Bill of Exa for £46: 18. being one of the Bills you had sent me for paym^t the Person she had drawn the Bill was not to be found, by report gone to Maryl^d I hope you have rec^d mine of the 13th of May 22d of Augt & Septr the 9th as they are of Importance with Instructions. You Surprise me at Doctor Stuart's hint to you abt the money in the Land Office it being near a year since a joint Judge has been Added so to him. If I had Power, he wod n't a been the man I shod have directed such Gratuity. You may depend he has no Authority from me for his Ascertion or Claim. I've rec^d from him the whole paymt of £100 pr Ann due to 28th of feby last, in wh was included Mr Young's Decesd paymt for each pd me £50 pr Ann the Dr was then in Arrears to me however as I reca all due from him I desired he would ajust Mr Young's Quota with the Excy & tht from Mr Young's Death until the appointment of another Person jointly with him I shosd expect the whole of my Return from him this is all in Effect I write. I am sensible the Emergency & Expence a Gov^r is at requires all Aid to Reimburse him his Charges, therefore Credit him not, nor none else that shall at any time say or hint the same. On my part I regard all such perquisites belong in Preference to the Gov^r I wo^d n't let him have a denier

But as Gov^r ajust & reimburse my Legal Demands, Extras. I am sorry you have appointed him to Act in My office of Sec^y as you had done it I have write him word I wo^d allow him 10 p^r C^t until my Appointm^t of Deputy took place. I beg the favour of y^r Inspection by an ajustmt of Acc^{ts} since M^r Jenings Resignation. If M^r Plater did Accept My Ball: due from fees was at £200 p^r Ann. If he did not then all ffees are due to me to M^r Tasker's acceptance, he paying me after as p^r Agreem^t with M^r Plater. As to the Charges for Execution of the business of the office during the Inter space before M^r Plater or Stuart Act'd such Charge I desire may be reimbursed to the Clerk or Person who Acted in the Office.

To His Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esq^r

[Cecilius Calvert to Horatio Sharpe]

London March 3^d 1758

Sir

It is Extraordinary receiving no Answer to my Let^{ts} write you, April the 7th & 10th Aug^t 12th Oct^r 23^d & D° His Lord^{ps} Instructions mine Nov^r 18th & 22^d 1757 and Jan^y 12th 1758. In Answ^r to y^{rs} Aug^t 25th Oct^r 16th & Nov^r 3d 1756 & ffeb^y the 4th & 23^d March 24th May 29th June 2^d July 1st Aug^t