

Or their Leiftenn<sup>t</sup> Or Cheife Governour for the time being Liber H. H.  
And Wee Doe hereby Will & require him the said John Allen  
in Custody safely to Keepe the persons boates vessells Or  
Other truck of any person taken so tradeing w<sup>th</sup>out Lycence  
vntill they shall be brought to a Legall tryall before Our Leif-  
tenn<sup>t</sup> Or Cheife Governour of this province for the time being  
provided that this Lycence vnto the said John Allen for trade-  
ing w<sup>th</sup> the Indians shall not be in force but vntill the full end  
and terme of two yeares next ensueing the date hereof Given  
vnder the Great Seale of Our said province of maryland this  
3<sup>d</sup> day of may in the xxxvij<sup>th</sup> yeare of Our Dominion Over  
Our said province Annoq<sup>r</sup> dom̄ MDClxix Wittnes Charles  
Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Our Leiftenn<sup>t</sup> Generall & Cheife Governour of  
Our said Province of Maryland—

The oathe of the Leiuettant or Cheife Governor  
of the Province of Maryland.

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I A. B: Doe sweare that I will be true and faythfull to the  
Right hono<sup>ble</sup> Cæcilius Lord Barron of Baltemore the true and  
absolute Lord and Proprietary of this Province of Maryland  
and his heires, and him and them, and his and their Rights  
Royall Jurisdiccōns and Signiories, all and every of them, in  
to and over the said Province and llands therevnto belonging  
will at all tymes defend and mayntayne to the vtmost of my  
power And will never accept nor Execute, any place office or  
Imployment within the said Province any way concerning or  
relateing to the Governm<sup>t</sup> of the said Province from any person  
or authority but by from or vnder a Lawfull authority derived  
or to be derived from tyme to tyme vnder the hand and Seale  
at Armes of his said Lo<sup>p</sup> or his heires or Assigns, Lords and  
Proprieto<sup>rs</sup> of the said Province, I will faythfully serve his said  
Lo<sup>p</sup> as his Leivetennant of the said Province and in all other  
Offices Comitted to my Charge by his said Lo<sup>ps</sup> Com<sup>on</sup> or  
Comissions to me, And will willingly yeild vp the said Com<sup>on</sup>  
and Comissions againe, and all Offices powers and authorities  
Granted or to be granted by them or any of them into the  
hands of his said Lo<sup>p</sup> and his heires and assigns or to such  
person or persons as he or they shall appoynte whensoever he  
or they shall appoynte me soe to doe, and shall Signifie the  
same vnto me in any wryting vnder his or their hand and Seale  
at Armes And will not presume to putt in Execucōn or attempt  
to execute any office power or authority Granted vnto me by  
any of the said Commission or Com<sup>ons</sup> after that his said Lo<sup>p</sup>  
or his heires or assigns Lords and Proprietarys of the said  
Province shall repeale them or any of them respectively by  
any wryting vnder his or their respective hand and Seale at  
Armes and that the said Repeale be published within this