August Court 1727 ——

By Baltemore County Court Ordered that this return and all things relating thereto be accordingly Recorded ——

Signed p Order Stokes Clk

Proceedings on Land Commissions returned at November Court Anno Domi 1727 ——

Mary Marshalls ... Commission Returned

To the Worshipfull the Justices of Baltemore County the Petition of Mary Marshall of the said County Widow Sheweth That your petitioner is seized in fee of a parcell of land Called Goldsmiths rest lying on Spesutias Creek in the said County Originally on the Sixteenth Day of July — Sixteen hundred and fifty Eight laid out for a Certain George Goldsmith the father of your Petitioner, the bounds of which said land being Either Decayed or Destroyed your Petitioner is able to prove the Same and therefore requests your Worships to grant a Commission therefore pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Assembly in Such Cases made and provided for which She will be Ever bound to Pray ——

June Court 1727 Which Petition being read & by the Justices of ~~June Court aforesaid~~ heard is accordingly granted and Garrett Garrettson, Francis Holland, John Clarke, and Joseph Johnson are appointed commiss.rs to Examine Evidences relating to the bounds of the s.d land and it ~~was~~ ordered that a Commission ~~and~~ Issue returnable at ~~August~~ Court next Directed to the above said Commiss.rs for that Purpose ——

Which said Commission was not Executed according to law. Therefore on the Petition of the said Mary ~~Wife~~ ~~at~~ August Court ~~1728~~ it was ordered that a New Commission ~~should~~ issue returnable at

November Court instant Directed to the Same Commissioners for the purpose aforesaid

Baltemore County ss

Charles Absolute Lord & Propr. of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltemore &c. To Garrett Garrettson, Francis Holland, John Clarke and Joseph Johnson of Baltemore County Greeting Whereas Mary Marshall of the said County by her humble Petition to our Justices of our County aforesaid at a Court held at the Town of Joppa in and for the Same Co.ty on the first tuesday of June last hath obtained a Commission to Prove the bounds of a Parcell of land Called Goldsmiths rest lying on Spesutias Creek in the Said County Originally on the Sixteenth Day of July Sixteen hundred and fifty Eight Laid out for a Certain George Goldsmith and whereof the Said Mary is now Seized in Fee We are therefore to impower you any three or two of you (having first taken an Oath before our Said County Court or Some Magistrate Duely and Impartially to Examine and Certifie the Evidences) to Issue Summons for all such Evidences as Shall be to you Nominated by the Petitioner or other person Concerned ~~[illegible]~~ to appear before you at a Certain Day by you to be appointed upon the p.mises of s.d land, also to Examine all such Evidences upon their Corporall Oaths (by you to be Administred) of their Knowledge Concerning the s.d bounds of the Said Land & also Carefully to Reduce what such Evidences Shall Declare into writeing (in the presence of all the parties Concerned that Shall be there present) and return the Same to our Justices of our said County at a

Court