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Thomas Todd to John Shaw — Discharge

Maryland ss. These are to Certifie to whome it may all Persons concerne, That I Thomas Todd, of ware parish in the Colony of Virginia Gent. for the affection that I bare unto John Shaw, being Servant to mr. Said Thomas Todd, upon my plantation called Denton, and for and in Consideration of Thirty pounds of Good and Lawfull money of England Given p will to the Said Thomas Todd, p Captain John Ferry, Late deceas'd of potapsco river in Baltimore County, upon Condition of the Said Thomas Todd would Set the Said John Shaw, free as p will of Mr. Ferry, deceas'd doth more Fully and at Large appear, the Said Thirty pounds being already paid by Charles Merryman, Administrator of Mr. Ferry, Deceased, and received p Mr. Thomas Todd, above said. I the Said Thomas Todd, being willing to fulfill the will of the Deceased above said and for Divers other good Causes and thereunto moving, doe p these presents Sell free Acquit & release the Said John Shaw, from me my heirs Executors & assigns forever, as Witness my hand and Seal this Seventeenth day of may Anno Domini 1699

Sealed & Delivered in the presence of us — John Hayes, John Gay, Richd. Colegate

Thomas Todd (Seal)

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William & Oliver York to Mark Swift, — Conveyance

This Indenture, made the Eight Day of August, Anno Domini 1699, and in the Eleventh year of the Reigne, of our Sovereigne Lord King William, the third of England &c. Between, William York, and Oliver York, of Baltimore County in the province of Maryland planter, of the One part, And Mark Swift, of the County and province aforesaid Merchant of the Other part, Witnesseth, that they the Said, William York, and Oliver York, for a (Valuable)

Valuable Consideration already in hand paid and Secured to be paid before the Insealing and Delivery of these presents, and have Bargained Sold and by these presents doe fully clearly and absolutely, Bargain Sell Alien Infeoff Transfer and Confirmee unto him the Said mark Swift, his heirs Executors Administrators or assigns forever a Certain Tract or parcell of Land, Lying on the west Branch of Bush river, and in the north Side of the Said Branch, Called, Hathaways Truft, Beginning at a bounded white Oak Standing at the head of a Gutt, in the northermost Line of a parcell of Land called, Chivallry Hall, then running north East forty five perches to the mouth of a Creek, called, Ath, ha, Creek then running up the Said Creek perches then west north west five hundred Thirty three perches, then South South East forty five perches, then with a direct Line to the first Bounded Tree, Containing and now Said Out for one hundred and fifty acres, be it more or less. Together with all Rights profits and benefits thereunto belonging, as houses Edifices buildings and the Reversion and reversions, remainders of all and Singular the Said granted premises, and also all the Estate Right title Interest, Claime & Demand of them the Said, William York and Oliver York, to build plant or Otherwise having free Egress and regresses thereon without any molestation Denial or Voition of any person or persons whatsoever, and of and to every part and parcell thereof from them the Said William York and Oliver York To him the Said Mark Swift, his heirs Executors administrators & assigns forever, (That is to Say) that they the Said, William York & Oliver York for and notwithstanding or being by them or by their means consent privity or procurment had made Committed or done or willingly or wi[illegible] suffered to the Contrary now and at the time of the Sealing and D[illegible]very of Standeth and is Solely and wholely and only rightfully Se[illegible]ze the Estate hereby to be granted Shall be Sufficiently past & Vested as [illegible] in and upon the Said Mark Swift, his heirs and assigns Shall S[illegible] Seized of all the premises of a good absolute and perfect Estate I[illegible] his heirs forever, in his own right and to his own use without

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