

Remains for... for the delay of them but will behave
my self justly and truly and heartily Judge Deceit and
determine all matters that shall regularly come before me
for determination according to equity and Good Conscience
according to the duty of my said Office and according to the
best of my knowledge during my continuance in the said
Office until I shall be by Lawfull Authority Discharged
therefrom
So help me God

All which said Oaths were administered to his
Excellency by the members of his Lordships Honourable
Council now present

After the taking the several Oaths aforesaid his Ho-
nour the Governor subscribed the Oath of Allegiance and
Test according to the directions of the Act of Assembly aforesaid

Advised Read and Ordered that a Proclamation
be forthwith Issued for the Publication of his Excellency the
Governors Commission and directing all Officers Civil &
Military to continue in the Execution and discharge of their
several Offices until his Excellencys Pleasure shall be further
known and signified therein which Proclamation being
prepared is as follows viz

By the Honble Benedict Leonard
Calvert Lieutenant General and Governor in
Chief in and over his Lordships Province of Mary-
land and Vicel Admiral of the same

A Proclamation

Whereas Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary
of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron