

Lib. R. ellin to be Clark or Reg^r of our private seecrett and continuall Council, as also Clk of our Upper house of Assembly within this our Province of Maryland Wherefore you are from time to time and at all times hereafter (when and as often as there shall be occasion, or you shall be thereunto required) to give your due Attendance at such place and places as we shall think fitt to Determine and appoint for summoning together our s^d Council to the End that due Register may be kept of all such matters and thinges as shall be there treated and
 p. 107 Concluded off. And you are likewise from time to time and at all times hereafter (when and as often as wee shall see occasion to conveene the Delegates and Representatives of this our Province in a generall Assembly) to give your like due attendance in the upper house of our said Assembly there to officiate as Clark of the same, and to keepe true Record of all such matters and thinges as shall then and there be Done and acted, and in all thinges you are to act and Doe to the utmost of your skill knowledge and endeavo^r as to the place and Office of Clk of the Council and Clk of our s^d Upper house of Assembly may or of right ought to be Done for the due execution of your s^d place and Office, according to such Orders Instructions & Directions as you shall from time to time receive from us or our Leive^t Gen^{ll} or other Chiefe Governo^r or Deputy Governo^r for the time being. To have and to hold the s^d place and Office of Clark of our Council and Upper house of Assembly for and dureing pleasure. Given und^r our hand and Seale at Armes the thirtieth Day of Decemb in the ffifth yeare of our Dominion &c^a Annoq Dmi. 1679:

May 12th 1680.

The R^{tt} the Lord Prop^{ty} haveing recd: a Letter this morning from M^r William Chandler High Sher. of Charles County touching a Rumor of the Sennico and Susquehannah Indians being lately come downe soe farr as the Pascattoway ffort. The Letter being as foll. viz.

May it please yo^r L^{spp}:

On Monday the tenth of this instant in the Evening came downe from Pascattoway ffort an Indian who informed me that the Sinniquo and Susquehannah Indians have built them a ffort within sight of the Pascattoway ffort, they Judge it to be about five hundred yards Distance, and about three hundred of them, when our Indians discovered them they immediately engaged with them, w^{ch} had been the best part of two Daies when the Indian came downe, I understand their desire is that they might have some English men to Assist them,