me and I hope with reward to himself. My Dismission of him from that Employ I should not require was it not from circumstances and in Policy of Affairs incompatible for him to hold two Offices, id est the Naval Office and Clerk of the Council; I therefore do by this My Instruction desire you will appoint Walter Dulany Esq^r into the Naval Office of the Port of Patuxant he giving his security as usual. If he refuses acceptance, continue M^r Ross in that scituation, untill you hear further from me thereon.

Given under My Hand and Lesser Seal at Arms at London this sixteenth day of January in the Fourteenth year of my Dominion of the said Province and in the Year of Our Lord 1765 FB.

By His Lordships Com^d Cæcil^s Calvert Sec^y of Maryland.

[Baltimore to Sharpe.]

Original.

Frederick absolute Lord and Proprietor of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon in America Lord Baron of Baltimore in the Kingdom of Ireland.

Orders and Instructions to be observed and pursued by Our Trusty Well-beloved Horatio Sharpe Esq^r Our Lieutenant General and Chief Governor of Our Province of Maryland, And to Edward Lloyd Esq^r of Our Council and Agent and Receiver General of Our said Province, And to Benedict Calvert Esq^r of Our Council and one of Our Judges of Our Land Office, And to Daniel Dulany Esq^r of Our Council and Deputy Secretary of Our said Province, And to George Stuart Esq^r a Judge of Our Land Office in Our said Province, And to M^rE^d Key Attorney General in Our said Province of Maryland We send Greeting Viz.

F. Baltimore

Whereas, the following Manors and their Lands have been Surveyed and Run and Ground Plots partly of description of their Limits and Boundaries, and Quantities of Lands are marked by the Surveyors of my Land Office and Estimated by them as to Quantity of Acres, incerted by Arithmetick numbers expressed by figures and Cyphers on each seperate Surveys, charted by them the said Surveyors, and transmitted by you my Lieutenant Governor to me, as from the said Surveyors and issued forth from my Land Office in Maryland, Viz.