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The Council held at the City of St. Marys the 5th day of
March Anno Dni. 1685

Present

Colo. Thomas Love
Colo. Henry Darnall
Colo. Wm. Dugges
Thos. Allen
Wm. Stevens
Wm. Hill

Colo. Darnall
motion concern
Alina fort &
y^e heads of y^e
Rivers

The Hon. Colo. Henry Darnall informs the board that in
-sider his L^{ty} generall's lett^s to his Council, he had rec^d his
and especial commands from his L^{ty} to take such effectual
care imaginable for the security and safe guard of the fron-
-tiers and heads of the Rivers from any foreign Invasions
or Inroads, to be made upon any part of his L^{ty} Province
and more especially had recommended to him the main-
-tenance of the fort at Alina bridge, wherefore he prayed
the consideration and aid of this board what fit and
necessary to be done therein

Whereupon it was considered and resolved on by the
board that precept be from hence requiring Capt^s
Philip Murry to continue his care in the guard and
maintenance of his Station at Alina fort, and that
Majo. Edward English for Cecil County, Majo. Peter Sayer
for Talbot County, Colo. George Wells for Baltimore County
and Colo. Wm. Stevens for Somerset & Dorchester Counties
be strictly required to take especial care for the defence main-
-tenance and preservation of the heads of the Rivers and
frontier parts within their respective Counties precincts
and Commands from any Inroads or Invasions

By the Council March 5th 1685

Maryland p^{te}

Ord. Council
to prevent
Inroads
upon the fron-
-tier

Ordered that the fort at Christina
Bridge and the guard there under the command of
Capt. Philip Murry be still continued and maintained
for the preservation and defence of those parts from all
foreign Inroads according to former Instructions un-
-til further ord. and that Colo. George Wells of Baltimore
County, Majo. Edward English of Cecil County, Majo. Peter
Sayer of Talbot County & Colo. Wm. Stevens of Somerset
County take particular care and have regard to the pro-
-servation and defence of the frontiers and heads of the
Rivers