

Lib. R. the premisses, and all and singular the premisses you heare and Determine, and the same Doe and performe in manner aforesaid, doeing therein what to Justice appertaineth according to the Laws and Customs of England and of this Province, Saveing to us our Amerciam^{ts} and other thinges from thence to us ariseing or belonging, ffor wee have Commanded the sheriffes of this our Province that at certain Daies and places which you or any three of you (whereof you the said Philip Calvert and William Calvert are alwaies to be One) p. 182 they cause to come before you such and soe many honest and lawfull men of this Province by whom the truth of the matter may the better be knowne and Enquired after. In Testimony whereof we have caused these our Letters to be made Patents. Witness Our Self at our City of S^t Maries the twentieth Day of June in the sixth year of our Dominion over our s^d Province &^c Annoq Domini One Thousand six hundred Eighty & One.

At the same time the Councill did Declare and it was the opinion of this board that if any Indians at any time presented themselves to any English Plantation or appeared in the woods painted they are (according to the Articles made with the Pascattoways &^c Anno 1666) to be Deemed as a Common Enemy, and also if they appeare unpainted with Armes and shall upon demand to lay downe their armes refuse soe to Doe they are to be taken for Enemies & dealt withall accordingly.

Memdu. this should have preceeded the foregoing, and should have been entred in fo: 177: but being there omitted is here entred as followeth.

At a Councill held at S^t Peters the Chancelo^{rs} house there June 17th 1681:

The hon^{ble} { The R^t hon^{ble} the Lord Prop^{ty}
Philip Calvert Esq^r Chancelo^r
Will^m Calvert Esq^r Secry } Present

at which time produced by his L^{spp} and read to this board the severall papers following viz

A Letter from Coll Wells viz

The 29th May 1681.

May it please your L^{spp}:

I have this Day recd: information from Jacob Young that there is above two hundred Sinniquo Indians now upon their voiage downe to the Pascattoway Indians, and that they have