

a considerable estate in this Province and being by Rob Occasion called
 for England some years ago did make Thomas Truman Esq^r his
 Attorney but not reserving any effects of the produce of his said estate
 he did about a year since send in One Mr John Gould with power by a
 letter of Attorney to manage the same who acted accordingly and having a
 great quantity of Tobacco ready to shipp for the use of Capt Perry
 it hath pleased God to take him the said Gould out of this World so that for
 want of a person authorized to shipp it the said Tobacco is like to lie in
 the Country. That it was the instruction of the said Capt Perry that when
 the said God should have Occasion to leave the Country he should
 make the said Christopher Rousby his Attorney as the said Gould
 declared upon his death bed and as by a certain writing under his
 hand & seals then done & published may appear But that being short
 and defective and no other Authority extant from Capt Perry.

The said Christopher Rousby most humbly refers the matter to his
 Lopp^s Consideration and prays that for the prevention of the great
 damage which must otherwise fall upon Capt Perry this Lordshipp would
 be pleased to Order him the said Christopher Rousby or some other
 person whom his Lopp^s shall think fitt to act as Attorney of the said
 Capt Perry at least so far as to shipp his tobacco for him he
 having received none these four years And that he the said
 Christopher or such other person as his Lopp^s shall nominate may
 for so doing be indemnified.

It is the judgment and Opinion of his Lopp^s and Council here this day
 that Mr Christopher Rousby is sufficiently empowered to manage the affairs
 of Capt Richard Perry in this Province for the preservation of his estate
 according to the instructions of Capt Richard Perry to Mr John Gould by
 his letter bearing date at London the 14th of 9th 1674 Mr Goulds
 will.

At a Council Held at the Statehouse June the 7th in the
 first year of his Lopp^s Dominion &c Annoq^{ue} Dom 1676

Present

His Lopp^s the Lord Proprietary

The Hon^{ble} }
 Mr Philip Calvert Esq^r }
 Mr Wm Calvert Esq^r } Council^{rs}.
 Mr Baker Brooke Esq^r }
 Mr Thomas Parlow Esq^r }

Then came the Great men of Shoptico Mattawoman Pamunkey
 Mangony Mattapanney & Pascutaway Indians.

Complaint was made by the Shoptico Indians that Quahunks
 wife had prest from her a Gunne by Capt Stye which is not
 returned her

Whereupon it is Ordered that Major Boreman
 satisfy her for the same & that he be allowed Out of
 the publique three hundred pounds of Tobacco.

Upon Complaint made by Quanamond that her Son hath hunted for
 Mr Sprigg & not satisfied him and that the said Sprigg hath

taken

he was offered
 Indians for company
 about my traps