

I granted to his said Lord and his heirs by the King of England in his
 said Lord's Patent of the said Province under the Great Seal of
 England I do also declare that I will with all Expedition Distend
 to his said Lord or to his heirs or assigns and Governor of the said Province
 for the time being And also use my best Endeavour to prevent any
 Plot Conspiracy or Combination whiche I shall know or have just cause
 to suspect or shall be proved against the Person of his said
 Lord or whiche shall tend any way to the Disturbance or Depre-
 tion of his said Lord or his said heirs his Right Title Royall
 Jurisdiction and Dominion afforded or any part thereof of the
 said Province that I will not either by myself or by any other
 person or persons Directly or indirectly take any part Return
 Purchase or Possess any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments
 whiche in the said Province of Maryland or the said Islands and
 Belonging from any Indian or Indians to any other use or
 use but to the use of his said Lord or his heirs or lawfully
 any other person or persons not deriving at all either
 by from or under some Grant from his said Lord or his heirs
 Legally Pass'd ^{or to be pass'd} under his or his heirs Great Seal of the
 for the time being for her more God and by the
 Content of his Provisions

The forme of the oath to be taken and to be sworn by the
 Major Governor and Aldermen of the City of Saint Mary in the County
 of Saint Mary in Maryland

You shall Swear that you will with true and faithful hearts
 Honour Cecilius Lord Baltimore Lord and Proprietary of the
 of Maryland and the said Islands and Belonging and to his
 and Proprietaries of the said Land and to his heirs and assigns
 and for the time being and shall not with any
 any thing to the prejudice of his said Lord or his heirs or assigns