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documents and
comments thereon*

*Maryland Hall of Records
07/23/68 PATENTS
LIBER 14 Folio 112*

David Long, Pat 100 Acres the Forrest Flower

CHARLES P'r

Know Ye that whereas in pursuance of our Instructions to our Governor & Judge in Land Affairs for the Granting our Back Lands on the Borders of this our Province bearing Date the Fourteenth day of June Seventeen Hundred & Thirty three and Registered in our Land Office John Henry Deputy Surveyor of our County of Worcester hath by his Certificate Returned into our Land Office Certified that he hath laid out for a Certain David Long of said County a Tract of Land lying & being in said County on our said Borders Containing One hundred Acres called the Forrest Flower and upon such Conditions and Terms as are Expressed in our conditions of Plantation of our said Province bearing Date the Fifth day of April Sixteen hundred & Eighty four and remaining upon Record in our said Province together with such Alterations as in them are made by our further Conditions bearing Date the Fourth Day of December Sixteen Hundred & Ninety Six together also with the Alterations made by our Instructions bearing Date at London the Twelfth Day of September Seventeen Hundred & Twelve & Registered in our Secretarys Office of our said Province & for which said Land the said David Long has paid the sum of two pounds Sterling Caution for the same as Appears in our Land Office

We Do Therefore hereby Grant unto him the said David Long all that the
aforesaid Tract or parcel of Land Called the Forrest Flower lyeing &
being in the County af'd & on our said Borders, Beginning at a marked Red
Oak Standing on a Ridge of high Land between Swamps Commonly Called the
burnt Ground on the Westermost side of the head of a branch issuing out of
the Indian River Called Vine's Branch and from thence with a Line Drawn
North fifty two degrees West One hundred and forty poles thence South
fifty Degrees West one hundred and seventeen poles and from thence South
fifty two Degrees East One hundred and forty poles and from Thence with a
Right Line to the first bounder Containing and now Laid out for One
hundred Acres more or less According to the Certificate of Survey thereof
taken & Returned into our Land Office bearing Date the Ninth day of
January Seventeen Hundred and forty two and there Remaining together with
all Rights Profits Benefits and privileges there unto belonging Royal
Mines excepted To Have and to Hold the same unto him the said David Long
his Heirs and Assigns for ever to be holden of us & our Heirs as of our
Manor of Worcester in free and Common Soccage by fealty only for all
Manner of Services Yielding and Paying therefore Yearly unto us & our
Heirs at our Receipt at our City of St Marys at the two most usual feasts
in the year viz't the feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
and St. Michael the Arch Angel by even & Equal portions the rent of Four
Shillings Sterling in Silver or gold

and for a fine upon every Alienation of the said Land, or any part or parcel thereof, one whole years Rent in Silver or Gold, or the full Value thereof in such Commodities as we and our Heirs or such Officer or Officers as Shall be appointed by us and our Heirs, from time to time, to Collect and receive the same shall accept in Discharge thereof at the choice of us and our Heirs or such Officer or Officers aforesaid provided That if the Said sum for a Fine for Alienation shall not be paid unto Us and our heirs or such Officer or Officers aforesaid before such Alienation Entered upon Record either in the Provincial Court or County Court where the Same parcel of Land lieth within One Month next after Such Alienation then the said Alienation shall be Void and of no Effect Given under our Great Seal of our said Province of Maryland this twenty fifth Day of March Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and forty eight Witness our Trusty and well beloved Samuel Ogle Esquire Lieutenant General and Chief Governor of our Said Province of Maryland , Chancellour and Keeper of the Great Seal therof.

Sam'l {{The Great}} Ogle Chanc'lr

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