

to meet & Settle with them next week at M<sup>r</sup> Penn's. M<sup>r</sup> Eden who is now with me desires his best respects to your Excellency with many thanks for your kind offer but will write you himself by the first opportunity he does not think of Embarking till the latter end of February. I am with the greatest regard & esteem

S<sup>r</sup>  
Your Excellencys  
Most obed<sup>t</sup> & Ever Faithful  
Humble Serv<sup>t</sup>  
Hugh Hamersley

Serj<sup>ts</sup> Inn  
19 Nov<sup>r</sup> 1768

P: S: I am to Acknowledge the Receipt of the Bills on Account of the Sales of the Lands amounting to £2475 3 4 sterl & to return you the enclosed Protest for £117 6 6 being M<sup>r</sup> Harrisons Bill on John Day whose House have stopped Payment & Called their Creditors together.  
His Excy. Horatio Sharpe Esq<sup>r</sup>

Letter Bk. V

[Sharpe to Hamersley.]

Copy of Letter to M<sup>r</sup> Hamersley Dated Annapolis 28<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1768.

Sir

Since I wrote to you the 31<sup>st</sup> of last Month I have received the inclosed Letter from M<sup>r</sup> Mathew Tilghman, by which you will see that he as well as M<sup>r</sup> Carroll is averse to qualifying as a Member of His Ldps Council & also declines accepting the Agency. On my Communicating the Contents of M<sup>r</sup> Tilghmans Letter to the Board of Officers & the Substance of what you wrote to Me the 18<sup>th</sup> of July relative to His Ldp's being displeased at M<sup>r</sup> Allens Appointment (& I find you said even more to M<sup>r</sup> Dulany) they gave it as their opinion that a Commission should immediately issue to some other Person, whereupon with their Approbation I impowered Major Jenefer to act till His Ldps further pleasure respecting the Agency can be signified. M<sup>r</sup> George Lee produced to Me this Day His Ldp's Commission appointing him Surveyor General of the Western Shore in my stead & he will immediately enter upon his Office. Both M<sup>r</sup> Chamberlaine & Col<sup>o</sup> Lloyd having signified that they shall no more attend as Members of the Council or Upper House there will be now five Vacances & as Col<sup>o</sup> Hammond has been some time in an ill State of Health there will probably be another very shortly. In a short Letter I wrote to you the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst from Talbot County I informed you that the Commissioners appointed to carry into Execution the Articles of Agreement for running Boundary Lines between this Province & Pennsylvania had at last joined in a Report a Copy whereof with a Plan of the Lines annexed I then trans-