

so peculiar Interesting, No doubt sure can be of the Assembly's Acquittance in real Duty & by Allegiance Bound under the Best of Sovereigns & by the command of God, Love your Neighbour as you do y^r self. The Hon^{ble} Office I hold obliges my render of this Notice to you for His Majesty's & the Lord Proprietors Service. May all Happiness attend you & the Province. With Esteem

Yr^s Sincerely
Cæcil^s Calvert

Pos^t I have directed all things un-opened to you by the Surveyors, who are very desirous to be with due respect to you 'tis observed of Jere. Dixon that he is of Good skill in Min^g discovery, may p^r Adventure be of use to Maryland he is desirous to settle in America. Cha^s Mason is regularly Bred at the Philosophical Academy at G^l The Earl of Egremont Dead by Appoplexy. No Sec^y as yet appointed in his Room. Much Embarassm^t among the Great, God preserve the King. No acc^t from my Lord since the 2^d of May, supposed at Constantinople.

To Lieut. Gov^r Sharpe by the Surveyors To Maryland & Pensilvania.

Original.

[Amherst to Sharpe.]

New York, 7th Septem^r 1763.

Sir,

I Have already sent orders to the Commanding Officers at the Several Posts to Stop all Traders from Carrying any Supplys to the Indians; but as I think this of the utmost Consequence, I must Request you will be pleased to give the Necessary Directions for Stopping all kind of Commerce with any of the Tribes of Savages, from your Province for I suspect there are People mad enough for the Sake of Gain, that would Venture, Notwithstanding the present Disturbances, to Carry Supplys to the Indians; And I Know of Nothing that can tend more Effectually to Crush the Barbarians, than the prohibition of Trade; as they certainly cannot Carry on their Hostilities much Longer, unless they Do Receive fresh Supplys, & they have no way of getting these Supplys but from us.

I am, with great Regard

Sir,

Your most obedient
Humble Servant

Jeff: Amherst

His Excellency }
Governor Sharpe. }