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by Benjamin Grafe on John Corbett at Glasgow for 40^{to}.
Mr. Browning says that he delivered it to Mr. Hanbury in March
1747. and that Mr. Hanbury did not return it to you protested
till December 1751. You therefore see the consequence the
said Bill must prove to you, and the difficulty you and he will
have in the Recovery of the same, either from the Endorsers,
or on the Party at Glasgow on whom the said Bill was drawn.
Whereas by Instructions to former agents, which all successors
in the said office were always to have regard to; It doth appear,
that orders were given and executed conformable thereto. viz^t.
That all Shipping Officers, as to Bills arising by virtue of the
afore-said Duties or otherwise, were made payable to the late Lord
Baltimore in London (agreeable to the Bents which are in
Sterling), except those to the payment of the Governor's Salary,
and were likewise to take care, that all other Bills of Land
warrants &c. were also made payable to him in London. vide In-
structions to Nicholas Lowe Esq^r Agent &c. dated the 5th of
December 1722. How comes this method of Remittances to have
been altered! The Difference by Reduction of charges &c. as to
Quantum in Value thereby less received to the Proprietary is too
considerable to slip unregarded; and in which the Proprietary
will no doubt substitute a Remedy.

Upon the Demand of Accounts you inclosed to me
of old Captain John Hyde. I have discoursed Mr. John Hyde
his Son, thereon, who says, that he is desirous of having
an amicable End put to all his Brother's affairs in Maryland
and will do every reasonable thing that can be desired of him for
that Purpose; But he can't as an honest man be so partial
as to give all or a great part to a few, and little or nothing to the
many the small Creditors of his Brother; That he has often wrote to
you, and now repeats it again, that when his Brother's Creditors
are satisfied in Maryland in general, if any thing remains in his
Power, his Intentions are to be gratefull. As a friend I advise, be
cautious if any thing comes before you wherein a Dyas may be sug-
gested - gested, try healing measures, I think Mr. Hyde means

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