

in the City of Annapolis or within five miles about the same, without particular Instructions from me, & to cause the strictest Reserve to be laid on & enterd in all the proper Offices for the purposes afores<sup>d</sup>, & forthwith to transmit a Copy of the entry or entries of the s<sup>d</sup> Reserve; and Whereas many persons holding Lands within the Bounds afores<sup>d</sup> under titles derived from Messieurs Boardly or Larking, whose Titles we have great reason to think invalid or fraudulent, may make applications for having their title or titles made good to them, You are to apprise the Governor, of all such application or applications, & then to transmit such application with a Survey, Draught or plan thereof to Me, & not to proceed therein but by my particular Direction under my Hand & Lesser Seal: — and as there are many persons who hold Lands under s<sup>d</sup> titles afores<sup>d</sup>, & have not as yet been proceeded ag<sup>t</sup>; You are to consult with the Atty. Gen<sup>l</sup>. what is proper to be done. As You are as usual to lett this Instruction be properly Enterd.

Whereas you have been always directed that one of y<sup>e</sup>. conditions of the collectors of the Quit Rents should be, y<sup>t</sup>. every individual collector should deliver unto you, (before you do make him his allowance,) annually, a Copy of the Quit-Roll by which he has that year collected; You are again directed strictly to comply with this Instruction & to remember that it y<sup>e</sup>. last time, this will be repeated to you: You are likewise to transmit over a Verbatim Copy of one of the Agreements with the