About the Twenty fifth day of March
Anno Domi Seventeen hundred and the
laid out for a certain Thomas Roberts
for five hundred Acres which said land
on the South side of the great Falls of
Gunpowder River the bounds of which
your Petitioner being able to prove
desires that Commissioners may be
appointed to Examine the Evidences and
Return their Depositions to be recorded
pursuant to the directions of an Act
of Assembly in such Cases made and
provided for which your Petitioner
will pray &c; Which Petition being
read and by the Justices of June Court
1729 heard was accordingly granted
and Luke Stansbury, John Ristean,
Nicholas Day, and John Cockey, or
any three or two of them were appoint
Commissioners to Examine Evidences
relateing to the bounds of the said
land, and it was ordered that a Commis
shouts Issue returnable at November
Court Instant Directed to the above
said Commissioners for that Purpose

Baltemore County ss

(Co: seal) Charles Absolute Lord
and Proprietary of the Provinces of
Maryland and Avalon Lord Barron
of Baltemore &c: To John Ristean, John
Cockey, Luke Stansbury, and Nicholas
Day of Baltemore County greeting;
Whereas a certain John Willmot of
the said County by his humble
petition to our Justices of our said
County at a Court held at the Town
of Joppa in and for the same County
on the first Tuesday of June Instant
hath set forth that he is seized
in fee of part of a Tract of land called
(Roberts)

Roberts Forrest originally on or
about the Twenty fifth day of March
Anno Domi Seventeen hundred and
twenty three laid out for a certain
Thomas Roberts which said land
lieth on the South side of the great
Falls of Gunpowder river the bounds of
which he is able to Prove These are
Therefore to Impower you, or any three
or two of you (having first taken an
oath before our County Court or some
Magistrate Duly & Impartially to
Examine and Certifie what Evidences
shall be to you brought to prove or
perpetuate the Memory of any the
bounds of the said Tract of land or of
any other lands whereon the same
shall Depend or whereto it relates) to
Issue Summons for all such Evidences
as shall be to you Nominated by the
Petitioner or other person Concerned, to
appear before you at a certain day by you
to be appointed upon any such of the aforesd
lands the boundarys whereof are to be
proved or perpetuated; also to Examine all
such Evidences upon their Corporall oath
by you to be administred of their knowe-
ledge, Concerning the severall bounds of
such Lands, also carefully to reduce what
the Evidences shall declare into writing
in the presence of all the parties Concerned
that shall be there present and return
the same to our Justices of County aforesd
at a Court to be held at the Town of
Joppa aforesaid on the first tuesday of
November next there to be Recorded in
Perpetuall Memory; and you are therefore
hereby required before your meeting as
as aforesaid, where all parties live in
in the County or where they are not
known, to affix publick notes at the
Parish Church where the aforesaid
land lyes Three Sundays at the
(least)