Road &c