

Lib. H. D. Lastly it is Ordered that one of the old Rang^{rs} go with each of the said new Raised fforces to shew them the Woods, and th^t others be left in their stead at the Garrison.

ffrontier Plan- Ordered th^t Notice be given to the ffrontier
tations vpon Plantations vpon Potomock that they be vpon
Potomock to their Guard & stragle not from their Plantations;
have Notice to care being taken to strengthen them by an
be vpon their Additionall Supply of Rangers.
Guard &c:

Rang^{rs} in Bal Ordered that the party of Rang^{rs} in Baltimore
County to County (upon this Noise of Indians) keep good
keep good Watch & looke well after their horses; and th^t
Watch look well after their they keep them together in or near to the ffort
horses and and Clear a broad way down to the Spring &
clear a way to keepe Ranging pursuant to the late Ord^r sent
the Spring them.

ffrontier Plan- Ordered that the Colonel of Ann Arrundel
tations in A: County give Notice to the ffrontier Plantations of
A: County to the s^d County to be vpon their Guard & not
have Notice to stragle farr from their Plantations during this
be vpon their noise of Indians. One Woodcough a Mattapany
Guard Indian being lately Seized vpon suspicion of being made
privy to the late Murther comitted at the Garrison, at the
p. 550 head of Potomock was brought before this Board & Exam-
ined. Then produced & Read the Examination of Coll
Ninian Beal & Deposition of Thomas Ryley in that behalfe
Whereupon the following Commitm^t was by Ord^r issued, Viz

By his Ex^{ncy} the Gov^r & Councill, October 3^d 1697.

Woodcough Whereas a certain Mattapany Indian called
an Indian his Commitm^t Woodcough, being lately Seized & Apprehended
vpon Suspicion of being made privy to the late
Muther committed at the Garrison, at the head of Potomock,
who having been Examined at this Board, together with Coll
Ninian Beal & one Thomas Ryley of Prince Georges County,
Evidences in this matter, whereby it is greatly to be sus-
pected that the s^d Indian holds correspondence with the
Piscattoway Indians, supposed Enemies to his Ma^{ty} & this
Governm^t and th^t in all probability he is knowing of the
parties th^t did th^t Murther Ordered therefore that the Sheriff
of Ann Arrundell County do (upon sight hereof) Receive
into his custody the body of the s^d Woodcough herewith sent,
and him in close & safe custody keepe, vntill he shall thence