

for the Residue in the same Species the Executions or Condemnations shall be

His Excellency acquaints the Board that he has nothing of Moment to lay before the Assembly which pursuant to the Writts of Election was to have met on the 8<sup>th</sup> of December next, and desires their Advice to what Time to prorogue the same, who are of Opinion that the first Tuesday in May next being the first Day of the same Month is the most convenient Time, to which Time his Excellency is pleased to order that the same be prorogued and that Proclamations issue accordingly, which issued in the usual Manner

M<sup>r</sup>. Attorney General produces to this Board a Draught by him prepared of a Commission for a President of the Council in pursuance of his Lordships Instructions to his Excellency the Governor bearing Date 12<sup>th</sup> of October 1737 which being read and approved of is as follows

Maryland &c

Samuel Ogle Esq. Governor of Maryland

I call to whom these presents shall come greeting

Whereas the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary in Order to settle the Administration of the Government of this Province and to prevent all Inconveniencies and Disputes concerning the same in Case of my Disability or Death by his Lordships Instructions bearing Date in London the twelfth Day of October One thousand seven hundred and thirty seven hath signified his Will & Pleasure to me, that I should cause a Commission to be drawn out & should insert in such Commission the Name of such Person as I should judge most for the Interest of this Province who in Case of my Disability or Death should act as President of the Council in such Cases as hath been accustomed until some Person should be sent