

Boats Vessels or other truck of any person taken so trading without License until they shall be brought to a Legal trial before our Lieut<sup>r</sup> or chief Governor of this Province for the time being and further we will that this our License to the said John Moll for trading with the said Indians shall Continue and remain in force for the space of two Years next ensuing the date hereof and not longer Given under the lesser seal of our said Province of Maryland this Eleventh day of April in the 39<sup>th</sup> Year of our dominion over our said Province Annoq Domini 1671 Witness our dear Son Charles Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> our Captain General and chief Governor of our said Province of Maryland

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Maryland ss<sup>t</sup>

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By his Excellency the General

I do hereby appoint Joseph Weeks and Tobias Wells Gent to be Iustices of the Peace in and for the County of Kent & to do and execute all such things as are belonging to any Iustice of the Peace within this Province they first taking the Oath of Fidelity to the Right honble the Lord Proprietary of this Prov<sup>s</sup> and the Oath of a Iustice of the Peace hereunder written which Oaths we do hereby Order and Appoint Henry Coursey Esq<sup>r</sup> one of his Lordships Council to administer to them and further to Order and Appoint that in all Courts of Iudicature and other publick Business that the said Joseph Weekes be chief and Reputed to be the first in Commission and Chairman (unless one of his Lordships Council be present) Given under my hand and Seal at Arms this 18<sup>th</sup> day of April in the 39<sup>th</sup> Year of the Dominion of Cecilius &c<sup>a</sup> Annoq Dom 1671

The Oath of a Iustice of Peace

I do swear that I will well and truly Execute the Office of a Iustice of Peace within the County of Kent according to my best Skill and knowledge so help me God and by the Contents of this Book

Sir William Talbot Baronet Principal Secretary of the Province of Maryland and also Keeper of all and singular the Records within the said Province and also chief Iudge for Probate of wills and Granting of Letters of Administration within the said Province to all Christian people to whom these presents shall Come Greeting in our Lord Everlasting Know ye that whereas the right Honourable Cecilius Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c<sup>a</sup> hath by his Commission under his hand and Seal at Arms bearing date the seventh day of August in the nine and thirtieth Year of his said Lordships dominion over the said Province deputed Constituted and

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