

Ordr to the Vestrvs to dispose of the 40 p poll
Ordered that the Vestrys of the Severall parishes within this Province take care to dispose of the 40 p poll (where Ministers are not placed or inducted and where Churches are actually built) for ready Goods, Money or bills of Exchange pursuant to fformer Ord^r Tob^o being a good comodity this Year; and that the Church Yards be pail'd pursuant to the late Ordinance of Assembly the Sherriffs being hereby directed to give a Copy of this Ord^r to the Severall Vestrys within their respective Bayliwicks. Lib. H. D.
Whitehall
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Came George Layfield Esq Collecto^r of his Ma^{ts} Customs in Pocomok District and made Oath to two Acco^{ts} of the penny p pound. Whitehall

Proposed and Read a Certain Return made by Cap^t John Oldton Commander of the party of Rangers in Baltemore County, as follows Viz^t

Cap^t Oldton's Return abt his Ranging &ca
An Acco^t of the Roads that are made back of the inhabitants by the Rangers in Baltemore County North East from the Garrison to the ffirst Cabbin ffifteen miles, North East to the second Cabin ffifteen miles or thereabouts then ten miles further the same course to another Cabin on the North Side of Deer Creek; likewise from the Garrison to a Cabin between Judwins ffalls & the main ffalls of Patapsco a West Course ten miles, then with a West Course to the maine ffalls of Patapsco Ten miles more, which s^d Road being marked & duly and weekly Ranged by me and my Leveten^t according to the Ord^r of Councill from yo^r Ex^{ncys} humble Serv^t to Command
John Oldton

[Letter from Commissioners of Customs.]

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By L^{re} of the 25th of March last from M^r Pat Mein Surveyo^r Gen^{ll} at Jamaica We are informed that the Ship Expectation John Tench Mast^r from Maryland had discharged at Carasoa sixty hh^{ds} of Tob^o & th^t Jackson the Owner dyed there being an inhabitant of Talbot County within the p^rcinct of Patuxen River and it being a generall practice & abuse of Conveying Tob^o Sugars & Indico from his Ma^{ts} Plantations to this Dutch ffactory which gives countenance & Encouragem^t therevnto We desire you will Endeavour to p^rvent the same within yo^r Governm^t And in the mean time to give Ord^r that the Bond taken in Maryland for the s^d Ship be effectually prosecuted for the punishm^t of this abuse, We are

Custom house London,
10th June 1695.

Yo^r very humble Servants

P. Ward
C. Godolphin
Walter Yonge
Ja: Chadwicke

Govern^r Maryland.