

Lib. R. harme: We are informed by the King of Mattawoman that he expects greate Companys of these Indians downe amongst the Plantations within this Seaven dayes which he seemes to be in very greate fears off The Pascattoway Indians have been at James Smallwoods since the other Indians went away and seeme to be much troubled for the loss of their Indians and doe say that they have served them two crooked tricks already and saith also that if your L^{spp} would assist them they would serve them two as crooked tricks; there are some Indians that lived upon my Land and have very good Corne ffeilds that now are gone downe among the English Plantations for feare of being cutt of, The Mattawoman Prisoners that came downe along with the strange Indians inform our Indians at Zachaiah that there are two ffrench amongst them and that they marry with them and are all one with them, I suppose by the next Post your L^{spp} will Receive a full Acco^t of Captⁿ Brandts proceedings: I have nothing more to add but the representation of my best endeavours Subscribe

Yo^r L^{dspp} ffaithfull Servant

thus Superscribed viz.

William Chandler

To the R^t hon^{ble} Charles Lord Baltemore absolute Lord and Prop^{ry} of Maryland

haste post hast for the L^d Prop^{rys} Service

Certified

William Chandler

Then taken into consideration the late horrid murder committed at the lower End of the towne whereof the Indian prisoners lately taken were suspected but upon their tryall and a Letter recd: from Coll Spencer were acquitted and Discharged.

Memdū. that in the Examination of the Indian prisoners the last Councill Day One of them did say that there were among the Nanjatico Indians upon the Secrys Land two Nanjemy Indians w^{ch} also was affirmed by John Stavely that he saw the Secrys two Indians among them at the warr Dance at Piney Neck.

Whereupon issued these foll ord^{rs} viz

p. 200 With all Convenient Speed after sight hereof you are to take with you James Cullins or John Stavely and with them repaire to Coll Will^m Chandler from whom you are to Demand a convenient guard for your security, with which guard and James Cullins or John Stavely you are forthwith to repaire to Nanjemy and there to Demand the two Indians that hunted lately for Coll William Calvert and were at the warr Dance at Piney Neck with the Nanjatico Indians, and the said two Indians to apprehend and bring downe to St. Maries before