

Whom some of the Intendants have put in hopes
 otherwise for the same great reason to Persuade & me
 being partial to the Disturbance of the Government until
 sometime as his Majesty's Royal Pleasure shall be known
 therein and that it is also Represented by his Majesty's
 Council of this Province that a Church Government being
 settled & established here (as also a Protestant Government
 the ill consequences that will happen if in case the said
 form should be restored to the Government as formerly
 besides the Great Mischief that would consequently Enflow
 to all his Majesty's good Subjects in General here residing
 by the Altering the good Frame and Constitutions of several
 Courts of Judicature Viz that of the Governor and Council
 for hearing appeals &c^o The Chancery the provincial &
 Commissary Courts & the several County Courts beside the
 Danger of an end being put to all those considerable Acti-
 ons depending in the several Courts here wherein his Sa-
 ved Majesty is more Immediately Interested and that it
 be further Represented the great Encouragement that will be
 given to the Irish Jesuits priests & others of that party to
 flock hither as before was usual in the said Baltimore
 to the very great Discouragement of the English In-
 habitants & Hindrance of the Progress of the Protestant
 Religion within this his Majesty's Province
 Came Colonel Henrich Beal & Offered his Service to
 Command One party of the New Rangers to be raised upon
 Potomack and the said Colonel Beal is well accepted of by
 this Board

Captain Richard Owen is thought to be a person very
 fully Qualified to Command the other party

Ordered that Coll^o Beal & Captain Owen do Imme-
 diately go to Colonel Addison & adjust the said Matter in
 him & pursue what Directions the said Colonel Addison
 shall give them