

you on the Subject. I have already appointed M^r Rob^t Harrison Sheriff of Dorchester County & M^r Daniel Chamier recommended to His Ldp by M^r Janssen will be appointed Sheriff of Baltimore before the End of this Month In a Letter I address't to His Ldp the 29th Ult I informed him that the Death of the late Rector of S^t James's Parish in this County about sixteen or eighteen Miles only from Annapolis had given me an Opportunity of Offering M^r Allen a better Living than this, for the Thirty p^r poll & two Glebes belonging to it will as Tobacco is now likely to sell (that Parish producing some of the best Tob^o in the Country) fall very little if at all short of £300 sterling a year, he has not yet taken an Induction for it but only a Lycence to officiate intending thereby to receive the Income of both Parishes unless the Vestries or Parishioners should oppose his doing so, which if they should he will I apprehend be sorry to have made the Experiment. Col^o Lloyds Accounts to Sept^r 1766 are now ready for signing & as soon as he meets Us here after our Return from Frederick we shall fix the Plan for the future Management of His Ldps Revenues the Substance of which we have already agreed on & committed to writing. When the Gentlemen of the Council meet again I shall communicate to them what you write on the Subject of the Two Houses Appeal to the King, the inclosed Gazette will shew you how the Managers of our State Lottery are puzzled to get off their Ticketts & that they have again postponed the Drawing of it. I will communicate to the Gentⁿ of the Council what you say of M^r Capel Hanbury's recommending his Partner to be joined with him as a Trustee under our Paper Money Act & advise you of their Sentiments thereon by the first Opportunity. M^r Stewart the Clergyman Mess^{rs} Hanburys recommended is employed by the Rector of S^t Johns in Baltimore as a Curate should he behave well he may expect preferment but at this time there are several without Parishes that brought Recommendations from His Ldp, besides a M^r Bouchier of Virginia whom at the Request of M^r Tasker M^r Dan^l Dulany M^r Addison & other Gentlemen I promised three years ago to recommend to His Ldp for a small Living in this part of the Province when any such should become vacant in order that Gentlemen may have an Opportunity of having their Sons educated by him he having given great satisfaction in the Capacity of a Teacher of Languages &c I shall cause diligent Enquiry to be made after the Woman concerning whom Lord Strange wrote to His Ldp & if any Discovery is made will transmit a Certificate relative thereto by the earliest Opportunity. Care will be taken that neither M^r Edmiston nor any other of the Settlers in Nottingham Township be disturbed in their Possessions & they need not