

we do hereby declare shall be our Lieutenant General Chan-
 cellor Keeper of our Great Seal Admiral Chief Governor Capt
 and Commander of the said Province of Maryland during
 such absence or in case of death of our said Lieutenant
 Stone out of our said Province or until we or our heirs shall
 signify our or their pleasure to the contrary and no longer
 to which Lieut General Chancellor ^{Keeper of Our Great Seal} Admiral Chief Governor
 Captain Magistrate and Commander so to be elected nomi-
 nated and appointed as aforesaid we do hereby Grant the
 like power and Authority in all causes and things as we
 have by these presents above Granted unto the said William
 Stone and no other way until we or our heirs shall signify
 our or their pleasure to the contrary and no longer hereby Com-
 manding our Councillors Commanders Captains Soldiers &
 Officers for the time being and the people of the said Prov-
 of Maryland and all others whom it may concern to be
 Obedient unto him in all things matters and causes as we
 have in and by these presents Commanded them to be Obedi-
 ent to the said William Stone our present Lieutenant Gen-
 Chancellor Keeper of the Great Seal Admiral chief Governor
 Captain Magistrate and Commander upon pain of such
 punishment to be inflicted upon them and every of them
 as such a high Contempt shall deserve provided always that
 before the said William Stone or any other in the cases of
 his death or absence above mentioned shall take upon them
 or any of them any of the said Offices hereby Granted to the
 said William Stone or execute any of them or any of the pow-
 er and Authorities Granted by these presents to the said
 William Stone they and every of them especially the said
 William Stone shall take the Oath intituled the Oath of
 the Lieutenant or chief Governor of the Province of Mary-
 Signed with our hand and hereunto annexed to be