

16th

Now Commission then issued for the peace in the County of Kent
sent off in the 24th for the Count of Kent
Commissioners for that County and in the said Commission
as followeth

Robert Dummer } of the Quorum
John Vicars }
Matthew Road, Mungay, William Richard Robert Robert
of former William Plead John Wright & William Bishop
Justices - Duffborough Barnett Clerk

April 16th

Commiss^{rs} to Major Thomas King in the County
of Kent sent off the 27th

Facetus the to all persons to whom these presents shall
come greeting in our Lord God everlasting Whosoever
John Kato of Amsterdam belonging to the States of
Holland Subject of the Nation aforesaid having trans-
ported himself into this Province to inhabit ~~and~~
~~and~~ hath sought us to Grant him the said Com-
mission leave to inhabit and as a free Person
Freedom Land to him & his heirs to purchase Know you that we
willing to give our Consent to the Subjects of the Nation
doe hereby declare him the said John Kato to be a free
Person of this Our Province of Maryland & do further give us
Our Heirs & Successors straighte, enjoyne, constitute Ordains
& Command that the said John Kato in all things be hold
treated reputed & esteemed as One of the faithful people
of us Our Heirs & Successors borne within this Our said Province
of Maryland & likewise any Land Tenement & Services
Services & other Inheritance whatsoever within Our said
Province of Maryland may Inherit or otherwise purchase
receive take have hold buy & possess & them may Occupy
and enjoy free sole Absolute bequeath as likewise all
Liberties franchises & Privileges of this Our Province
of Maryland freely quietly & peaceably have & possess
 Occupy & enjoy as Our faithful people borne or to
be borne within Our said Province of Maryland
without the Lett molestation or oppression Or Grievance
of us Our Heirs & Successors any Customs to the
Contrary hereof ^{in any wise} standing Given at Our
City of St. Maries under Our Great Seal of our
said Province of Maryland the Twentieth day of
April in the xxviijth year of Our Dominion Over
Our said Province of Maryland Our Right Honorable
Charles Calvert Esq^r Our Lieutenant General and
Chief Governor of Our said Province of
Maryland