

That about fourteen years ago as near as this Deponent ^{Lib. C. B.} can Remember a Certain Robert Owings laid out two hundred Acres of Land part of Digges Choice which said Land the said Owings told this Deponent belonged to Mr John Digges, after the said Deponent had lived about three years on it he then Sold the said Tract of Land to a Certain Henry Sell and immediately after that the said Deponent had laid out for him by the af^d Owings One hundred Acres more of the same Tract or Parcell of Land called Digges Choice where a Certain Martin Kitzmiller now lives the said Kitzmiller having bought In about a years Time the said Deponents work thereon; tho at the same time the said Deponent Informed the said Kitzmiller that the said Deponent had no Right to Sell the said Land but he must buy of the said John Digges upon which the said Kitzmiller told this Deponent if he could Get his good will in his work he should not Value said Digges for that he wou^d hold it under Pensilvania, and further this Deponent Declares that about Seven or Eight Months Past as this Deponent was Passing to the said Digges Quarter on the same Land to do some Business when he this Deponent called at a Certain Peter Olers who told this Deponant that he understood the said John Digges was Coming to Survey Some Lands for a Certain Jacob Banker that he the said Oler at the same time told this Deponent that the said Digges had no ^{p. 479} Land there, but all that belongs to Pensilvania that he the said Oler went then with this Deponent to the above mentioned Kitzmillers near which Place the said Digges was Expected to come that Day to Survey Land for the af^d Banker, at which time the said Oler declared to this Deponent that he would with a Club or Stick knock the said Digges down & drive him away and the said Kitzmiller Swore he would Shoot and Kill the said Digges if he offered to Survey that Land, this Deponent asked the said Oler & Kitzmiller whether he should tell the said Digges, to which they both Answered yes, he might go and tell the said Digges, And further this Deponent Says that he the said Oler told this Deponent that he was Informed by a man from Rock Creek, the said Digges had lost all his Land that the Assembly had taken it from him, And further Saith not.

Taken before us the Subscribers two of his Lordships Justices for Baltimore County this 18th Day of July Anno Domini 1746

W Young
Sam^l Owings

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday the Sixth Day of May in the 2^d year of his Lordps Dominion Annoq Dni 1752