

tho' the running such Tangent Line should cost more than
it would to find a certain Number of Points in the manner abovementioned
but even with regard to the Expence it is by no means evident to us that
it will be more expensive actually to run the Tangent than to run so many
Setts off of such considerable Length as several of them must necessarily be.
In the Letter which I desire You to present to His L^{dy} I have beg'd the
favour of him to signify to me whether he would have us in order to dis-
patch the Business employ two Setts of Surveyors at the same time, some
of them on the Tangent Line & others on the Northern Boundary, since
it is now manifest that unless the Weather should be much more fa-
vourable next Summer to the Surveyors than it hath been this Summer
we shall be under a Necessity of applying again for a Prolongation of
the time allowed for carrying the Articles of Agreement into Execution -
As we found upon Trial that the Sector You were pleased to send me is
far from being truly divided or graduated, of which You may easily satis-
fy Yourself by trying it with a Pair of Dividers, & by comparing it with
others are apt to think it is rather over-measure. I think it my Duty to
return it that You may if You please insist on the Maker's exchanging
it for a just one, which we should be glad to have stamped with the
Tower Mark as Proof of its being exact standard Measure. Having
Nothing more worthy Notice to communicate to You at present & no Letter
to answer, for that dated the 10th of June was the last I had the Pleasure
to receive from You. I shall only add that I am with great Respects