

of John Newman and Rebecka Newman Executor and Executrix of the Last will and testament of John Barecroft Late in Wicomocoe River in Maryland Deceased the Sume of four hundred and Sixteen pounds two Shillings and Six pence due to him the Said Thomas Dafforne from the Said John Newman and Rebecka for two Chests of Sundry Wares and Marchandizes by him the Said Thomas Dafforne Shipt on board the Ann of London Benjamin Cooper Master upon his the Said Thomas Daffornes proper Account and Adventure the ninth day of December 1676: [1676] and Sent with and Consigned to the Said John Barecroft as by the Said Letter of Attorney being Recorded in Calvert County Court Relation being thereunto had may more at Large Appeare Now Know all men by these presents that I John Lecount by vertue of the Said Letter Attorney Aforesaid dated the tenth day of November Annoque Domini 1694 and haveing not Received the full Sume in the Said Letter of Attorney Mentioned have made Ordained Constituted and Appointed John Burd of Charles County in the province of Maryland my Deputed Attorney in my Stead and for the use and behoefe of the Said Thomas Dafforne to Receive of the aforesaid John Newman and Rebecka all Such Sumes of Money or tobaccos that is Left behind and unpaid and upon non payment thereof to Sue Arrest Imprison and Impleade them the Said John Newman and Rebecka or any other person or persons whome the Said Debt or Remaining part thereof may Lawfully be Recovered and upon Receipt or payment thereof them or any of them their heires Executors or Administrators out of prisson to deliver and Release and to make Seale and Deliver Acquittance or Acquittances or other Suffitient Discharges and Releases to and for the Same and the Said John Lecount by these presents doe Authorize and Impower the Said John Burd to Act and doe for the Said Thomas Dafforne in the premises aforesaid as fully and Amply as I the Said John Lecount Could doe by Vertue of the afore Recited Letter of Attorney In Wittness whereof I the Said John Lecount have hereunto Sett my hand and Seale this thirteenth day of Aprill Annoque Domini 1697.

John Lecount (Seale)

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us.  
Daniell Smith, Joshua Cecell.

The aforesaid Letter of Attorney at the Request of John Burd was Entred upon Record the 28th day of September Annoque Domini 1697. per Joshua Cecell Clerke.

[254] Att Prince Georges County Court held at Charles Towne the Second day of November in the ninth yeare of the Reigne of our Sovereigne Lord William the third by the grace of God of England Scotland France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith etc. Annoque Domini 1697 By his Majesties Justices thereunto Appointed and Authorized. (Viz.)

Present. Mr. Thomas Hollyday, Mr. William Barton, Mr. John Wighte, Mr. Robert Tylor, Mr. John Smith, Mr. John Hawkins, Mr. Robert Wade, Mr. Samuell Magruder, Mr. Thomas Sprigg, Commisioners.

Ordered by this Court that Mr. Thomas Hollyday According to his discretion make or Cause to be made this fall a Roade the best and nearest way from Charles Towne to the Woodyard.