

Granted for the Employing of Indians and to kill Deer
 with Guns under Colour whereof I am Given to under-
 stand this County of Saint Marys and the parts adjoy-
 ning are very much distressed with Great Concourse of
 Indians from several parts to the Annoyance and Terror
 of divers of the Inhabitants here and excessive wast and
 destruction of the Game of this Province and dispersing
 and scattering of the Cattle and Hogs of the Inhabi-
 tants to their Great prejudice and Detrimēt upon con-
 sideration whereof I have thought fit and do hereby make
 void and null all warrants by me Granted at any time
 heretofore to any of the Inhabitants of this Province
 or others for Employing of Indians to kill Deer with
 Guns whereas all and every the said Inhabitants and
 others are hereby required to take special notice and to
 submit in all things hereunto and to an Order of As-
 sembly heretofore made and still in force for the restraint
 thereof upon the penalty therein expressed and to that
 purpose all and every the said Inhabitants and others
 who have delivered any Guns to any Indians for the pur-
 pose aforesaid are with all convenient time after the
 publication hereof to take or cause the same to be taken
 from them as they will Answer the Contrary at their
 Perills Given at Saint Marys this 20th day of November
 Anno Domini 1650

William Stone

By the Governour Captain General
of Maryland

Whereas the Pocomoke Indians and the Match-
 oatche and divers other Indians on the South Side of
 Potomack River take to themselves the Liberty of