

the good People resideing in or passing through the same to whom these presents shall come greeteing. Lib. R.

Whereas the Emperour and greate men of Pascattoway in behalf of himself and the Indians und<sup>r</sup> his Subjection, and of other the severall Townes and Nations of our Neighbour Indians, being very desirous to conclude and confirme a generall peace with all the Northern Indians Senniquos and Susquesahannohs, have sollicited and besought of us Liberty soe to doe, and also Supplicated Our Letters Testimoniall of our consent thereunto, granting a free pass to their Agents Nicotaucht, and Toetongewas two men & Nicotenaus a woman quietly to pass and repass through the severall Counties & parts of this Our Province in their Journey to the Mattwas Indians whither they are designed in ord<sup>r</sup> to obtaine their aid and assistance in accomplish the said peace for them. Know yee therefore that wee haveing advised with our Councill and fully consulted the premisses, considering the same to be of great moment and Concern to this Our Province, conducing much to the good and wellfare, peace and quiett of the Inhabitants thereof, Doe (by and with the advice and consent of our said Councill) by these Our Lr<sup>s</sup> Testimoniall Signifie and Declare our free Consent thereunto, and therefore doe hereby give free Liberty to the said Nicotaucht, Toetongewas, and Nicotenaus, to pass and repass any part or place of this Our Province, Desireing as also willing and requireing all and singular Our Officers civill and Military within this Our Province, and others the good people as aforesaid to Suffer and pmitt the said Indians soe to doe without any Lett hinderance or Molestation, vseing noe manner of hostility or evill carriage whatsoever to the said Indians, but affording them all civill treatement & ffriendly kindness, with all possible aid and assistance in their passage over Creekes Rivers or Bayes where it shall be needfull for their more easie and speedy passage to and from their said Intended Journey. p. 106

Given und<sup>r</sup> our hand and Seale at Armes the first Day of Aprill in the 5<sup>th</sup> yeare of Our Dominion &c<sup>a</sup> Annoq Dmi. 1680.

[Commission to John Llewelin.]

Charles Absolute Lord and Prop<sup>ty</sup> of the Province of Maryland & Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c<sup>a</sup> John Llewelin of S<sup>t</sup> Maries County Greeteing.  
C. Baltimore  
Maryld. ss.

Out of the speciall trust and confidence we have in your greate care, truth, ffidelity and Circumspection we have ordeined constituted and appointed, as by these p<sup>r</sup>sents we Doe ordeine constitute and appoint you the said John Llew-