

*Somerset County Records that include Daniel the King
of the Pocomoke Indians*

Citation;

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One John Parker of this County had much offended him by building
upon his Land &c. It is therefore Considered & Ordered by this Court
that the said John Parker desist from any further proceeding or building
upon the foresaid Land till the said Kings bounds be knowne, and when
known that four English Men & four Indians be appointed to inspect
and view the foresaid bounds & also to make Report thereof to this Court
The Persons by this Court appointed to view the said Bounds &c. are
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Robert Smith. — The Persons appointed by y^e King are —
Morumsco James, Nasswaddox Dick, Pocomoke Thomas &
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By Vertue of an Order of Court bearing date the 14th ¹² anno Domini 1695. This Day appeared Rowland Beavins Senior & Junio^r as also Robert Smith Likewise appeared King Daniel King of Pocomoke & four of his great Men, in Obedience to the foresd Order (viz) to determine & make Report of & Concerning the sd Kings Land, and whether that one John Parker of this County hath made any infringm^t or built within the sd Kings bounds or not. And they the Said Rowland Beavins Senio^r & Junio^r with y^e sd Robert Smith doe Report & Say to the Worth Court, that in obedience to the foresd Order of Court they have inspected into the sd King Daniels Lands, & have rightly found out his lines and bounds, & doe find that he the sd John Parker hath built nigh half a mile within the sd Kings Land & bounds – Whereupon this Court having well Considered y^e premises Doe Order that he the sd John Parker from hence forward wholly desist from any further proceeding or building upon the foresd King Daniels Land. the matter thereon Consisting of the Peace & Welfare of this Province. &c. 73

By Vertue of an Order of this Court bearing date November 14th anno Domini 1695. This Day appeared Rowland Beavins Senior & Junio^r as also Robert Smith Likewise appeared King Daniel King of Pocomoke & four of his great Men, in Obedience to the foresd Order (viz) to determine & make Report of & Concerning the sd Kings Land, and whether that one John Parker of this County hath made any infringm^t or built within the sd Kings bounds or not. And they the Said Rowland Beavins Senio^r & Junio^r with y^e sd Robert Smith doe Report & Say to the Worth Court, that in obedience to the foresd Order of Court, they have inspected into the sd King Daniels Lands, & have rightly found out his lines and bounds, & doe find that he the sd John Parker hath built nigh half a mile within the sd Kings Land & bounds – Whereupon this Court having well Considered y^e premises Doe Order that he the sd John Parker from hence forward wholly desist from any further proceeding or building upon the foresd King Daniels Land. the matter thereon Consisting of the Peace & Welfare of this Province. &c. old page 73

Citation;

Volume 841 Somerset County Court (Judicial Record) 1727 – 1730, MSA CM 962-30
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King Daniel } To the worshipfull ^{Justices} of Somerset County Court the petition of Daniel King of
Pet.ⁿ } the Pocomoke Indian Town, humbly sheweth - That your petitioner and the Indians
under him have a parcel of Land in the County aforesaid Commonly known by the Name of Pocomoke -
Indian Town the boundrys whereof are like to be lost and the witnesses to prove them Ancient
and Infirm Your petitioner therefore humbly prays your worships will Issue a
Commission to such persons as you shall think proper to Examine witnesses to perpetuate
the boundrys thereof according to the form of the act of assembly in that Case made &^c
Daniel
The petition aforesaid being read and heard and fully understood and mature deliberation thereupon
had &^c Wherefore it is Considered by the Justices here that a Commission Issue to the aforesaid Daniel King
of Pocomoke Indian Town as by the petition aforesaid is praid, and that Levin Gale, John Scott, Francis
Allen, and W.^m Handy of Somerset County Gentlemen be Commissioners and Execute the Same Commission
according to Law &^c

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Gale, John Scott, Francis Allen and W.^m Handy of Somerset County Gentlemen be
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the Court that John Jones William Stoughton and John Handy of Somerset County
Gent meet at a Certain place and time by them to be appointed for the regulating of
the standard of the County aforesaid County.

Samoset 2 April, 2022