

20th August 1769.

Maryland^h Robert Eden Esq. Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of Maryland. To Richard Lee of Charles County Esq. Greeting -
 Having special Trust and Confidence in your Fidelity Knowledge Integrity and Circumspection I do hereby Nominate constitute and appoint you the said Richard Lee to be Naval Officer of Patowmack within the Province aforesaid, Hereby giving and granting unto you the said Richard Lee full Power and Authority to Act do perform and Execute all and singular the Lawful Powers and Authorities and other Things whatsoever incident to the said Office of Naval Officer and to take and receive to your own proper use and benefit all such Lawful Fees Perquisites and Advantages as to the said Office do in any wise appertain to have and to hold the same during Pleasure -
 Given at the City of Annapolis under my Hands and Seal this 20th Day of August in the Nineteenth Year of His Lordships Dominion Anno Domini 1769 -
 Signed by Order
 Aldcott. Esq. Secy

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Maryland^h Robert Eden Esq. Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of Maryland. To George Plater of Saint Marys County Esq. Greeting. Having special Trust and Confidence in your Fidelity Integrity Knowledge and Circumspection I do hereby Nominate constitute and Appoint you the said George Plater to be Naval Officer of Patowmack within the Province aforesaid, Hereby giving and granting unto you the said George Plater full Power and Authority to Act do perform and Execute all and singular the Lawful Powers and Authorities and other Things whatsoever incident to the said Office of Naval Officer and to take and receive to your own proper use and benefit all such Lawful Fees Perquisites and Advantages as to the said Office do in any wise appertain to have and to hold the same during Pleasure -
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 Having special Trust and Confidence in your Fidelity Integrity Knowledge and Circumspection I do hereby Nominate constitute and Appoint you the said John Ridout to be Naval Officer of Annapolis within the Province aforesaid Hereby giving and granting unto you the said John Ridout full Power and Authority to Act do perform and Execute all and singular the