


Whereas John Seuger Esq one of his Lordships Council  
of this Province of Maryland hath without any Order  
or Authority derived from his Lordship the Lord Proprietary  
or his Lieutenant General presumed of his own hand to  
counterfeit and deliver unto Captain Henry Fleet a  
Commission for treating a peace with the Enemies of this  
Province the Ssequihanowes and likewise for the making  
the said Fleet a Captain or General to make war against  
them or other Indians and to exercise Authorities over his  
Company inhabitants of this Province and to do other  
Acts according to the tenor of the said Commission unto  
which said Commission he hath likewise presumed to  
affix and counterfeit his Lordships Great Seal and his  
Lieutenants hand which Acts being of high misdemeanor  
and Offence and such as require severe reprimand reversion  
there are therefore to suspend the said John Seuger from  
the said Office and dignity of Councillor and from all  
other Offices and dignities thereupon depending and  
I do further hereby Revoke all other Commissions at any  
time granted unto him the said John Seuger by means  
his Lordships Lieutenant General for granting out writs  
or exercising any other power of Judicature within this  
his Lordships Province

Declared by the Lieutenant General   
the 26<sup>th</sup> of August 1644

Commission for the Government  
Cicilius Lord and Proprietor of the Provinces and  
Counties of Maryland and Avalon <sup>in the Parts of America</sup> Lord Baron of  
Baltimore &c to all and singular persons to whom these  
Present shall come Having know yee that wee for divers  
special Causes and Considerations as thereunto moving