

said John Ridout, William Hayward, Daniel of Saint Thomas
Jenifer, John Hepburn and James Dickinson Esquires or any three
of you whereof we will that John Ridout Esq^r or William Hayward Esq^r
be One of our Commissioners or Delegates to view inspect Examine and
Correct as aforesaid the said Decree and the same to Confirm or Revoke as
you or any three of you shall see Cause (and any other Decree to make)
and pronounce in the Room thereof touching the matters in the Complaint
aforesaid Contained and such Decree to Execution to bring or cause to be brought.
And We do by these presents Nominate Constitute and Appoint SAMUEL
Brooks of the City of Annapolis Gentleman to be your scribe during
the Execution of this our Commission. Giving and granting unto you
or any three of you whereof we will that you the said John Ridout Esq^r
or William Hayward Esq^r be One full power and Authority from time to
time to call and cause to be brought before you or any three of you all Escrip^t
Entries Registries Transcripts Records and Things concerning or relating to
the Premises and generally to Act do pronounce say and perform all manner of
Acts Deeds Sentences and Decrees of and touching the Premises which to
you or any three of you Observing the orders of Law shall seem meet and
convenient to be made done and pronounced, And to Adjourn your Court
from time to time and to meet again according to such Adjournments

Witness Our Trusty and well beloved Brother Robert Eden Esq^r Lieutenant
General and Chief Governor in and over our said Province this Fifth Day of
December in the Twenty second year of our Dominion Anno Domini 1772. —

Signed by Order. — W. Scott. C. Con.

Maryland Es^t

Fredrick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces
of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore and
soforth. —

To William Hayward and Daniel of Saint Thomas
Jenifer Esquires Greeting. —

We do hereby authorize and Impower you or either of you to Admin-
ister the Oaths appointed to be taken by Act of Assembly of this Province
to the Government as also an Oath impartially to execute the Office of Com-
missioner or Delegate under the within Commission to the within named
John Ridout and John Hepburn Esquires And we will that you the said
John Ridout and John Hepburn or either of you having taken the said several
Oaths do Administer the same to the other Commissioners or Delegates
(respectively)