

of that Instruction that he would not have the expectation  
of the people in the least. I would that such persons as have  
been at the charge to have their dividends surveyed and  
Certificates of them returned have their Leases Confirmed  
to them because it may be of very ill consequence to his Lord  
ships Interest to discourage those who have thus qualified  
themselves for Leases and may provoke them to comply  
with the Pennsylvania and government and create a general  
dissatisfaction among the people in those parts to his Lord  
ships Great prejudice

His Excellency laid before the Board a  
Extract of Proceedings of a Council held at Philadelphia the  
5<sup>th</sup> day of November 1722 which was read and ordered to be  
entered and was following viz:

A Council held at Philadelphia the 5<sup>th</sup>  
day of November 1722

Present

The Honble Sir William Keith Baronet

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| Richard Hill | Robert Utsherson |
| Isaac Norris | Thomas Masters   |
| Sam Puxton   | Andr Hamilton    |
| J Logan      |                  |

The Governor acquainted the Board that having made  
it his care from his first Accession to this Government to  
preserve a perfect good understanding with all our Neigh  
bours and particularly with Maryland the Measures  
Concerted with that Government notwithstanding the  
unhappy uncertainty of our Boundaries had proved