Alice Stanley his Depo —

Alice Stanley aged 19 years or thereabouts being sworne & examined saith that Henry Barnett tooke John Hill to Thomas Bailey master of a Dropp & intended to carry him the Country & offered him to goe along with him but he the said Hill if he would not goe along with him & the said Hill if he would not goe along with him whereupon the said Bailey left his Dropp And the Deponent saith not. Alice Stanley her mark.

10 May 1653 Jurat in Curia

John Hill his deposition —

John Hill aged 16 years or thereabouts being sworne & examined saith that Henry Barnett came with a Dorkt Pistell & forced he would kill him if he would not goe with him & thereupon forced this Deponent to goe with him to the great losse & damage of his said master And further saith not. John Hill

10 May 1653 Jurat in Curia

Mr Turner his Depo —

Richard Turner aged 44 years or thereabouts being sworne & examined saith that this Deponent paid for the use of Mr Lampson Elliott Clarke Two hundred pounds of Tob to Capt Coste to the Ordinary of Mary Land & never received any satisfaction for the same with Tob Coste the Deponent did delivered to John Danty white a Bill of Eight hundred pounds of Tob & Coste And further saith not. Richard Turner

10 May 1653 Jurat in Curia.

John Swanson his marke —

Know all men by these presents that John Swanson of Great Wiccomoco in the County of Northumberland doth give for his marke of Hogg & Dattle Droppt on the left eare & a slit downe the right

10 June 1653 This marke was recorded.

Richard Dennis his marke —

Know all men by these presents that Richard Dennis of Great Wiccomoco in the County of Northumberland doth give for his marke of Hogg & Dattle a slit downe the right eare & a square upon the upside of the left eare

10 June 1653 This marke was recorded

Nathan: Holden ~~Passed Dennis~~ his marke —

Know all men by these presents that ~~Passed Dennis~~ Nathan Holden of Great Wiccomoco in the County of Northumberland doth give for his marke of Hogg & Dattle Droppt on both eares & a square taken out from amongst the right eare & a square taken out from about the left eare

10 June 1653 This marke was recorded

~~Passed Dennis~~ his marke —

Know all men by these presents that ~~Nathaniel Butler~~ Passed Dennis of Great Wiccomoco in the County of Northumberland doth give for his ~~hogg~~ marke of Hogg & Dattle Two boards on the left eare & Droppt & underkeeled on the left eare

10 June 1653 This marke was recorded

Bill of sale to Matthew Rhodon

To all people before whom this writing shall come Know you
that I John Crofoot do bargain & sell & deliver & by these
presents have bargained sold & delivered unto Matthew
Rhodon or any his Assigns one yearling heifer called
Clarks brown: Crept on the left ear with a hole in it
same ear & Crop on the right ear with two slits
downe the same ear & I do the said Matthew Rhodon
to have hold & injoy the said heifer to the mine dayes
forever. Witnesse the said Mr Rhodon having given & paid
to him John Crofoot a full & valuable price &
satisfaction in hand for the said yearling heifer: I do
the said John Crofoot his Executors & or Assigns
doth warrant the said heifer to the mine dayes to the
said Matthew Rhodon his Assigns against
any person or persons whatsoever: In witness I have
put to my hand this 18th day of May 1653 John
Crofoot Witnessed by us Jeffrey Daughton Edmund
Shurbe his mark
14 June 1653 This Bill of sale was recorded.

Matthew Rhodon his gift of a heifer to Eliza: Crofoot

Know all men that I Matthew Rhodon do freely
give to Elizabeth Crofoot daughter of Mr John
Crofoot & Mary his wife the yearling heifer
called Clarks brown & the said heifer & her mine dayes as
to have & to holde the said heifer & her mine dayes as
her own proper goods for ever: And if the said
Elizabeth dye before she come to be married the said store
of Cattle shall descend to the next house male or
female Witnesse my hand this 20th of May 1653
Matthew Rhodon signed & delivered in the presence
of us Tho Hodsdon Thos Lee
14 June 1653 This Deed of gift was recorded.

Tho: Bird his acquittance to Thomas Hoskins

Thomas Bird to acquit & discharge Thomas Hoskins
from all Bills debts bond or demands bargains or all
other debts that belong to me the said Thomas Bird from
the beginning of the world to this day delivering all the goods
that the said Bird entered away of the said Thomas Hoskins
Witness my hand this second of January 1652 The mark
of Thomas Bird. John Robinson.
20 July 1653. This acquittance was recorded

The oath of Surveyor administered to Gordon Dodson

Mr Dodsons oath Surveyor

You shall swear well & truly to serve the Commonwealth
of England and the Government of this Colony as
a Surveyor that according to the best of your
ability & discretion to measure & lay out land justly
truly & indifferently for those by whom you shall be
imployed in it or whom it shall concerne. So help
you God. Gordon Dodson Sworn 20. 1652. Jurat
W: Claiborne Secr:
21 July 1653 This oath was recorded.

Mr Dodson his Patent

To all or Whomsoever these Presents shall come Know ye That I Mr Wm Berkeley Gent. Grant unto Georgeth Dodson Gent. Sixty hundred Acres of Land lying & being in the Northerly upon Potomacke River upon the mouth of Wicomico River Westerly Northerly upon the Land of the said Land bounded unto the said Georgeth Dodson his Heirs for the transportacion of Thirty two persons into the Colony all whose Names are in the Records mentioned and this Patent given Date the first of February 1650. William Berkeley

21 July 1653 This Patent was Recorded.

Mr Lefior and Doubt Podell their Assumpsit

Know all men by these presents That we John Hollowes the Attorney of Mr Jeffry Lefior & Doubt Podell do stand engaged our selves in the Assumpsit of five Thousand pounds weight of Tob. & Casks to stand to the Arbitrament Determined & Decreed of whatsoever the aboveSaid Mr Hollowes shall make choice on to one & determine a Controversy betweene the said Mr Lefior & Doubt Podell depending in Northumberland County for the Tobacco aforementioned hereof We the said John Hollowes & Doubt Podell have interchangably set our hands the 20th of July 1653. Jo: Hollowes Doubt Podell Test Walter Brodhurst Jo. Rowe

1 August 1653 This Assumpsit was Recorded

Wm Hardich his acquittance to Jo: Hiller

These presents witnesseth That I Wm Hardich do acquitt & discharge John Hiller from all Orders of Court Executions Bills Bonds & Accompts & all Contraversies whatsoever from the beginning of the world unto this present day Witness my hand the 15th of February Anno Dni 1652 Will Hardich Test Walter Brodhurst Peter Heyward his mark.

This acquittance was Recorded the 3 of August 1653.

Tho Boyd his acquittance to John Hiller

These presents witnesseth That I Thomas Boyd do acquitt & discharge John Hiller from all Orders of Court Executions Bills Bonds & Accounts & all Contraversies whatsoever from the beginning of the world unto this present day and more especially from an Order of Northumberland Court concerning a man servant Witness my hand the 3 of August 1653 Thomas Boyd his mark Witness hereof John Hill Tho Wilby

3 Aug 1653 This Acquittance was Recorded

Kent his mark

Know all men by these presents That John Kent of the County of Northumberland doth give for his marke of Hogs & Calves. A sett down both eares and cudd sloped on both eares.

27 August 1653. This marke was recorded.

Richard Bell & Richard Holden Blacksmith having upon the Honor Mr Vincent Marks ordered & Potmaks made in Virginia are to be truly adapted & performed Mr Vincent plant in Virginia & cast down a number of three Thousand weight of good Merchantable Cobb iron. Paid for certaine Cloaths which bought from him & more for & in the sume of three Thousand weight Cobb iron & the said Richard Holden doth binde & oblidge me my heires & Administrators to pay into the said Henry Vincent Esquire & the Lords of Hoton not exceeding the date hereof in the rate of fifteen pounds of tobacco at the said date & the said Richard Holden doth binde onely my plantation Horse Cattle or whatsoever it may for payment of the aforesaid debt & whatsoever damages I shall sustaine or charges in pursuing after the same In witnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand at my house this 18th day of August 1653 This aforesaid Debt I oblidge me the said Richard Holden to pay here at my own house. The marke of Richard Holden Jos Thomas Young. The marke of Wm Walker

19th September 1653. This writing was recorded.

Cole making to John Mashby Cooper for payment of Rennings or his Assignes by the last of December a Boy

This Bill binderth me Richard Cole Merchant my heires & Assignes to deliver unto John Mashby Cooper or his Assignes by the last of December next at farthest or sooner if I please a youth servant sound in his body & limbs to the apparance of any honest man for performance whereof I binde onely into the said Mashby these Goods now going at Goodman Barnetts the Carpenter And the Lad to serve seaven yeares at least In witnes whereof I doe engage my selfe that in case I provide not

not his servant then I am to pay him two
weight of Merchantable Tob.co Witnes my ha
this 2 th day of April 1653. Richard
Witnessed Cyrus The Tob.co John Tow
19 th Septem: 1653 This writing was Recorded

Wm Vincent — To all yr Worships of Northum: yt that I Wm Willia
his Patent — Bentley for Good Grant unto Wm Vincent six hund
acres of land situate in Northumberland County a
upon Rockfish of a Branch commonly called the
Bentley bounded Easterly upon ye bay South
upon a Branch of Rockfish Westerly upon a small
Branch that runneth ye land Southerly it selfe into
the Rockfish Divided this land from ye land of
Jonathan Williams Northerly upon ye land of John
Williams The said land being due unto ye said Wm
Vincent by ye Transportation of Nicholas Pyeroft
unto the said Wm Vincent as on Record
mentioned by this Patent Dated 3 of April
William Bentley

Wm Vincent his — Know all men by these presents That I Wm Vincent do
Assignment of — Assigne all my right & title & interest of this Patent
Patent to John — from all good consideration unto John Ingram his
Ingram — heirs or Assignes for ever Witness my hand the
27 of Septem: 1651 William Vincent Witness
Peter Knight the mark of John Dennis
20 Septem 1653 This Patent & Assignment was
Recorded

the agreement — This agreement between John Ingram & Wm Vincent that
between the — the said Vincent is to assure & make over unto ye said
Wm Vincent — John Ingram & his heirs for ever three hundred
acres of land being ye one half of a Patent of
six hundred acres Being on ye Dividing Branches
in Westmore by ye Consideration of two thousand
pounds of Tobacco & the same already paid to ye said
Vincent The Division to be made thus. The said
Vincent to have ye West side it now stands on and
John Ingram to have ye East side to north & the
said Vincent to be equally divided and
ye said John to be equally
divided & the said Vincent to p
unto the said John ye sum of 250 pounds
of Tobacco in the Day of Payment and performing
of Covenants our hands this 16 th day of July 1651
Wm Vincent Witness hereunto W Claiborne David
Spilton his mark
20 Septem: 1653 This Agre was Recorded.

Ingram
Flight
Patent

To all ye Whomsoever ye Now Know yee that I Sr William
Berkeley Kt Grant Bargain and Sell unto John Ingram and
Richard Flight Fifteen hundred & Six Acres of land
situate lying & being in Northumberland County
adjoining Southerly on the Dividing Brook
Easterly on Land of Mr Nathaniel Northerly
on Land of Mr Wally the said Land being
the Land Formerly the Land of John Ingram & Richard
Flight and Formerly Granted to the Acres
Patent for five
hundred Acres granted unto Daniel
Ramsey the said John
Ingram & Richard Flight & their
Heirs & Assigns into the Colony
Land for Transportation of Twenty Men under
the Hands & Seals of Office this 16th
William Berkeley

Richard Flight
Sale of Land to
John Ingram

Know all men by these Presents that I Richard Flight
for a valuable Consideration to me in hand paid
by my Loving Friend John Ingram Do Bargain
Sell & Assign unto the said John Ingram the said Patent
Land & Plantation for ever
without any Lyen or Incumbrance whatsoever
Witness my Hand this 1st day of November
1683 Witnesses Richard Flight
Jos. Pickard Anthony Hobbs William
Sydnam 1683 This sale of Land was acknowledged
in Court by the said Richard Flight unto the said
John Ingram Attest Jos. Pickard Clerk
Recorded

James Mayrong
Hugh Howard
Patent

To all ye Whomsoever ye Now Know yee that I Sr William
Berkeley Kt Grant Bargain and Sell unto James Mayrong
& Hugh Howard Fifteen hundred & Twenty Acres
of Land lying & being in Northumberland
County Virginia & Bounded as follows
viz Beginning at a Pine on the Dividing Brook
from a Land called Obstinacy Brook
Northerly bounded
on the Land of Mr Wally bounded
on the said Pine on
the Land of Mr Wally on the woods
Bounded on the East with the Land of Mr from the
Southerly quarter to the Land of Mr Wally to a quarter
Pine on the Wally side
South Westerly Bounded from the said
quarter Pine to a point Bounded
by the Land of Mr Wally Acres of
Land Granted for Transportation
of Thirty Men Heads as
appears Entered in the Patent Book
Dated the 24th July 1692 William Berkeley

James Margroggor
Hugh Hourk their
Assignment of their
Patent to John
Hull

Whereas James Margroggor & Hugh Hourk doe
owe unto John Hull & his heirs Rayrs &
Assigns all our right & Interest in this Pa
tent & the Worth Mentioning & stand &
any Jurisdiction that shall thereof may any
by virtue hereof we or either of us binde our selves
our heirs & Assigns & Assigns &
witness of us this Second day of December 1652 the
mark of Hugh Hourk & the mark Jn &
Witness Samuel Nicolls.

This Assignment of this Patent
was acknowledged in Court by the said Margrog
and John Hull and Ley
recorded.

James
Hugh Hourk
their Assignment
for Land

This Indenture made the Second day of December
in the year of our Lord God one thousand six hundred Ninety
three between James Hourk of Kittery in the County of York
Northern Neck land Husbandman Northerly
Easterly under Westerly upon the land of
the said James Margroggor & Hugh Hourk
Easterly upon Dugids Creek & Southerly upon the
Creek the said land being due unto the
said James Margroggor & Hugh Hourk by and
by virtue of a Patent from the Court unto this
Indenture all which are in Records mentioned
the said Patent dated the 5th day of April 1653
Witnesses Witness

James Margroggor
Hugh Hourk their
Assignment of
Patent to John
Hull

This Indenture witnesseth that we James
Margroggor & Hugh Hourk for a valuable
Consideration to us paid before the Ensealing hereof
the receipt whereof we hereby acknowledge our selves fully
satisfied & paid & therefore Assigne over
unto the said John Hull his heirs & Assigns within
mentioned all our right & Interest in the land from an
the within mentioned Creek & our heirs &
Assigns to the use of the said John Hull his heirs & Assigns
the within mentioned Creek & our heirs & Assigns
Witness our hands this 20 day of September
Witness Witness
Witness Witness

This Assignment of land was
acknowledged in Court by James Hourk & Margrog
to John Hull & the Assignment & Patent are
recorded

Know all men by these presents that I James Magrogorry
of Northumberland County, Gent. for divers good causes
and considerations me thereunto moving, have given,
granted, bargained and sold unto Hugh Hamilton
and his heirs forever, all my right, title, interest, claim
and demand of and in the land and plantation
whereon I now live, containing by estimation
two hundred acres, be the same more or less,
lying and being in Northumberland County
aforesaid, and bounded as follows, viz. beginning
at a white oak standing on the bank of Potomac
River, thence south 45 degrees west 80 perches
to a white oak, thence south 45 degrees east
40 perches to a white oak, thence north 45
degrees east 80 perches to a white oak, thence
north 45 degrees west 40 perches to the first
white oak, the first bounds, and all the
appurtenances thereunto belonging, to have
and to hold the said land and premises unto
the said Hugh Hamilton, his heirs and
assigns forever, free from all manner of
incumbrances whatsoever, and I do hereby
for myself and my heirs, warrant and
defend the said land and premises unto
the said Hugh Hamilton, his heirs and
assigns forever, against the claim or
demand of any person or persons whatsoever
claiming by, from, or under me, or any
of my heirs. In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this
twenty-second day of September, anno
Domini 1653.

James Magrogorry

Know all men by these presents that I James Magrogorry
do hereby assign unto Hugh Hamilton, his heirs
and assigns, all my right, title, interest, claim
and demand of and in the land mentioned in
the within patent, and do hereby empower
the said Hugh Hamilton, his heirs and
assigns, to sue for and take possession
of the said land, in my name, but to
their use and benefit, and I do hereby
ratify and confirm all and whatsoever
they shall do in the premises, in witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this twenty-second day of September,
anno Domini 1653.

James Magrogorry

Know all men by these presents that I Wm. Hall
son and heir of George Hall, late of Northumberland
County, Gent. deceased, for divers good causes
and considerations me thereunto moving, have given,
granted, bargained and sold unto Hugh Hamilton
and his heirs forever, all my right, title, interest,
claim and demand of and in the land and
plantation whereon I now live, containing
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same more or less, lying and being in
Northumberland County aforesaid, and
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River, thence south 45 degrees west 80
perches to a white oak, thence south 45
degrees east 40 perches to a white oak,
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to a white oak, thence north 45 degrees
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Wm. Hall his mark

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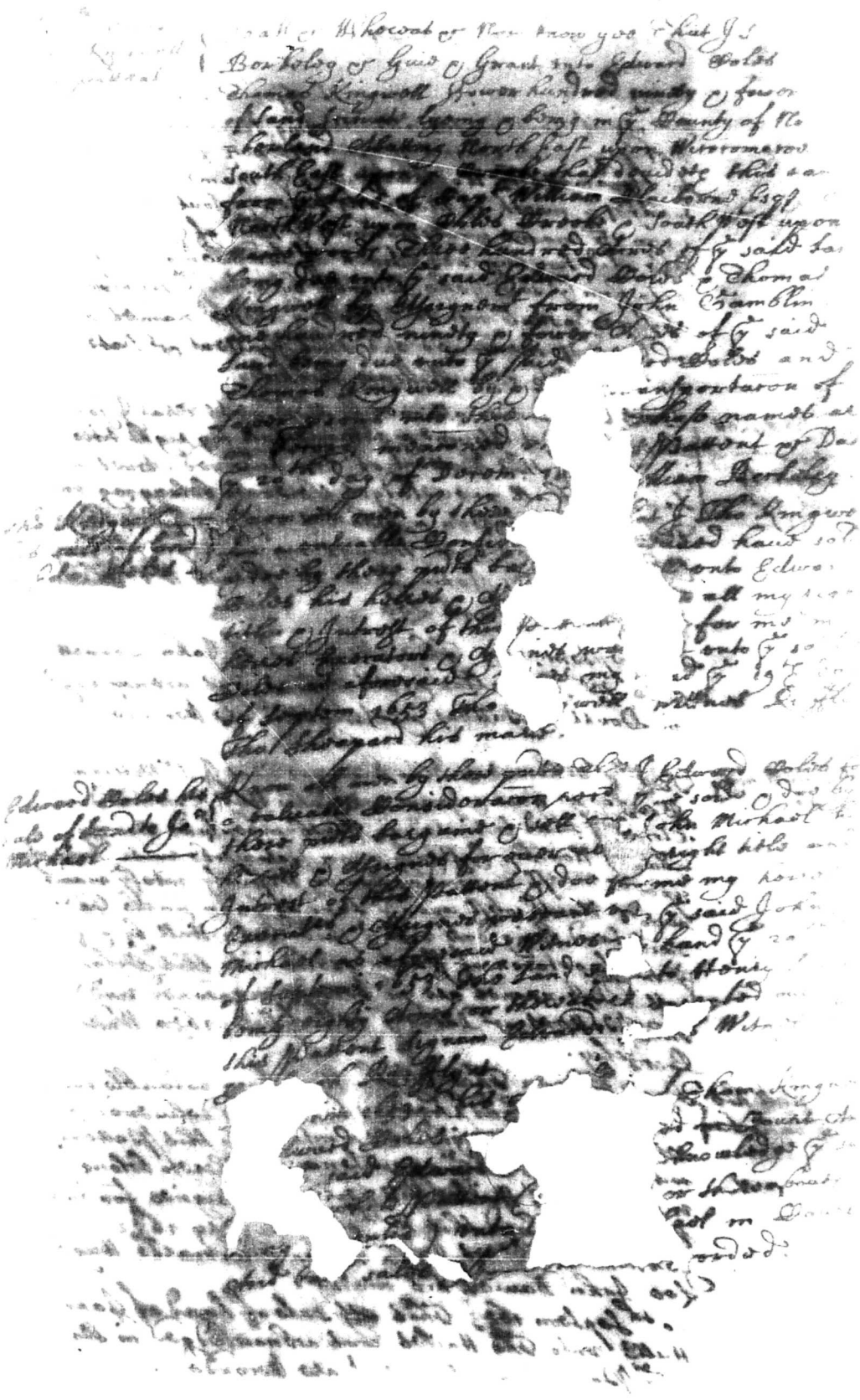

To all ye Christians to whom these presents shall come Know ye that I Sr William
Berkeley Knt Governor of Virginia Grant unto John Bennett
Planter a parcel of land containing [illegible] acres lying in the
County of Northumberland bounding Northeast upon [illegible]
Mr Henry Hunt South upon the land of John Carter from Christopher
Bennett the North side of the said land of John Carter mained wood
South upon the mouth of Mill Creek South East
[illegible] 18. so
[illegible] for hundred shillings sterling granted
unto him the said John Bennett his heirs and assigns forever
[illegible] into this Patent to be named
[illegible] Bennett of Dedicated
[illegible] William Berkeley
[illegible] Chas I John
[illegible] Bennett [illegible] right title
[illegible] Assignment of [illegible] Patent of [illegible] Grant of
[illegible] Bennett [illegible] belonging or
[illegible] Bennett [illegible]
[illegible] John Bennett [illegible]
[illegible] John Bennett
[illegible] Chas [illegible] acknowledged
in Court [illegible] Patent [illegible] Assignment also recorded.

Hull [illegible] Know ye that I Sr William
Berkeley Knt Governor of Virginia Grant unto John Carter Gent
[illegible] a parcel of land containing [illegible] acres lying in Northumberland County
[illegible] North side of Cattle Creek upon South side
[illegible] Mill Creek into the mouth
[illegible] North side of the land of John Carter Gent
said land being [illegible] John Hall by Patent for
[illegible] hundred [illegible] with this Colony
[illegible] Dish [illegible] recorded and
[illegible] Patent [illegible] 1652 William
Berkeley.
[illegible] Chas I John [illegible] valuable consideration
[illegible] delivered [illegible]
[illegible] this Patent
[illegible] belonging
[illegible] forever
[illegible] 1652
[illegible] Hugh
Lee John Lewis [illegible]
20th September 1653 This day sold of land of John
Hull unto the Hatch land acknowledged in Court
[illegible] Patent [illegible] Assignment also recorded.

the Sheppard his sale of land to Mr Wyat

the Patent is recorded [illegible] of this Booke

Mr Wyat borrowed [illegible] of Mr Wyat

Court of Northumberland aforesaid more at large it may
doth appeare And whereas by ye said Indenture it is
is not sufficiently set downe how ye said land is bounded
which ye said Mr Fflynt shall have his said land so sold
into him by ye said Thomas. Now Know all men by these
presents That ye said Thomas Shippard & Mr Peter Fflynt
for them selves their heirs & either of them hereby
Covenant & Agreed to procure future
have remaining ye bounding of ye said land as
& doe by these presents agree that if at any time hereafter
after ye date of ye said Indenture any thing shall
be Agreed that ye said land is to be bounded
as Agreed shall bind ye said Thomas to make ye
be bounded that then he shall make ye said land
two able honest men to bound ye said land
& if in case that two men cannot agree about the
equall bounds of ye land that then these two men shall
have full power & authority to choose an Umpiere
to ye contrary & bounds ye said land shall be
bounded & that ye two men shall show ye
bounds & ye same of Ten thousand pounds of Tobacco each to
other to stand to that bounds the first three men
shall award And lastly it is agreed upon by both
ye said Thomas that if ye said Mr Fflynt doe before ye
land shall be laid out & bounded by the Surveyor
shall not have ye whole quantity of ye Plantations & Fryers
to ye contrary in any wise notwithstanding ye covenants
whereof the said Thomas & the said Fflynt
have hereunto set their hands ye 20th day of
September Anno 1653 Thomas Shippard his mark
Peter Fflynt Witness Tho: Billingsley John Simpson
20 Septem 1653 This Agreement was acknowledged
Court by ye said Thomas & Mr Fflynt & is
recorded

David Spelter & Rebecca his wife complained of David Spelter
for abusing & spoken words of slanderous & opprobrious against
Dorothy Lambton wife of William
Lambton & ye said Dorothy Lambton & his wife & the
defendant being by ye said Court duly sworne there fore
ye said Spelter saith that he hath done
hereby alledgeth that he hath done & hath done
& ye said Lambton appeared & without wrong and
& given no cause that he ye said Spelter as long as he
unknown & against ye said matter the
witness ye 27th day of September 1653
Signum David Spelter Jur ye sworne of Nicholas
Hewitt John Haynes Jeffery Brooks the mark
of Mr Spelter
20 Septem 1653 This acknowledgement was recorded

Know all men by these presents that I James [illegible]
[illegible] of Northumberland for a valuable [illegible]
by me received before the signing of these presents
doth alienate or assigned over from me [illegible]
or any in my behalf claiming claime to three Do
one a gelding red roan long marked with a Dro
on the right eare & hole in it & two sows one black
white & a Brown Dunlin marke with a Dropp
both eares & holes in the same to John [illegible]
the said County his their executors or assigns
for ever with their increase with warrant [illegible]
from all men laying claime to the same Witness my
hand this 20 of September 1653 James Straughton
Witness Geo Dodson Thomas Philipot
[illegible] September 1653 This Bill of sale was acknow
ledged in Court by the said Straughton [illegible]
recorded.

Tho Dunlington his Indenture to Edward Roberts

This Indenture made the first day of November
of our Soveraigne Lord the King Charles the [illegible] years
between me Edward Roberts of the one pt
Thomas Dunlington of the other pt it is agreed
that the said Dunlington doth by these presents
[illegible] to serve the said Roberts or his ass
assigned from the date hereof untill six years
be fully accomplisht in such service or imp
as the said Thomas or his assigns shall
[illegible] in consideration of the aforesaid sum
the said Roberts is to find the said Dunlington
meate drink lodging during the said term
after the said term to give him three Bas
of Corne & clothes according to the Custome
County all which we hereby this first of
Anno Dom 1653 The marke of the Dunlin
Edward Roberts Jesse Jackson Hector.
Edward Roberts doth assigne over all
his assignment of this Indenture to Richard Hauld
[illegible] 19 of May 1653
[illegible] Thomas Taylor James Wil
[illegible] This Indenture [illegible]
[illegible]

Hugh Lee his sale of a Cow to Marga Basham

Know all men by these presents that I Hugh
of Northumberland Planter have for a valu
in hand received of Margaret Basham one Cow
delivered by these presents doth sell
Margaret Basham one Brown Cow
with [illegible]

Know all men by these presents that I James [illegible]
[illegible] of Northumberland for a valuable [illegible]
by me received before the signing of these presents
doth alienate or assigned over from me [illegible]
or any in my behalf claiming claime to three Do
one a gelding red roan long marked with a Dro
on the right eare & hole in it & two sows one black
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both eares & holes in the same to John [illegible]
the said County his their executors or assigns
for ever with their increase with warrant [illegible]
from all men laying claime to the same Witness my
hand this 20 of September 1653 James Straughton
Witness Geo Dodson Thomas Philipot
[illegible] September 1653 This Bill of sale was acknow
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[illegible] with said being my own proper marks [illegible]
by the name of Mistrisse Ann Hale [illegible] aforesaid
Dower as her proper gaines for ever And I do bind
my heirs executors and administrators to defend
the said Dower or her estate from [illegible]
of any person or persons whatsoever In confirmation
whereof I have made this Bill of sale Witness
my hand & seale this 17 day of September 1653
Sealed signed & delivered in [illegible]
presence Henry Parker Richard Sutcliffe marks.
20 September 1653 This Bill of sale was acknowledged
in Court by Mr Lee & recorded.

I William Wheelan doe hereby ordaine & authorise my
loving friend Mr William Hale to be my true &
lawfull Attorney to sue for recover & receive from
Richard Hyde all such Sum or sums Debts as shall
appeare to be due unto me the said William Wheelan & in case
upon payment to demand the same be refused or delayed
at his hands to compound for the same & Debt & order
my said Attorney shall doe I doe allow to be as
authentick as if I had personally present In
witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this
11th of August 1653 In presence of John Dornick
Signum Edward Wolse
20 September 1653 This Bill of Attorney was recorded

I Thomas Hawkins doe hereby ordaine & authorise my
loving friend Mr Thomas to be my true &
lawfull Attorney to sue & implead any person or persons as
shall be thought at my suit which my said Attorney
shall doe I doe allow to be as authentick as if I had
personally spoken the words whereof I have
hereunto set my hand this 22 of June Anno
1653 Thomas Hawkins Richard Mayor
20 Sept 1653 This Bill of Attorney was recorded.

John Dawson [illegible] in Manchester being
sworne & examined [illegible] Dower was [illegible]
Mr Lee & John Dawson [illegible] order to be put in bailes
dressed & that [illegible] John Dawson donied
Span & another for [illegible] John Dawson donied
& there Mr Lee gave [illegible] meaning to pay John
there for him & [illegible] to pay to this John
against Hughes sayde that John Dawson had [illegible]
fured in Court 20 September 1653

[illegible] Cornelius Cromwell aged 41 years or [illegible]
being sworne & examined saith That [illegible]
showing a Bloody wound Robert an Indian told
his master gave him a Mark: Words if his master
shou[illegible] were Doing for him, & thereupon gave
a Mark unto the said Robert a good [illegible]
when he was to performe his promise he only
paid the said Hailes 3 bushells of Corne or
thereabouts whereupon the said Hailes was
with him for not doing as good as his word
shou[illegible] the said Robert thereupon to bill both you
Dogs [illegible] said Hailes Whereupon this [illegible]
turned them out of doores & the said Hailes
set his Dogs upon him not beat him
further saith not Cornelius Cromwell
20 Sept 1653 Jurat in Curia

Matthew Alsdon his Depo

Matthew Alsdon aged 33 years or thereabouts
being examined saith That he this [illegible]
being in his own house the last Court at [illegible]
Depos remembers of talking with Wm Sh[illegible]
[illegible] the said Thomas bishopond Danl Harbott & Wm
Elliot Depon desired the said Thomas to agree
the said Thomas said he could not for [illegible]
to know whose I am desired for it is my [illegible]
& cannot work [illegible] further saith not Matthew
Alsdon
20 Septem 1653 Jurat in Curia

Colln: Mottroon his Acct upon Mr Sumnerlocks estate

The Accompt of Colln John Mottroon
of all & singular the Goods & Chattl
Mr Thomas Sumnerlocks late
of the City of Whitehaven
County of Northumberland in the
Virginia Deceased taken the 20th of
1653

Imprs the Accomptant & Administrator
doth charge himselfe with the estate
of the said Deceased contained in an
Inventory of the said Deceased in this County
Court remaining taken & sworne
[illegible] 52
[illegible]

Imprs the Accomptant & Administrator
doth crave allowance for the Funeral
for the summe of Fifteene pounds
One thousand two hundred thirty

[illegible] pounds of [illegible] and thirty
one hundred pounds of Tobacco Two Cows
[illegible] Servants owing unto Em
[illegible] Edwards on his life time & yet
[illegible] Tobacco amounting unto
[illegible] pounds of [illegible] — 6336 lb

Item to Mr Clark of Mr Pratt for his food
[illegible] on Bond bearing Mr Inventory
[illegible] Amount for Lucretia at Mr [illegible]
food amount to Mr Administrator — 0110

Totall of Mr [illegible] — 6526 lb

So it appeareth by this Account that
the Accountant & Administrator
hath paid & laid out more [illegible] Mr
Dorchester's estate did amount unto
by Mr sum of [illegible] — 1200

That Accountant hath still owing unto
him out of Mr Dorchester's estate Two Cows bought
of his Servants

20 London 1653 This Account was recorded.

An Inventory of John Rocks estate

Inventory

Imprimis 2 old swords & rings	1300
more 4 shotes & 3 [illegible]	0180
more one old Crosscut saw	0010
more one small Whipsaw saw	0020
more 2 handsaws 3 wedges	0050
more 2 boxes & old iron in them	0150
more a broad axe & a narrow axe	0030
more 3 old augers & a throw	0010
more one old dripping pan	0020
more one old pestle & [illegible]	0050
more 2 old pairs of pothooks & one old pair of tongs 1 old spit & old hook 1 old [illegible] & an old adz	0060
more one old gun	0200
more 1 old [illegible] of sheers & shears	0020
more one old bible & [illegible]	0050
more old bowles & [illegible]	0040
more one small old [illegible]	0050
more one old [illegible]	0005
more 1 old [illegible] & [illegible] & 1 small old [illegible]	0040
[illegible] one old [illegible]	0030
[illegible] found in [illegible] one old [illegible]	0040
more 1 old [illegible] & small table	0130
[illegible] 2 old [illegible] & [illegible]	0080
[illegible] 2 old sheets & 2 old shirts	

[illegible]

[illegible] 1 old blue coat

[illegible] pair of new shoes

[illegible] a pound of thread

[illegible] that he lade 3 g mulle of lime

[illegible] Pott of [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible] Doublet & Doe

[illegible] 1 Bull of Doublet specially the two

[illegible] 29 dimsilength of Flanell

[illegible] & left Sheets

[illegible] one Bit of Ffrench Cinagon

[illegible] 1 [illegible]

[illegible] 2 [illegible]

[illegible] for 1 [illegible]

[illegible] 1 Dublas

[illegible] Spirit [illegible] of Wine

[illegible] for 12 lbs 3 Dozen

[illegible] for 1 [illegible] Bottle

[illegible] for [illegible] of a Frynggan & a [illegible]

[illegible] for [illegible]

[illegible] for 7 yds of [illegible]

[illegible] for [illegible] yards

[illegible] powder [illegible]

[illegible] small [illegible] for [illegible] Dozen

[illegible] 1 [illegible] Dozen 1 Bull Calfe

[illegible] 1 [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible] smooth

[illegible] 7 [illegible] [illegible] Friend

[illegible] & [illegible] & Ribbon & [illegible] of [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible]

[illegible] 1 old pair of hangers

[illegible] 1 old [illegible] of pistols

[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] sum 3.6 00

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] John Cook Dr

[illegible]

[illegible] John Hollowes

[illegible] to Robert [illegible]

[illegible] to Mr Hollowes

[illegible] to Mr Hollowes for Abraham [illegible]

[illegible] to Mr Sparks

[illegible] to Robt Hills

[illegible] due to Nathaniel [illegible]

[illegible] pounds [illegible]
to John Goodwin to finish worke due from John Downes 0600
[illegible] Agalls 0100
[illegible] due to Nathaniel Pope 055[illegible]
paid to Mr Conrad 1000
paid to Mr Brodhurst 0100
paid to Henry Brooke 0250
paid for 11 gallons [illegible] 044[illegible]
paid for his buriall [illegible]
paid for ye praising of ye estate 0[illegible]
paid ye Clerke fees [illegible]
[illegible] bill [illegible]
[illegible] to 3000 lb of ye aforesaid [illegible] 0225
[illegible] Saunders by [illegible] 037
[illegible] 054
[illegible] 1653 [illegible] 077

[illegible] Thos Stell [illegible] doth
land [illegible] Smith [illegible] quitt claime [illegible] Smith his heirs
& assigns all such [illegible] land [illegible] mg Pattent
at Little Wooromoro [illegible] by the
said Smith mg [illegible] said
Smithes Pattent [illegible] that he wanting
to mind [illegible] further
[illegible] Saunders in
law shall avoide [illegible] of
March 1652 [illegible] Wollaston
[illegible] Pope
[illegible] Septem. 1653 [illegible] Dingwell was
acknowledged in Court by [illegible] Dingwell
[illegible] recorded.

Hollowell & Dop. John Hollowell gent aged 40 yeares or thereabouts
being sworne & examined saith that he knoweth Doper
[illegible] Mr Dodson [illegible] at Mr Dodmans house
that he [illegible] said Dodson [illegible] false
[illegible] they were legd at [illegible]
And further that [illegible] John Hollowell
21 Octo 1653 Jurat in Curia Westmorlandiae

[illegible] man & Dop. John Dodman gent aged 30 yeares or thereabouts
being sworne & examined saith the very same
relation that Mr Hollowell hath deposed. And
further saith not John Dodman
21 Octo 1653 Jurat in Curia Westmorlandiae

[illegible] wife of the Spoke gent aged 42
thereabouts being sworne & examined saith
Mr Winter Chapman brought into this Do[illegible]
servants about 4 or 5 yeares agoe to sell
them to this Deponent & husband Louis Ama[illegible]
were two boyes named Henry & Thomas [illegible]
were brothers the elder was bound by Indent[illegible]
to serve 5 yeares the other w[illegible] was [illegible]
[illegible] indenture was signed by the said bo[illegible]
[illegible] this Deponent knew the said Boy [illegible]
[illegible] said he was to serve Pole John Mo[illegible]
[illegible] for ten years by the said Pole
Moltrum brought him. Did further this Depo[illegible]
saith not Elias Spoke
[illegible] Jurat Coram me Will [illegible]

George Day aged 23 yeares or thereabouts
his Depo[illegible] being sworne & examined saith that this Depo[illegible]
[illegible] with Mr Winter Chapman servants
about 5 yeares agoe when the said Mr Chapman
brought in two boyes that were brothers the
elder of them named Henry was to serve by
Indenture for 5 yeares & the younger named
Thomas Nest was to serve for 7 yeares
this Deponent heard the said Thomas say that he
was to serve 7 yeares in the Plantation that the
Pole John Moltrum bought the said Henry
Thomas of the said Mr Chapman did further
saith not George Day his mark.
24 Octo 1653 Jurat Coram me Elias Spoke

Thomas Spoke gent aged 30 yeares or thereabouts
his Depo being sworne & examined saith that Mr Winter
Chapman brought into this Country some
about 4 or 5 yeares agoe to sell & brought
[illegible] among st others were
to this Deponent & Louis Nest who
boyes named Louis Nest & Thomas Nest were found by Indenture
to this Deponent & the elder of them was bound
[illegible] yeares & the younger
[illegible] yeares the Indenture was signed by them was to
[illegible] yeares and Mr Chapman told this Deponent
[illegible] for the elder he to this Deponent
[illegible] the said Mr Chapman
[illegible] this Deponent saith not Elias Spoke
[illegible] 1653 Jurat Coram me Will [illegible]