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I know all men by these parts that I Leonard Calvert Esq. Lieutenant Governour
of Maryland being to be absent for a while out of the Province in Virginia
doe constitute and appoint, and doe hereby assigne Deputie Constable and Justice
my respected friend Mr. John Savage Secretary of the Province to be in my
place to hold Lieutenant Governour of the Province during my absence, and no
Justice or Justice for whatsoever words of whatsoever shall be said and spoken
in this day of April 1634.

Leonard Calvert

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Civilizing to beloved Cousin Robert ~~Wint~~ Esq. greeting. Whereas
the west side of St. Georges river is now planted by the whole inhabitation
and ye young of the said side to be divided into a hundred by the name of St. Georges
hundred we thinking to provide for ye better conservation of the peace
within ye said hundred and reposing speciall trust and confidence in ye wisdom
indigent & well approved experience of you ye said Robert Wint Esq. assigned
constable and Justice, and by the said Commission doe constitute assigne and authorize
you to be Justice of the peace within ye said hundred, giving unto you full power
and authority to grant warrants, take recognisances to the peace, keep a record,
administer an oath, and to doe whatsoever & execute all other things and things
act and acts now and now to be done belong to the office of a Justice
of the peace in England by virtue of the Commission for the peace. And we doe
authorize you from time to time at all times as you shall see cause
to make diligent and enquire after all persons that shall sell or (without licence
from us or our Lieutenant Governour) lend or deliver any gunnes powder or shot
to any Indian, or yett all lodge or entertaine in your house by night
any Indian without licence from us or our Lieutenant Governour, or from the Justice first
ordained, & the offender or offenders herein to bind over to answer the same
at the next County Court to be held at St. Maries. And we doe further au-
thorize you to elect and appoint such able and sufficient freemen within the
said hundred to be ye Justice Constable of the same hundred, to w^{ch} you shall give
sole full and unimpaired we doe give you full power and authority to doe
and execute all such acts and powers within ye said hundred as unto ye Justice
Constable of a hundred in England doe or may belong. And we doe require
and command all ye inhabitation of the said hundred yett you doe acknowledge
respect and obey you the said Robert Wint, and the said Justice Constable by you
to be appointed, respectively in the said severall offices and charges hereby committed
unto you and him, as you will answer ye contrary hereof at the next County Court
at St. Maries the last day of May 1634. Witness Leonard Calvert Esq.