it all he believes but two hundred acres, being asked by the plantiff, did you not at that time and for many years before and since live in these parts this deponant saith he did, and further this deponant saith not. — Taken and sworn to on the survey this 11th april 1799.

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James Gittings Lessee against Aquila Hall

The deposition of James Baker aged about fifty five years old been sworn on the holy Evangelist of almighty God deposeth and saith that he was Surveyor and laid off the land from James Bosley to Captain George Buchhanan and this deponant saith that he heard James Bosley tell Captain Buchhanan that he might recover some land to the north of this fence, this deponant also saith that he has several times since heard Captain Buchhanan say that he would try to get it. — being asked by the Plantiff, have you not heard Captain Buchanan say in the presence of the Plantiff that he was determined to contend for it. — This deponant saith he has. — being asked by the defendant, did you not lay off the land to Captain Buchhanan at the time you surveyed it after James Bosley sold by the fences now shewn the Sheriff and Surveyor, this deponant saith he believes he did. — being asked as above was the Plantiff in Company when you laid of the land as above this Deponant saith that he believes he was with them some times in makeing the survey but he cant tell wheather he was when he laid off this part. — being also asked as above. — did you buy the Certificate of survey made out at that time for Captain Buchhanan as sold by James Bosley to him include any land to the northward of the fence now shewn this deponent saith he did not. — being asked as above, doth you know who owned and cultivated the cleard land to the northward and up to this fence, this deponant saith that he always understood that old Mr. Tolly claimed it till his death and since his death Mr. Hall and that he has also seen Mr. Tolley and Mr. Hall people at work on the ground, and further this deponent saith not. — Taken and sworn to on the survey this 15th april 1799 —

James Baker

James Gittings Lessee against Aquila Hall

The deposition of James Baker aged about fifty five years old being sworn on the holy Evangelist of almighty God deposeth and saith that upwards of twenty years ago the stump now shewn the Sheriff and Surveyor was shewn to this deponent by James Moore and Samuel Young at different times and this deponent saith that he has run from it several times as being the second tree of Thaneeses Freedom and since has been shewn it by Thomas

Franklin as being the said tree, and further this deponent saith not. — Taken and sworn to on the survey this 15th april 1799. —

James Baker.

James Gittings Lessee against Aquila Hall

The deposition of Philip Chamberlain about fifty two years old being sworn on the holy Evangelist of almighty God deposeth and saith that about sea or seven and thirty years ago Thomas Nichols Juner. came to the place now shewn the Sheriff and Surveyor and told this Deponant that this was the beginning of Thompsons Choice and that he had carried the chain for James Moore Surveyor from this place, this deponant also saith that the said boundry was within the field that a certain Henry Goodwin occupied which was inclosed by a fence at that time within the line know shewn as above. — Being asked by the Defendant, who this Henry Goodwin was tenant to, this deponant saith that he was tenant to Zacheus Barrett Onion but this deponent saith that he always knew him by the name of Zach Onion. Being asked as above, wheather Thomas Nichols Juner is alive or not, this deponant saith he has been informed he is. — Being asked by the Plantiff were you not about the time you speak of when Thomas Nichols shewed you this place well acquainted with all the grounds hereabout and were you not in the habit of hunting cattle through the same, this Deponent saith he was for many years. Being asked as above, wheather or not were straggling apple trees standing about to the northward of this place and know great distance from the same, this deponant saith there was scattering apple trees about the old field and further this deponant saith not. — Taken and sworn to on the survey this 11th april 1799. for Pff.

Philip Chamberlain

James Gittings Lessee against Aquila Hall

The Deposition of Philip Chamberlain about fifty two years old being sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God deposeth and saith that about five or six and thirty years ago this Deponant was employed by a certain William Heman who rented the ground, to the eastward of the place know shewn the Sheriff and Surveyor of Thomas Gittings Juner, and this deponant also saith that there was a fence at that time, and that he plowed to said fence for the said Heman and that the fence belonged to Thomas Gittings Juner, this deponent further saith that the said fence comes at or near the place know shewn as above and that the grounds to the westward of the said fence was all in woods at that time, and further this deponant saith not. — Taken and sworn to on the survey this 10th day of April 1799 —

Philip Chamberlain

James Gittings Lessee against Aquila Hall. —

The deposition of Thomas Lucas aged about sixty seven years old