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At a Councell held at the Gouernors howse the 11th of October 1661

Present Philip Calvert Esqr Coucrnor Henry Coursey Secrr m' Robert Clarke M' Baker Brooke M' Ed. LLoyd m' John Bateman

Vpon the mocon of John Bouge and William Mills Guardians to the children of Cuthbert Fenwicke deceased to have a writt of Particon of the land by the last will and testamt of the said Cuthbert to his sonns Cuthbert, Jgnacius Robert Richard and John Fenwicke deuised according to the tenor and purp. 120 porte of the said will now proved and vpon Record, shewing vnto the board that unles such partition be speedily made that every one knowing his parte may improue itt, the children will inevitably be undone by permitting the houseing and plantacon

now already cleared and built runne to ruine

Ordered. That a writt of particon issue to the Sherriffe of Calvert County to see particon made by a Jury of twelue men of the neighbourhood according to the tenor and purporte of the will (vizt) that they lay out unto Cuthbert ffenwicke one hundd acres next unto St Cuthberts Creeke and that afterwards they divide all the remayndr of st Cuthberts Mannor (excepting that parcell lying Westward of the Deepe branch of St Cuthberts Neck by the said will Deuised unto Jane Fenwicke) into fiue parts of equall vallue haueing regard to the Goodnes of the land not the number of acres And that then they first give unto Cuthbert Fenwicke his Share next adjoyning to his land vpon St Cuthberts Creeke and afterwards that they permitt the other brothers to chuse by lotts their Shares soe divided as aforesaid the eldest of them chuseing first and soe the next in seniority till every one haue his parte

At a Councell held at St Marys the 12th of octobr 1661

Present The Gouernor Secretary Mr Robert Clarke Mr Baker Brooke Mr Edward LLoyd and Mr John Bateman Was Sworne of the Councell Captaine James Neale And

after satt as a Counceller.

Came Capt John Odber to give an accompt of his expedicon to the Sasquehannough Forte being demanded why he came downe without order from the Gouernor.

He replyed that the Sasquehannoughs came to him and tould him that they could not compell their men to furnish the Souldiers with Prouisions according to Articles, and therefore bid them provide themselues to be gone to morrowe for there were Canowes to Goe to carry downe the Amunicon by water. That