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God to take out of this world ^{as dead} Thomas Laurence Baronet
 Her Majesties late Secretary and Publick Notary of this province
 where by the said Place and office is become Vacant And there
 being an absolute Necessity of some person to execute offi-
 ciate and performe that office and Trust thereof pursuant
 to the Powers and Authority having and possessing great
 Trust and Confidence in the Loyalty Fidelity Knowledge
 Ability of your Philimon Loyd we have thought it fit
 to hereby Appoint Authorise and Empower you the said
 Philimon Loyd to take into your Custody the Records
 of the Province and to execute officiate performe and Dis-
 charge the said office and Trust of Her Majesties Secretary
 Publick Notary within the same and to Authorize and
 depute if fit and Capable Person Clerk under you in the
 severall Counties within this province and for as profitt
 and regards to the said office belonging or which of right
 ought thereto to belong or appertaine to your owne use
 to take Receivrs and Generaley in all things relating
 to the said place of Secretary and Publick Notary to
 do and performe as the Secretary of this prov-
 ince has been usual until such tyme as Her Ma-
 jesties Royall Pleasure shall be further knowne you
 being Legally Discharged thereof Given under my
 hand and Seale and dated at the City of Ann Apolis
 in the County this 7th day of Septemb^r in the
 13th year of the Reigne of our Loving Lady Anne by
 the Grace of God of Great Brittain France and
 Ireland Queen Defend of the Faith &c. ^{as King} James Bond
 1714

On the back of a patent for 1500 a of land granted to ^{Walter} ~~John~~ Bayne Aug^r 9th
 1649 was thus written
 Jany^r the 14th 1650 ⁱⁿ that Ralph Beane do Assigne and let over unto all my
 right and title Contained and specified in this pat^{nt} unto Luke Gardner and
 John Johnson Witnesses my hand. ^{the hand of} Ralph Beane
 Wm Wright, Walter Beane.
 In that we Luke Gardner and Wm Johnson do Assigne and let over all
 our right title and full part Contained and specified in the said pat^{nt} by the
 ass^{ts} of Ralph Beane unto George Markale Wm Canada and Wm Watts and
 to their Assignes witnesses our hands this 2^d of May 1655 Luke Gardner
 Wm Johnson
 Wm George Markale & Wm Watts do assigne unto John Langhorne or his
 Assignes all our right title and full part to the said in memorand^{um} pat^{nt} as we hold
 by Virtue of the Assignm^{nt} above specified and an ass^{ts} under Wm Canada
 his hand for J^o Ward of witnesses our hands this 13th May 1656
 John Langhorne
 Luke Gardner Wm Watts John Macal

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