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Lib. R. R. R. Ordered that William Peirce high Sheriff of Cecill County prosecute the ordrs formerly sent him from this board against Coll George Talbott, ffor his delayes therein give cause of suspition that he holds correspondence with the said Coll George Talbott.

Ordered that M^r Clebourne Lomax Dep^{ty} to Coll W^m Chandler late high Sheriff of Charles County execute all process and p^rcepts to him directed, as if Coll Chandler were now liveing till further ord^r from the Councill

Ordered that M^r Edward Batson have a Commission for Deputy Surv^r of Calvert County. And that M^r Clement hill of S^t Maries County have a Commission for Dep^{ty} Surv^r Gen^{ll} in the roome of M^r Robert Jones lately decd; and that the same ffees be allowed him that were allowed M^r Robert Jones.

Then produced and read the following Lett^r from Coll Wells (viz:)

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The occasion of this trouble to y' Hono' is, This day Capt Johnson came with a Sinico and a Pascattoway Indian that formerly lived with Coll Burges, and knowne by the name of Isaack, and acquainted me that the Sinnico Warr Capt's and Chiefe Comand's were come downe to renew their league with the Christians and Pascattowayes, and much urged me to send to y' Hono's to acquaint you that they would stay upon Susquehannah River to wayte an answer and that they desired speedily to speake with the Pascattoway greate men, and to confirme a peace with them, and that the said Isaack should returne with the Pascattowaies and live with them, and that the Sinnicos would be as Brethren.

This S^r is urged to me as a matter of greate consequence relateing to the peace and safety of this Province; I therefore offer it to your Honors serious consideration, and humbly request it may with all speed be comunicated to the rest of the honble Councill of this Province, that with all speed something may be done before they are wearied with staying and worse come of it.

This S' with the Captains and my humble service to your Hono' and the rest of the honble Councill is all from

Aprill the 7th 1685: Yr humble Servant George Wells