

before the publishing of our Commission therefore the ma-  
king and Constituting of the said William Stone our  
Lieut<sup>nt</sup> of Our said Province excepting nevertheless any Act  
or Acts Law or Laws whereby William Clayton now or  
late of Virginia was or is by that or any other name attain-  
ed or Condemned of any Capital or other Crime or Crimes  
or misdemeanors all and every of which Act or Acts Law  
or Laws concerning any such Attainder or Condemna-  
tion of the said William Clayton we will have still to  
Continue in full force and Virtue any thing herein to the  
Contrary in any wise notwithstanding Given under our  
hand and Great Seal at London the 12<sup>th</sup> day of  
August in the seventeenth year of our Dominion over the  
said Province Anno Domini 1648

9<sup>th</sup> October 1648

Present } Governor  
C. Giles Brent

The Governor and Council have determined about the  
County Charge this year and have ased all the sums  
before specified upon the County of Saint Marys with  
this Reservation that if at the day of meeting with the  
County the Governor shall find any thing materially al-  
ledged by the County why the Assessment in what con-  
cerns the Indian Prisoners should be taken of the County or  
altered that then the Governor shall in that particular  
make such alteration and Orders he shall Conscionably  
find fit to be done therein

Whereas several Tenements in the Mannor of <sup>St</sup> ~~St~~ <sup>in</sup>  
Saint Marys remain in question between the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup>  
the Lord Proprietary and Mr Thomas Copley and that  
thereby to the loss of both parties the Rents of them