

and June Court ... and John Evans having given due notice and the subscribers being qualified met on the aforesaid Land called  
Creswell on the twenty eighth day of May Anno: Dom: One thousand Seven hundred thirty seven George  
Layfield Complainant and Edward Franklin defend: One Robert Hodge an Evidence aged about fifty  
years and being sworn as above and Examined saith that the first time he saw a certain marked white  
Oak standing about ten strides to the right hand going up Syneguan Road and about ten Strides from  
Hartford Branch Riding in Company with Geo: John Franklin that the said Franklin pointed to the said  
Oak and told him this Depoant that the said Oak was abouinder of Stevenss, Lidge and Lidawie  
Abouinder of the said Franklin Land and further the said Franklin told this Depoant that there was  
Another bouinder standing by the said three lines branch belonging to him the said Stevens Lidge and  
further saith not

The same day came Edmund Gapper Sen: aged about fifty seven years and being  
sworn and Examined as above saith that almost thirty years ago Geo: John Franklin told him several  
times that the Oak above mentioned was abouinder of his the said Franklins Land and further saith  
not

The same day came Nathaniel Gapper Sen: aged fifty odd years and being  
sworn and examined as above saith That about thirty years ago he was a looking  
for Cattle in Company with the above said Franklin and coming along the above said  
Hartford Branch the said Franklin told him that the white Oak above said was  
a bound: of his the said Franklins Land and further to the best of this Depoant's mem:  
ory the said Franklin told him that it was also a bound: of Stevenss Bridge  
afterwards belonging to Esq: Layfield and further saith not

As  
Witness our hands and seals this twenty third day of June Anno: Dom: 1737

James Harris  
Commissioner of the Court  
Somerset p: Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the  
provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore

To William Lane David Wilson John Henry and Samuel Wilson all of Somers-  
set County Gent: greeting knowy: that wee have appointed you or any three or  
two of you to be our Commissioners to examine evidences on behalf of a certain Jam:  
Nearn of the County afo: in Relation to the bounds of a tract of Land called the Entrance  
upon a New way of the Ancient tract called Glencree we therefore Requ:  
ire 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 afo: Land called as afo: your first  
Harris