

Lib. R. R. R. Councillis Decl upon the Rep^t of Som^rsett County Com^{rs}
for Townes.

Maryland ss:

By the hon^{ble} the Councill

Whereas the Inhabitants of the Sea Side and the places adjacent have (upon their address made to the Com^{rs} appointed for laying out the severall Townes in Som^rsett County) obtained of the said Com^{rs} to consider and enquire into the Inconveniency of the Towne appointed by the Act for Advancem^t of Trade at a place called Barrows Land, and of the greate conveniency of having a Towne appointed them at a place called Snow Hill neere the head of Pocomoke River in the County aforesaid; And whereas the said Comiss^{rs} (for the reasonableness thereof) have joined with the said Inhabitants to moove their case to this board, as by the Report of the said Com^{rs} produced and read it doth and may appeare.

This board are well satisfied therewith as the same hath been sett forth, and it is therefore considered & Ordered that if the Inhabitants aforesaid can procure to have secured to them One hundred acres of land for a Towne at Snow Hill aforesaid, This board think well thereof, and consent (soe farr as concerns them) to the same, and will joine with the said Inhabitants in procureing the confirmation of his L^{SP}: and the two houses of Assembly at the next meeteing of Assembly by an Act of Assembly to be then made appointing the Towne and place of Trade aforesaid instead of that formerly appointed at the place called Barrows Land, Dated at the Councill Chamber at the City of S^t Maries the ffourth day of October in the ninth yeare of the Dominion of the R^t hon^{ble} Charles &c^a Annoq Dmi: 1684:

Signed p ord^r

J Llewelin Cl Consil

p. 126 Severall disputes haveing been, concerning the maine branch of Nanticoke River w^{ch} is said to be the bounds betweene Som^rsett and Dorchester Counties, for the uncertainty whereof, the bounds of each County have also been disputed, and severall Erro^{rs} may thereupon ensue, which to avoid for the future any to rectifie as much as may be what is past This board passed this following ord^r (viz:)

Somerset and Dorchester County bounds to be ascertained.

Maryland ss:

By the hon^{ble} the Councill

Whereas Nantecoke River is said to be the bounds betweene Sommersett and Dorchester Counties, and there have been many disputes and doubts concerning the maine branch, and it