

November Court 1735 (88)
 Somerset p Charles absolute Lord and Proprietor
 William Carter near Snowhill
 Commissioner and affidavit Secretary of the provinces of Maryland and Avalon
 Lord Baron of Baltimore To Edward Rownd

John Scarborough, Edmund Hough and Adam Spence all of Somerset County Gent. Greeting know ye that we have appointed you or any three or two of you to be our Commissioners to examine evidences on behalf of certain William Carter near Snowhill of the County aforesaid in relation to the bounds of a tract of Land called Poplar Hill. 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 Poplar Hill (your first having taken your Oath 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 Complainant or def. if any and that you or any three or two of you examine 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 any thing 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 and Seals to us to our County Court of Somerset with all convenient speed Witness Robert King Gent. Chief Justice of our said Court the twenty second day of August in the twenty first year of our Dominion &c. And: Dord: One thousand Seven hundred and thirty five

On the the backside of the foregoing ^{Commission} it was Endowd as follows to Viz.
 Wee the Subscribers certify that by vertue of the within Commission we have pursued the directions of the Act of Assembly in such case provided and the depositions hereunto annexed we accordingly return pursuant to the directions thereof witness our hands and Seals

Surat Mr. Scarborough & Mr. Hough
 Nov. 12. 1735 G. Dashiell
 Edmund Hough Seal

Likewise to the foregoing Commissioners were annexed the following depositions Viz.

Somerset County p By vertue of a Commission to us directed to examine evidences on behalf of certain William Carters near Snowhill of the County aforesaid in relation to the bounds of a tract of Land called Poplar Hill bearing date of 22. day of August in y. 21. year of our Dominion And: Dord: 1735 Wee the Subscribers caused to come before us Nath. Davis aged forty seven or thereabouts being sworn on y. holy Evangelist of Almighty God do say y. when y. above deponent bought Land of William Stephenson adjoining to y. tract of Land called Poplar Hill, and he the aforesaid Stephenson told y. deponent y. the white Oak standing in a branch was y. Corner tree dividing the two tracts and further saith not

John Lane aged thirty seven or thereabouts being sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God (do say) that Hugh Nelson former owner