

willing to giue due encouragm<sup>t</sup> to the Subjects of that nacōn, Liber H. H.  
doe hereby declare them the said Barnard Vbben his wife &  
Children as well those allready borne as those hereafter to be  
borne to bee free Dennizens of this o<sup>r</sup> prouince of Maryland  
And doe further for Vs o<sup>r</sup> heires & Successo<sup>rs</sup> Streightly  
enjoyne Constitute ordeine & Comand that the s<sup>d</sup> Barnard  
Vbben bee in all things held treated reputed & esteemed as  
one of the faythfull people of Vs o<sup>r</sup> heires, & Successo<sup>rs</sup> borne  
w<sup>th</sup>in this o<sup>r</sup> prouince of Maryland and likewise any lands  
tenements Reuenues Seruices & other hereditam<sup>ts</sup> whatsoeuer  
within o<sup>r</sup> said prouince of Maryland may inherite or otherwise  
purchase receiue take haue hold buy & possess & them may  
Occupie & enjoy Giue Sell alyen & bequeath as likewise all  
libertyes franchices & priuiledges of this o<sup>r</sup> prouince of Mary-  
land freely quietly & peaceably haue & possess Occupie &  
enjoy as o<sup>r</sup> faythfull people borne or to bee borne within o<sup>r</sup> said  
prouince of Maryland without the lett molestacōn uexacōn  
trouble or Greiuance of us o<sup>r</sup> heires & Successors any Custome  
to the Contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding Giuen  
att S<sup>t</sup> Marys und<sup>r</sup> the Greate Seale of the said prouince of  
Maryland this 17<sup>th</sup> day of ffeb. in the 31<sup>th</sup> yeare of our  
Dominion ouer the said prouince Annoq Domini 1662 Wittnes  
o<sup>r</sup> Deare sonn & heire Charles Caluert Esq<sup>r</sup> Our Leiuetenn<sup>t</sup>  
o<sup>r</sup> said Prouince of Maryland

Commission issued to Captaine Hugh Neale of Charles p. 167  
County to bee Captaine of the Company late und<sup>r</sup> the Co<sup>m</sup>and  
of Captaine Christopher Russell &c. Giuen under my hand  
and seale this 20<sup>th</sup> day of ffeb<sup>r</sup> 1662

Signed Charles Caluert

ffeb. 20<sup>th</sup> Att a Councell held att S<sup>t</sup> Johns 20<sup>th</sup> ffeb. 1662.  
Leiut<sup>t</sup> Grall, Philip Caluert Esq<sup>r</sup> Chancello<sup>r</sup> Henry  
Sewall Esq<sup>r</sup> Secr. m<sup>r</sup> Baker Brooke m<sup>r</sup> John Bateman.

Vppon debate of the Councell, who shall bee appoynted  
Commis<sup>rs</sup> on th<sup>t</sup> part of the Easterne shoare newly seated, &  
adioyning to Virginia

Ordered th<sup>t</sup> m<sup>r</sup> John Elzey & Stephen Horsey be continued.  
That Randall Reuell bee out. And th<sup>t</sup> William Thorne &  
Cap<sup>t</sup> John Odber bee ioyned to m<sup>r</sup> John Elzey & Stephen  
Horsey in the s<sup>d</sup> Commis<sup>n</sup>

Vid. paulo  
supra Commis<sup>n</sup> to Cap<sup>t</sup> Hugh Neale in Charles County  
(under Co<sup>ll</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Euans) Mutatis Mutandis ut est in  
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