

Liber R. give notice to that Governo^r that you are there arrived with a Comission from his L^{dspp} to lay out the line according to appointm^t

2^{dly} Upon the arriveall of the Governo^r there or other person or persons as afores^d Empowered, you are before you proceed to your business in charge, first to Require a view of their Credentials or Commission which you are carefully to peruse & consider whither the same doth sufficiently Empower him or them from William Penn Esq^r soe as to conclude him by what shall be then and there agreed on betweene you as fully amply and largely to all intents and purposes as by your Commission y^u are empowered to conclude his L^{dspp} which you are then for their satisfaction to produce to them in like manner

p. 327 3^{dly} In case such Governo^r or other person or persons thereunto appointed as afors^d upon notice given them shall deny to come thither according to appointm^t or upon their arriveall there shall refuse to take observation and lay out the line aforesaid or shall not agree therein, as shall appeare not to be sufficiently empowered in manner aforesaid, then you are by yourselves duely and truly to observe lay out & mark the s^d Line according to the best of your art skill and knowledge as well wth such Instrum^{ts} of theirs w^{ch} they shall for that purpose bring with them (if you may be permitted) as with such of your owne as you shall take with you from hence for his L^{dspps} satisfaction.

4^{thly} But fforasmuch as some scruples have been made by severall the Inhabitants of Baltemore and Cæcil Counties concerning this Affaire, you are for the generall Satisfaction of such persons to use all earnest & reasonable endeavours (soe farr forth as may suite with modesty and his L^{dspps} hono^r) to press that Governm^t of Pensylvania to come and lay out the Line.

5^{thly} And the better to Enable you to effect this & proceed in the Execution of yo^r Commission according to the Teno^r of these your Instructions, you are to require the Assistance of the Sheriffs of Cecil and Baltemore Countyes for a provision of horses and men boates and hands, and such other necessaries as you shall desire, who are commanded to furnish y^u accordingly with Quantity and Quality as you shall see fitt or the occasion may Require.

6^{thly} And if in conclusion it shall be agreed betweene you & the Governo^r of Pensylvania or other person or persons thereunto appointed and empowered as aforesaid touching the s^d line or ffortieth degree of Northern Latitude as aforesaid, then that the same be duely bounded and certified unto his L^{dspp} by a publick Instrument under the hands and Seales as