

BRYAN, JOHN (decd.)

1773

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Deer Kent County Delaware &c } To the justices of the orphans Court held in D^o town
the 24th of 2^d month 1773 } for said County now sitting

The Petition of William Powell humbly sheweth
that whereas John Bryan late of said County Deceased was legally seized in his
Demise as of fee of and in seventy four acres and seventy eight square perches
of Land situate on the north side of Isaac webbs branch part of A larger tract
of Land called Long Reach and there being sundry Heirs thereto and after a
series of Legal proceedings by Wills and order of the orphans Court of sd County
from time to time and a survey thereof being by Samuel M^cCall Surveyor of the
said County made on said premises as by a Draught thereof by him made and Performed
to the Return of the Valuation of the said Premises as made by the freeholders
appointed by the said Court for that purpose as appear by the proceedings of said
Orphans Court on Record wherein it appears that the ^{said} Lands premises is valued
at forty shillings per acre amounting to the sum of one hundred & forty eight
pounds nineteen shilling and six pence

Your petitioner prays that he may be permitted to Except of y^d sd Land and premi
at y^d sd Valluation according to an act of General Assembly of this Government in
that Case made and provided And your Petitioner as in Duty bound shall ever pray

W^m Powell

Cost for paper paid same as before
near £ 11.0.0

Petition of
Wm Powell
to Accept of
the lands of
Jm. Bryan
Deed. at the
Valuation

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