

Liber C D nothing Take whereby his Lordship may loose or that right may be Letten or disturbed or his Lordships debts delayed ye shall truely return and truely Serve his Lordships Writts as far forth as it shall be in your Cunning ye shall not have to be your under Sheriff any of the Sheriffs Clerks of the last year passed ye shall take no Bayliff into your Service but such as yee shall answer for ye shall make each of your Bailiffs make such Oath as yee make yourself in that that belongeth to their Occupa yee shall receive no writts by you or any of yours [unsealed] nor Sealed by any but the Justices of the Chan provinciall or County Courts or such officer as shall authorize Lord prop yee shall make the Bayliff of and [su]fficient men of your Countrey ye shall not let your Sherriffwick or any Bailiwicks thereof to perform to any yee shall truely Sett and return reaseonable and due Issues of them that be within your Bailiwick after their Estate and Havior and make your pannell yourself of such persons as be most meet most sufficient and not suspected nor procured all these things ye shall well and truely observe and keep so help you God.

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The Inquisition upon the Estate of Simon Oversey at the psecution of Mr. Rozer

Wee whose Names are hereunder written being by Virtue of a Commission from the Governor to M.^r Henry Adams and M.^r ffrancis Pope directed bearing date the twentieth day of Aprill Anno Dom̄ 1669 Summoned here according to the Tenour of the sd Com.ⁿ to enquire what Lands Simon Oversee dyed Seized of within this County of Charles County and what day he dyed and who is his next heir and the same Inquisition distinctly and speciely made under our hands and Seals to return to the sd M.^r Henry Adams and M.^r ffrancis Pope by them to be returned to the Honble the Chancellour of this province. Whereupon having enquired therein as much as in us lay we Return the Result of this our inquisition as followeth Vizt.

First we do Return that Simon Oversey dyed possesst of a Thousand Acres of Land on the East side of portobacco Creek which hath since his death been and remained in the possession of Edmond Lindsey and a peice of Land by him demised and lett out to John Caen and at his death in the Tenure and Occupation of the sd John Caen and five hundred and fifty Acres called Rotterdam lying near Nangemoy Indian Town which is all that to any of our knowledge he dyed possesst of.

ffurther we do Return that the sd Simon Oversee dyed in the latter end on february or beginning of March ten years since or thereabouts to the best of our knowledges further that to any of our knowledges the sd Simon Oversey hath not left any heir to whom the Lands should descend and for the further Confermacon of this our Inquisition we have hereunto Sett our hands and Seals as by the sd