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At a Meeting of the Vestry of St James's Parish Feb.y 4th 1805 -

Rever.d John W. Compton

Prest. — Thomas Lillard, Edward Hall, Philip Pindell, Jacob Franklin Junr., Thomas Sellman — Vestrymen

Ordered that the same Contract be continued with the Rev.d John W. Compton for the year 1805 as Existed the preceding year with the additional privilege that the s.d Rev.d John W. Compton may if he shall think it Expedient officiate every other Sunday in All St.s Parish Calvert County.

Ordered that Benjamin Allein Jacob Franklin Junr. and Thomas Sellman are hereby authorised and requested to make Enquiries relative to the Lines of the Lines of Pig Point Glebe Lands, and they are also authorised to settle the Bounds of said Land with the parties Interested, Provided they can settle them (in their opinions) to the advantage of the Church.

At a special meeting of the Vestry and Parishioners of Saint James's Parish held on Monday the 13th day of May 1805 for the purpose of Voting out four Vestrymen and Electing four others the following Vestrymen were put out and again Elected - Edward Hall, Benj.n Allein Philip Pindell & Robert B. Bell -

Present - Rever.d Wm. Compton John Johns Benj.n Allein Philip Pindell Jacob Franklin Junr. Edward Hall Vestrymen.

Robert B. Bell appeared and was Qualified as a Vestryman.

The Vestry proceeded to Elect two Church Wardens when they Elected John Geary and William Weems -

I do Swear that I do not hold myself bound in Allegiance to the King of Great Britain, and that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to the State of Maryland -

Robert B. Bell

I do Solemnly declare that I believe the Holy Scriptures as held Canonical by the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of Maryland to be the reveal'd Will of God, and that through them I hope to obtain Salvation -

Robt. B. Bell

I do Solemnly declare Swear that I will faithfully Execute the office of a Vestryman of St. James's Parish in Anne Arundell County without prejudice favour or affection according to the best of my knowledge -

Robert B. Bell.

At a Meeting of the Vestry of St James's Parish Aug.t 3th 1805 were Prest.

Rever.d John W. Compton

Present — Benjamin Allein, Edward Hall, John Johns, Jacob Franklin Junr., Thomas Sellman, Robert B. Bell — Vestrymen

John Gaery and William Weems (being previously appointed) appeard and Qualified as Church Wardens in manner and form following -

We do Swear that we do not Hold ourselves bound in Allegiance to the King of Great Britain and that we will be