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this Deponent saith he did and further this deponent saith not
Taken and Sworn to on the Survey this 6th day of September 1798.

Thomas Nichols

James Gittings Lessee
against
Aquila Hall

The Deposition of Thomas Nichols the Second aged about fifty seven years deponeth and saith that the place now shewn to the Sheriff and Surveyor was shewn to him this deponent about thirty seven years ago by a certain Thomas Gittings as the beginning of a tract of land called Thompsons Choice and he with this deponent with the Surveyor and others proceeded to run from the same as such and he this Deponent further saith that since that time he has seen the said land called Thompsons Choice run from the said place as its beginning and further saith not Taken on the Survey this 17th August 1798. Taken on part of plaintiff Thomas Nichols

James Gittings Lessee
against
Aquila Hall

The deposition of Thomas Nichols the Second Deponeth and saith that about Twenty five or Twenty six years ago he this Deponent came to the hickory stump with a pile of stones lying around it now shewn to the Sheriff and Surveyor with George G. Presbury Surveyor and a certain James Greenfield and proceeded from the said stump to run a certain tract of land called Thompsons Choice at the request of the said James Greenfield and further saith not Taken on the Survey this 17th August 1798

Taken on part Aff Thomas Nichols

James Gittings Lessee
against
Aquila Hall

The deposition of John Wiles aged about 45 years being sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth and saith that about fifteen years ago the fence now shewn the Sheriff and Surveyor was mowed and that about nineteen or twenty years ago

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the fence leading from a large rock stone upwards was put where it now stands Question by Plaintiff At the time that the fence now shewn was laid or mended by Mr. Bosley did not Mr. Bosley say that he was determined to get as high up on Mr. Tooley as he could and that he laid it there merely for peace sake and for the present time this deponent answered that when Mr. Bosley got to a Locust in the bend of the fence this deponent asked him what was the reason he did not put a straight fence Mr. Bosley said he put it there and if it did not please Mr. Tolley he would put further up for he said his right line went between Mr. Tolleys barn and fence and that Mr. Bosley said Mr. Tolleys was the old deed survey Question by Plaintiff did you not understand from Mr. Bosley that he claimed the Land which lies to the northward of the fence you now shown up to or nearly as high as Mr. Hales barn which you now see This deponent answered he heard him say the line came below the barn Question by the Plaintiff did you not understand Mr. Bosley that the line run near the barn this deponent answered that he did and further saith not Taken on the Survey this 25th September 1798 on part

Aff John his + mark Wiles

James Gittings Lessee
against
Aquila Hall

The Deposition of Thomas Nichols aged about fifty eight years being sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth and saith that at or near the place now shewn the Sheriff and Surveyor run a fence of Thomas Gittings the present Plaintiffs father then in possession of a Tract of land called Thompsons Choice and further saith not Taken on the Survey this 26 September 1798 on part

Aff. Thomas Nichols

Thomas Gittings Lessee
against
Aquila Hall

The Deposition of Thomas Nichols aged about fifty eight years being sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God