I perceive by Your Letter dated the 3^d of Sept^r that you have Letter Bk. IV been under some Apprehensions lest our Frontier Inhabitants should have suffered much from the Irruptions of the Savages, however it is with great pleasure I inform you that scarcely any mischief has been done by them within this Province. By a person just arrived here from Philadelphia we are told that according to a late Account received from Lake Erie a large Number of Indians who had come out in Canoes to attack a Convoy of Provisions which was going from Niagara to Detroit were totally defeated, & that in Consequence thereof they had made Overtures for Peace. With the greatest Regard &c I am

P. S. Tho I suppose an Indian's Scalp cannot at this time be a Curiosity to you I shall herewith send you one that was taken a few Months ago on the Frontier of this Province imagining that a Scalp so adorned might be a novelty to some or

other of your acquaintance.

[Sharpe to Gage.]

Letter Bk. III

Copy of a Letter to General Gage. Annapolis 30th Decem^r 1763.

Sir

Having lately received by the Post the Letter you were pleased to favour me with the 24th Novem advising me of Sr Jeffery Amherst's Departure for England & of your succeeding thereupon to the Command of All His Majesty's Forces on this Continent I do myself the honour on that occasion to assure you that I most sincerely wish every thing you undertake or command may succeed according to Your Desire, that your Services may secure to you the favour of a most gracious Sovereign & the grateful acknowledgments of Your Fellow Subjects.

[Calvert to Sharpe.]

Original.

London Febry 29th 1764

Sir

I shall proceed in Answ^r to y^{rs} Aug^t the 21st the 27th of Sept^r Nov^r the 10th Doctors Bevis Azimuth Inst arrived & I hope my Packet deposited in the Inst Case to you of Deeds Let^{rs} &c^a delivered to the Mess^{rs} Mason & Dixon the New Surveyors for the run^g the Boundary Lines. By Minutes from the Commiss^{rs} at Philadelphia City, dated the 14th Dec^r the Survey^{rs} cite their process by the order & consent of the Comiss^{rs} on Both sides meet at that City. The Survey^{rs} began their process with the Sector Inst^t to settle the Lat^{de} of the