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The following Proclamation being prepared is read & approved of & ordered to issue accordingly

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By His Excellency Thomas Bladen Esq<sup>r</sup> Governor &  
Commander in Chief in & over the Province of  
Maryland

A Proclamation

Forasmuch As It appears by the Publick Records that in all the Articles of Peace that have ever been concluded with the Indians in this Province since it's Settlement by the English, It hath been agreed that the Privilege of hunting and fishing should be preserved to them inviolably, And forasmuch as several Complaints have been made to me by and on behalf of sundry Indians on the Eastern Shoar, that many People notwithstanding the Justice of this Agreement have debarred the Indians of Exercising these Privileges and destroyed their Traps when made to take wild Beasts I have therefore thought proper by and with the Advice of his Lordships Council of State to issue this my Proclamation, hereby requiring all Officers Civil and Military and all Other Persons whatsoever to use their utmost Endeavours to have the Articles of Peace at present subsisting with the Indians complied with, and that they take particular Care that they be not obstructed in their hunting fishing or making Traps for wild Beasts and Vermin so long as they shall behave peaceably Given at the City of Annapolis this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October in the 28<sup>th</sup> year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1742.

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of October in the 28<sup>th</sup> Year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Dni. 1742

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