till very lately, when an Ejectmt. was brot. by the Coheiresses of Francis Manning against the present Defendants. This deponent further saith that he is and has been for a long time past so well acquainted with the plantation called the Gore that he verily believes there is not in any one place 5 acres of the part claimed by the defendants but what has been tended or is or has been inclosd. or that has had timber Cutt off of it by the Somerville Family — and further Saith not.

Sworn before Jn. Brooke Sheriff of Calvert County.

No. 2. The Deposition of Sam.l Parran aged abt. 73 years who being sworn as in No. 1. and standing at the dwelling house — mentioned in No. 1. deposeth and saith that he can remember about sixty years ago the land call'd the Gore was in the possession of Doct. Jas. Somerville and that ever since that time the said Land has been and still is in the possession of the said Somervilles, and that he has seen the said Land tended in different parts, and has known Timber Cutt on the said Land as far back as 40 years ago for the purpose of Building a House on the said Land by Doct James Somerville this deponent further saith that he can remember as far back as 60 years that the Family of the Mannings has lived within a Mile or two of the said Gore and that he never heard that any of them ever pretended to have any right or title to any of the said Land call'd the Gore, and further Saith not; Sworn — before Jn. Brooke Sheriff of Calvert Coty.

No. 3. The Deposition of Rousby Miller aged about 70 years who being Sworn as in No. 1. and now Standing at the dwelling house described and mentioned in No. 1. deposeth and saith that he can remember upwards of 50 years ago the Land describ'd in No. 1. was in possession of Doct. James Somervill and that ever since that time the said Land has been and still is in the possession of the Family of the Somervills and that he has seen the land tended in different places and has known Stones got from different places of the said Land for, and made use of about the foundation of the dwelling House where he now stands built by Doct. James Somerville about 19 yrs. ago — and that he has known the Family of the Mannings to be living within a mile or two

Two of the said Land call'd the Gore as far back as 58 years and that he never understood they ever ~~[illegible]~~ pretended to have any right or title to any part or parcell of the said Land call'd the Gore & further saith not. Sworn before Jn. Brooke, Sheriff of Calv.t County.

No. 4. The Deposition of John Manning aged abt. 61 years who being Sworn as in No. 1. and now standing at the dwelling house describ.d in No. 1. and mentioned in No. 2. and No. 3. Deposeth and saith that upwards of 50 years ago he can remember the Land called the Gore being in the possession of Doct. James Somerville and tended by him in different parts and so on by the Family of the Somervills ever since and that he has seen the said Land inclos'd and Tended in different parts by the said Doct. James Somervill and by the family of the Somervills ever since and also has known timber to be Cutt in different parts of the said Land by the said Somervills and that about 50 years ago he remembers to have seen wood Cutt on the said Land for the purpose of Burning Bricks to build a dwelling house, which Dwelling house was afterwards built by the said Doct. James Somervill on the said Land with the Bricks aforesaid and this deponent — further saith that he never knew his Brother Tho.s Manning or any other person to pretend to have any right title or claim to that part of the said Land claim'd and possess'd by the said Doct. James Somerville and further saith not.

Sworn before Jn. Brooke Sheriff of Calvert County

No. 5. The Deposition of Leonard Mills aged about 47 years who being Sworn as in No. 1. and now standing at the dwelling House — describ.d in No. 1. and mentioned in No. 2. No. 3. and No. 4. deposeth and Saith that he was overseer for James Somervill Abt. 21 years ago on the Norther most End of the land call'd the Gore and that he was directed by the said Somervill to cutt down trees on the said Land for the purpose of inclosing the same which he accordingly Did, and tended the land as far as the main branch of St. Leonards Creek and to the head of the bay Side lands and that he never understood that any other person Except the Somervills had any right title or claim to the said Lands — and further Saith not.

Sworn before Jn. Brooke sheriff of Calv.t County

No. 6. The Deposition of James Mills aged about 45 years who being Sworn as in No. 1 and now standing at the Dwelling House describ.d in No. 1. and mentioned in No. 2. No. 3. No. 4. and No. 5. deposeth and