

P. R. O. reason itt has not been yett executed, Its judged but reasonable and therefore requested, that all proceedings in the said court of Maryland, relateing to the said Lands may be stopt, and affaires of that Kind rest, untill the Division Line be run out between the two proprys, which hath of late been the order, and advice of the president & Councill in Maryland, and to this wee shall readily Submitt

Signed on behalfe of William Penn Esq^r

Propry of Pennsylvania and Territories

James Logan Propry dty &

Secry

Signed on behalfe of my selfe & other inhabitants of the County of Sussex

W^m Clarke

Which said case was endorsed by the honble Councill as followes

With a Lre from Coll John Evans Gov^r of Pensilvania to his Excy John Seymour Esquire Governour of Maryland

By his Excy the Gov^r and Councill

Aprill the 27th 1704

Ordered that m^r John Evans Lre with this case be laid before the house of Delegates, for their consideration, and for that this Disputelyeing soe long undetermined is of very pⁿicious consequence, in that justice is impeded, The Sherr of Som^rsett county in this Province and of Sussex not knoweing the Limitts of their, Ballywicks, soe that many p^ons Evade the Laws, Each of these officers, being fearefull & uncertaine what to doe upon this occasion, it is proposed to the house of Delegates to advise the Properest and readiest meanes, to prevent that inconvenience, and prejudice, that her Ma^y may be preserued and her Subjects holding Lands under Prop^{rs} may know what to trust to

Signed p order

W Bladen Cl Coucil

Sir

I wrote to yo^r Excy on the first advice I had of yo^r Arrivall att Annapolis by a person whoe went home the day before yo^r Excy came here, which I hope is come to hand, the good news of yo^r Excys arrivall, yo^r Lady's and family's after soe long and tedious a Voyage is extreamely welcome to me, the case herewith sent to yo^r Excy is fully & duely stated, and I doubt