Sworn before me the day and year aforesaid
Wm Stewart ck

True Copy from the original
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The deposition of Jarvis Haugham being of full age and duly sworn on the Holy Evangelist of almighty God deposeth as follows. That this deponent was employed by Col. Cresap & Lieutenant Prather when Col. Cresap was Surveyor of Prince Georges County to plot the Lands surveyed while Col. Cresap acted as deputy Surveyor and amongst many field notes of Surveys made for Thomas Bladen Esquire he remembers one come to his hands under the name of white oak Level or pleasant valley beginning at two bounded white oaks standing near the river Bank about one mile below the mouth of Rocks creek which he entered on Col. Cresaps certificate Book by the name of pleasant valley. of which the certificate now produced and lodged in the Land office is a true copy and in his own hand writing Thus far taken at the request of John Hall Esqr on behalf of Col. George Mason. The following Interrogatories were put to him by Doctor David Ross 1st How long have you lived with or done business for Col. Cresap. A since the year 1744 he has at times done business for Col. Cresap and in particular in making out plots of Land for him sometimes at his own house and sometimes at Col. Prathers 2nd were all the plots and certificates entered regularly in a Book kept by Col. Cresap for that purpose by you A many of the certificates were entered by myself and some few by Martin Moran under my direction. 3rd was it a bound Book or what.

sort of a Book was it you made those entries in - A a folio Book bound in Leather - 4th In whose possession is that Book. A - I imagine it to be in possession of Col. Cresap 5th when and where did you see that Book last. A I saw it in Mr Gapaways house this day. 6th do you know where that tract of Land lies called white oak level or pleasant valley A I know no more than by the discription in the certificate 7th what name is the tract of Land that Plumb lives on been known by at the mouth of Rocks creek. A I have always called it pleasant valley by which name I returned it but Providence Mounce calls it white oak Levell or Pleasant valley. 8th did you or when did you amend the certificate A I corrected the certificate now in the office but cannot ascertain the time 9th what conversation has passed between you and Col. Cresap in regard to the dispute between Mr Bladen and Doctor Ross about white oak Level or pleasant valley A none except asking me by what name I returned the tract where Plumb lives on and I answered by the name of Pleasant valley. 10th what conversation has passed between you and the neighbours or any of them or any other person or persons in the dispute between Mr Bladen and Doctor Ross relating to the tract where Plumb lives on or in regard to its being called white oak Level. and the certificate returned by the name of Pleasant valley A I know of no other questions that was asked me only what name it was called by. and I told them by the name of Pleasant valley 11th as the name of the tract was returned by Col. Prather by the name of white oak level or Pleasant valley why why did you return the certificate by the name of Pleasant valley A I thought one name sufficient and chose the latter 12th what is become of the original field notes returned by Col. Prather Deputy