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Commissioners to Examine evidences on behalf of a certain John White Southys Whittington
and Edward Hearn of the County of - in Relation to the Bound of a tract of Land Called -
Scotland Lying in Ammanespee in the County of - we therefore require you or any three
or two of you at sometime and place as to you or any three or two of you shall seem
convenient you meet on the aforesaid Land Called Scotland (you first having taken your oaths
on the holy evangelist of almighty God according to act of assembly in such case made
and provided) 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 of
if any and that you or any three or two of you Examine them upon their severall
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 Commission under your or any three or two of your hands and seals 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 December in the twenty
second year of our Dominion - Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and thirty
six. - afterwards to witt the twenty first day of June Anno Domini one thousand
seven hundred and thirty seven came here into Court Wm Colebourn and Thomas Dixon
two of the Gent. nominated in the above Commission and made return thereof to the Court here
under with the following depositions thereunto annexed vizt. The deposition of Robt
Scott aged 57 or thereabouts being dewly qualified declares ^{that} his father shewed him a marked
white oak standing on the north side of a part of the dam below the gate over where the Road now
is and up a branch and told him it was the third corner tree a bounder of a tract of land called -
Scotland and further saith not -
which tree appears standing as above described but by some ill disposed person cutt down and
dead and now a small gum marked with a knife with sixteen notches about 12 foot north
from the aforesaid tree - we the subscribers being dewly Qualified and mett on the spot
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