

Said John Balley or his order at any time when Required this present Cropp of Tobacco 1673. And this depon.^t further Deposeth and Saith that for & towards paym.^t of the Remainder of the Said Tobacco due by the said Decree being 25176.^l this Depon.^t hath Given Sev.^{ll} orders to receive Sev.^{ll} Sum̄s of Tob.^o amounting to 9298^l Tob: but he the s.^d James Neale hath not thitherto for any thing appears by any accounts made by him the Said James Neale to this Depon.^t or the s.^d notes delivered both to this Deponent p.^d that S.^d Sum̄e of 9298.^l Tob.^o or any p^t thereof to this Depon.^{ts} knowl- edge though this depon.^t did the last Co.^{rt} inform the s.^d Neale of the S.^d ord.^r and notes Charged on him w.^{ch} he then promised to pay together also with the Remaind.^r of the Said Sum̄e Decreed w.^{ch} in the whole (all the s.^d Sum̄e) of thirty Six thousand four hundred & fourteen pounds, & 9298.^l Tob (if made appear to be p.^d) will amount to the Sum̄e of 15878.^l of Tob^o which Said Sum̄e of 15878^l Tob.^o the Said James Neale hath not hitherto paid but Still Refuseth to pay the Same

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John Balley.

Juravit Die 22.^o Decembris Anno Domini 1673

Coram me Phillip Calvert

Att Charles County Attach James Neale for the breach of a Decree als John Balley by the Oath of the Said Balley ut Supra ret. 10.th ffeb:^y Teste 23.^o Decembris 1673.

Quem diem Clausit Extr to Henry Hyde & Richard Loyd of S.^t maries County Gent to Inquire after the Lands & Tenem.^{ts} of John Pritchett deceased Test one & thirtieth day of Jan.^{ry} 1673 ret Imediat

Quem diem Clausit Extr to Joseph Weeks & John Wright of Kent County Gent to Inquire after the Lands of Andreas Elinor (a Spaniard) deċed Test the fourth of march 1673 ret Imediat

Cæcilius &c To the Sheriff of S.^t maries County Greeting Whereas we did by our Letters patent under our Great Seale of our s.^d province of maryland bearing date the Seventh day of Sept^r in the year of our Lord 1663 for the Consideraċons therein named Grant unto Thomas Gerrard Esq.^r a parcell of Land Called the Meadows Lying at the head of Wiccomoco River in S.^t maryes County Containing and then Laid out for four hundred acres more or Less as by our Said Grant Relation being thereunto had more fully and more at large it doth and may appear, Now for that we had Long before that time Reserved for our own use a parcell of Land in S.^t marys County Called Choptico manno.^r of w.^{ch} the Said parcell of Land is part, And the Said Thomas Gerrard being Sencible thereof fraudulently procured our Grant afores.^d to the disinherizon of us & our heirs of the p^misses, And the Said Thomas Gerrard being Since deċed We

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