

330 2nd) Question by James Bondexter
agent &c. would you or would not have
called the place alluded to above a Lick
at the time yourself Drinen and others
were here which you have said above
you would now call a Spring (Ans?)
I then would have called it a Lick

3rd) Question by Same do you or do you
not know or believe that the mountain
called for in said Thomas Bondexters entry
to be connected with the mountain that
begins opposite the mouth of the Sciota
River (Answer) that he believes there
was a connection but that he never
had traced it and further the Deponent
Said No

Teste

Lewis Mallock

James Marklay

John Riggs

Meason County Sit This Deposition
was returned by the Commissioners
and Ordered to be Recorded

Teste

T. Marshall Jr. CMC

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The Deposition of Daniel

Done taken agreeable to an Order of
the County Court of Meason for per-
petuating ~~Testimony~~ Testimony re-
specting James Peaks Settlement
on the waters ~~fork~~ fork of Johnston
and according to an Act of
Assembly "entitled an Act to ascer-
tain the boundaries to Lands and for other
purposes this deponent being Sworn depo-
-seth and Saith that on the 19th day
of June 1776 being on his way from the
Indians (in captivity) came to this place
being a large open place of grounds at
a buffalo road Road and the forks of
three branches of the waters of Johnston
fork which said Land the said Depo-
-nant Entered for James Peak on the 15th
day of January 1780 and that he the
said Deponent stands now on the same
ground called for in James Peaks Entry
Question by George Stockton are you
interested in Establishing Peak Settle-
-ment, (Answer) No I made an Entry
of 2000 Acres on a Military Warrant

392 for Lewis Craig which I was to have
One fourth but have a general release
for my part of the said one fourth
I also made an Entry of 1500 Acres for
Robert Wallace but being mistaken in
the distance from Peaks Beginning
Some Entries or Entry that I made pre-
vious to said Robert Wallace covers nearly
all the ground moreover have a ge-
neral Release for the Same (as for
Peaks Presumption now Pendleton he
furnished money to clear Out the Same
and I only Sold him my Chance with-
out Recourse to me (Question) by George
Stockton what do you mean in your
Entry by calling for a large buffalo
Road (Answer because it was the large-
st near here except the One nearly where
the Waggon Road is and further the
deponent Saith Not Sworn to before
David Morris a Justice of the peace
for the said County of Mason and
Subscribed by the Deponent in the

393 presence of and attested by David
Morris and John Porter two of the
Commissioners appointed for this pur-
pose the 5th day of July 1797

David Morris } Daniel Boone

We Certify that George Stockton Esq.
and James Bailey Corn Gater
were witnesses present when the above
Deposition was taken and the place
where the above Specified place is as
Certified above

David Morris
John Porter

The following Questions were Subjoined
to the within Deposition Michael
Cassidy Esq. Asked the within named
Deponent Col. Daniel Boone (Question)
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hundred Acres Sold to James Fung
Out of Craig 2000 Acres (Answer
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334 Same by my Order (2nd) Question did
you not get the 500 Acres for your Services
of Entering and Superintending the Survey
ing the Same (Answer) I did (3rd)
Question did you not give Mr. Finney your
Obligation to make him a title for the
said 500 Acres (Answer) I expect I did
which title is made by Mr. Craig Col.
Wm. McKay Asks Col. Boone whether
there ever was a final Settlement be-
tween himself & Mr. Craig (Answer) he
thinks that they talked that if either lost
his Share of Land the other to make
him some allowance but there was
not any Obligation entered in on either
Side to perform the Same nor am
I certain ^{anything} about it (Question the Second
do you know whether there was any mark
made at this place by yourself or
James Peak before you entered the
Land for said Peak (Answer) I know
of none Lewis Craig Asks was you
(Col. Boone) here at any time before

335 you entered this Land for James Peak
(Answer) I was for I was here the 19th
day of June 1778 Roasted Some
meat and got drink near the mouth
of three branches Sworn to as aforesaid
this 3rd day of July 1797
therefore to Certify that we the Commis-
sioners Saw the advertisement as the Law
directs in three Newspapers
David Morris }
John Porter } Daniel Boone

Mason County Sit Dec. 7th 1797
This Deposition was Returned and
Ordered to be Recorded

Teste
J. Marshall Lr. Com.

Mason County to wit
Thomas Tolly Warrington this day
came before me a Justice of the Peace for the County
aforesaid & made Oath that he bought three Negro
Slaves from the State of Maryland to wit one Negro
man named Eli aged 23 years also one Negro