

His Honor the Governor says that the Board shall his
Lordship the Lord Proprietary hath by his Letters appointed
James Lloyd Esq and Benjamin Lush Esq members of
his Lordship's Council and that they are now attending
in order to their Qualification

It is also the said James Lloyd and Benj.
Lush Esq take the several Oaths to the Government appoint-
ed by Law and likewise the Oath of a Councillor and severally
subscribe the Oath of Allegiance and test and then take their
places at the Board accordingly

Several Depositions of Samuel Brice of New Con-
naught Charles Mays of Talbot's Manor Edward Lang
of New Connaught and Daniel Smith under Maryland
Government were read at the Board concerning of the
Enfranchisement of the Pennsylvania Indians in particular that
Isaac Taylor and Elisha Gatchell with William Brown John
Churchman Richard Brown Roger Mack and Isaac
Taylor's Son in Company did usurp their Lands and threat-
ned to take their Plantations from them if they refused to
come under the Pennsylvania Government which to save
them they were obliged to do; The honorable Mr Lloyd
at the same time informed the Board that the people of
and in consequence of their submission to the Pennsylvanians
had rejected his Lordship's Government and refused to pay
the Sheriff

And upon putting the Question where the said Tay-
lor and Gatchell should be prosecuted for their Offence whether
in Cecil County Court or in the Provincial Court it is the opi-
nion of the Board that they be prosecuted in the Provincial
Court and that they be bound over to their Appearance there
with two sufficient securities they in an hundred Pounds