

Sherments for the Surveying of Lande turning out of mens
 Lands as aforesaid provided that you shall not exact more than
 one half of the fees profits and fees quites remaining or in
 any manner by the said Office of deputy Surveyor or
 Receiver due and the other half pay for cause to be paid to the
 said Surveyor General his sign and also before you shall
 execute the said Office you shall take the Oath of a deputy Sur
 veyor before William Stevens Gent whom I have appointed to
 Administer the same to you and also under into Bond to the Sur
 veyor General to be accountable for half the said profits as afores
 Given under my hand and the seal of the said Province
 of Maryland the 24th day of December in the 39th Year of the domi
 nion of Cecilius & Annoy Domini 1676

Copy of the Oath and Bond sent according to the Tenor of
 the above said Commission

Charles Calvert Esq Lieutenant General and chief
 Governor of the Province of Maryland to William Stevens of
 the County of Somerset in the said Province of Maryland
 Gent wheras by a Commission under my hand and Seal bea
 ring date the 24th day of December in the 39th Year of the domi
 nion of Cecilius & Annoy Domini 1676 for the Reasons and
 Considerations therein specified I have appointed and appointed
 James Weedon of the said County of Somerset Gent a deputy
 Surveyor in a full and ample manner to use and exercise the
 said Office as any other now in the Province by Commission
 from the Surveyor General can or may do and Considering the
 Remoteness of the said James Weedons habitation from the
 Office where deputy Surveyors are usually sworn have thought
 fit and do hereby impower you to administer the Oath of a
 deputy Surveyor according to the form hereunder written to
 the said James Weedon for the use of the Surveyor General and