

- ernor by the Council (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 188). Apparently Greene was not commissioned by the Proprietary. He disclaimed to be a judge in testamentary causes. He was Governor as late as March, 1648-9 (4 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 515).
8. William Stone, commissioned by the Proprietary June 9, 1647 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 187), was in office as early as April 26, 1649 (4 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 503). Formerly of Northumberland County, Virginia, he was made Governor, partly because he promised to bring over five hundred colonists. On his temporary departures from the Province he named the following men to act as Governor, May 2, 1649 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 231): Thomas Greene and in case of his refusal, Thomas Hatton; September 20, 1649 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 242), to January 25, 1649-50 (4 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 538. Greene was acting as Governor on November 19, 1649 (4 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 531) the same persons; May 22, 1650, to June 25, 1650, Thomas Hatton (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 255, 10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 23).
  9. Richard Bennett, Edmund Curtis and William Claiborne, Parliamentary Commissioners, took possession of the government March 29, 1652 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 272). Robert Brooke was President of the Council (vide 10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 257).
  10. William Stone, restored by the Parliamentary Commissioners June 28, 1652 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 276), and ordered to issue writs in the name of the "Keeper of the Liberties of England." He ordered writs to run in the Proprietary's name on March 2, 1653-4 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 300), and was deposed by the Commissioners. He acted as Governor on July 16, 1654 (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 398).
  11. Captain William Fuller, Richard Preston, William Durand, Edward Lloyd, John Smith, Leonard Strong, John Lawson, John Katch, Richard Wells and Richard Ewen or Ewing; commissioners appointed by the Parliamentary Commissioners July 22, 1654 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 313). To this list were added Sampson Waring, William Parker and William Parrott, who sat on December 5, 1654 (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 407, vide 3 Md. Arch. Coun. 317); Captain Robert Sly, April 24, 1655 (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 412); Thomas Mears or Marsh on June 26, 1655 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 316. 10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 419); Woodman Stockley on October 5, 1655 (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 423); Michael Brooke on December 26, 1655 (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 430); John Potts, on August 13, 1655 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 317); Philip Morgan, William Ewens, Thomas Thomas, Philip Thomas, Samuel Withers and Richard Woolman all appointed by Provincial Court in March, 1656-7 (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 493); [On September 25, 1657, Lloyd, Hatch and Brooke were designated as Commissioners of the Quorum, 10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 529, from January, 1655, until the battle of March 25, 1655, William Stone claimed power under Baltimores' instructions.]
  12. Josias Fendall commissioned by the Proprietary July 10, 1656 (3 Md. Arch. Coun. 323), was charged with assuming a pretended power from Captain William Stone October 5, 1655 (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 427), on September 24, 1657, he took oath not to be a disturber of the present government until there be a full determination ended in England of all matters relating to this government (10 Md. Arch. Prov. Ct. 463). Fuller and the other Commissioners formally surrendered the