

Lib. J. R. At a Council held at the City of Annapolis on Thursday
& U. S. the 24th Day of July in the fourth year of his Lordships
Dominion Annoq Domini 1754.

Present

His Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esq^r Governor

The honble	{	Benjamin Tasker Esq ^r	}	Philip Thomas Esq ^r
		Col George Plater		Col Edward Lloyd
		Col Charles Hammond		Richard Lee Esq ^r
		Samuel Chamberlain Esq ^r		Benedict Calvert Esq ^r

His Excellency is pleased to lay before this Board an Instruction from his Lordship relating to Ordinary Licenses and desires their Opinion Whether It is adviseable for him to depart from the said Instruction, and pass the Bill now lying in the Upper House for his Majestys Service whereby the Fines for Ordinary Licenses are appropriated for the Uses mentioned in the said Act, Who are all of Opinion, except Col Lloyd, that considering the Circumstance of Affairs and the present Emergency They would advise him to pass the said Bill into a Law.

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3^d of August in the fourth year of his Ldps Dominion Annoq
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The honourable	{	Benjamin Tasker Esq ^r	}	Col Lloyd
		Philip Thomas Esq ^r		Benedict Calvert Esq ^r

M^r Emorys Plan being laid before this Board by his Excellency whereby It appears that he began at a Red Oak about Two Miles Eastward of the Main Branch of Elk River said to be marked as the terminating Tree to a twelve Miles West Radius from Newcastle run by one M^r George Daker in 1732 hence He proceeded according to Order so far Southward as Choptank Bridge, and from such actual Survey has discovered (as is delineated on his Map) that a due North and South Line begun from the aforesaid Tree does intersect, first, two Small Branches of Christine Creek, then leaving the Principal Branch of Elk River considerably to the Westward, It cuts, at about forty Perches below their Mill Dams, where a Canoe in a high Tide will pass, three Small Streams called Evans, Broad and Back Creeks, which flow into that River; the said Line afterwards intersects two Small Branches of Bohemia just above the Landing beyond which a Canoe will in a high Tide go about a Quarter of a Mile: Sassafras River is left entirely to the Westward of this Line,