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Capt James Neale, Robert Clarke Baker Brookes -
Edward Loyd, Henry Cursey and Capt William Evans of
our Said Province of Maryland Gent, or any three or more
of them wherof the said Capt James Neale or in case of
his death or absence out of the Province the said Baker
Brookes to be one, to be our Comiss for the Govern-
of the said Province untill we or our heires signify -
our or their pleasure to the contrary, or untill our
said Deare brother shall returne unto the said Province
with all the same powers, and authorities as unto the
office of Lieutenant of our said Province do or may
belong by our said Commission unto our said Deare brother
or any former Commission to Jonas Hendall or Captaine
J^m Stone deceased except that they may not pardon the
said Hendall or Thomas Gerrard late one of our Councill
there for any crime committed since the said Hendall
entred upon the Govern there; And in case of the said
Baker Brookes his death or absence out of the
Province or declining to act according to this our
Commission, then we authorize the said Comiss or any three
or more of them to execute the said office and all the
said powers and authorities as aforesaid. Given under
our hand and greater Seale at Armds this foure and
twentieth day of July in the nine and twentieth year
of our Dominion over Maryland and in the year
of our Lord God one thousand six hundred and sixty