

C. P. ours the Case is now quite different for that then he the said M^r Carroll was keeper of his said Lordships Seale, now that pretence being removed, Desires M^r Carroll will mark those Patents for which he had Instructions to p^rfect and let them be sealed And that the Tobacco may lye uncollected till their Lordships shall make a discition herein

Advised and Resolved that a Proclamation Issue notifying that his Excellency will Appoint Navall Officers within this Province and Surveyors within the Severall Counties And that Psons qualified for those Offices may Apply unto him And that all Complaints and other matters usually heard before the Surveyors Generall must be brought before his Excellency he being the p^rson appointed to hear them as follows

Maryland ss

By his Excellcy the Cap^t Generall &c^a

A Proclamation

Whereas the right hon^{ble} the Lord Proprys land Affairs in this Province for some months past have been impeded for want of proper Officers duly qualified in the respective Counties to survey lands, To remove that Obstruction and settle those Affaires in their regular & Proper Course I have thought fitt by and with the Advice of his Lordships hon^{ble} Council to Issue this my Proclamation notifying to all and Singular the Inhabitants of this Province as well as others desirous to take up lands that the Right hon^{ble} Francis Lord Guilford his Lordship the Lord Prop^{rys} Guardian has Authorized and Impowered me to Act as Surveyor Generall of this Province to nominate & Comissionate the respective Surveyors in the Severall Counties as likewise to hear and decide all disputes Controversies and other matters Complained of and properly Cognizable before his Lordships Surveyor Generall, Wherefore I do hereby direct that such p^rsons who are qualified to Execute the Offices of his Lordships Surveyors in the Severall Counties make their proper Application to me before the first day of March next in Order to their being by me Comissioned thereto.

And that all p^rsons who have anything to Offer to his Lordships Surveyor Generall relateing to his Ldships land Affaires fail not to present them before me at Annap^o where they shall be readily heard, And to the end that all p^rsons may have due notice hereof and none pretend Ignorance I do hereby in his Lordships the Lord Prop^{rys} name Comand and require the respective Sherriffs of the Severall Counties in this Province to Publish this my Proclamation at all