

U. H. there which might much prejudice vs, produced therevpon vnto  
 Journal him the said Greene at a meeting of the Rest of our Councill  
 1659-69 another deputation to himselfe from you the said William Stone  
 for the said Office of Lieutennant which you had prudently  
 left with him to be made vse of vpon any such occasion, vpon  
 the production whereof the former deputation to the said  
 Greene became voide. But the said Greene notwithstanding,  
 did not onely afterwards proceede to the Execution of the said  
 Acts and things, as our Lieutennant, but also (as wee are Credibly  
 informed) did insolently sweare, That although wee should send  
 directions to the Contrary hee would doe the same, whereby  
 hee shewed a very Great Neglect, and slighting of vs and our  
 authority there, which wee haue reason to resent the more from  
 him, because hee was one of the first Adventurers vnder vs to  
 that Plantation and hath often professed himselfe a faithfull  
 freind to vs, But by this Action as also by some other proceed-  
 ings of his in the Assembly there held at S<sup>t</sup> Johns in A<sup>n</sup>o  
 p. 19 Domini one thowsand Six hundred fforty Seven (when hee pre-  
 ferred his owne Ends of Lucre and gaine before our honnor or  
 proffitt as appeares by a Certificat lately sent vnto vs, inclosed  
 in a letter from the Maior part of the vpper and lower Howse  
 of our Gennerall Assembly held there in Aprill last, A Coppie  
 of which Certificat is herevnto annexed) Wee have too much  
 cause to belieue that his Great professions of affection and  
 fidellity to vs were never reall, or in order to our good, but  
 meerely for his owne sinister Ends and intrest. Wee doe  
 therefore for the Reasons aboue mentioned Hereby declare  
 All Acts and things don by the said Greene as our Lieutennant  
 there when hee was deputed by you the said William Stone in  
 that office as aforesaid to be voide and Null, Excepting such of  
 them onely as you the said William Stone shall thinke fitt to  
 confirme for our honnor and the publick good of the Province.  
 And Wee doe also hereby from and after the publication here-  
 of within our said Province discharge the said Greene from  
 being of our Councill of State Commissioner of our Thresury  
 Receiuer or any other place or imployment vnder vs there, for  
 the future And from all the bennefitts and priuiledges there-  
 vnto, or to any of the said dignities or offices belonging, Will-  
 ing and requireing you our said Lieutennant William Stone to  
 appoint some other fitting and trusty person to be our Receiuer  
 there till Wee shall otherwise dispose of that office And  
 because some other able persons who are lately already come,  
 or may [per]happs shortly come from other Parts to reside [in]  
 our said Province before wee can have notice thereof, may be  
 fitt to be of our Councill of State there for thei[r] assistance  
 of you our said Lieutennant in the Government of our said  
 Province. Wee doe therefore hereby Grant power and author-