

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 & Vermin so long as the said Indians shall behave peaceably And I do hereby strictly charge and require the Sheriff of Dorchester County to make this my Proclamation publick in his said County in the Usual manner as he will answer the Contrary at his Peril Given at the City of Annapolis this 30th day of May in the 33^d year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1747

Lib. C. B.

Ordered that the honourable Samuel Chamberlain Esq^r Mess^{rs} Robert Lloyd James Tilghman and William Thomas of Talbot County Gentⁿ or any Three or Two of them enquire into the Complaints made to this Board by the Choptank Indians of some Persons making Encroachments within the Bounds of their Lands as settled by Act of Assembly, and also that they enquire into the Grounds of any other Complaint made by the said Indians, and that they make Report thereof to this Board; And It is likewise Ordered that for the future the honble Co^t Edward Lloyd hear any Complaint made by the said Choptank Indians and give them such Redress, that they may live quietly and peaceably upon the Lands assigned them.

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At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Monday the first Day of June in the 33^d year of his Lorships Dominion Annoq Dni 1747

Present

His Excellency Samuel Ogle Esq^r Governor

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| The honble | { | Benjamin Tasker Esq | } | Col Edward Lloyd |
| | | Edmund Jenings Esq ^r | | Philip Thomas Esq ^r |
| | | Co ^t James Hollyday | | Daniel Dulany Esq ^r |
| | | Co ^t Charles Hammond | | Benjamin Young Esq ^r |
| | | Sam ^l Chamberlain Esq ^r | | Co ^t Benjamin Tasker |

The honble Co^t Hammond having delivered up to this Board their former Order of 24th of february 1745 on M^r Samuel Hyde Merchant in London payable to the Executors of M^r Richard Tootell for the sum of £22 : 04 : 2 sterling being so much due to him the said Tootell for his Salary as Armourer, and which said Order being cancelled; It is by this Board ordered that the said Co^t Hammond as Treasurer of