

Prerogative, Propriety and Dominion, over and in the
 sayd Province and Islands thereunto belonging, and o-
 ver the people who are or shall be therein for the time be-
 ing, as are granted to his sayd Lordship and his Heyres by
 the late King of England in his sayd Lordships Patent
 of the sayd Province under the Great Seale of England,
 not any wise understood to infringe or prejudice Liberty
 of Conscience in point of Religion; And I doe also swear
 that I will with all expedition discover to his Lordship
 or to his Lieutenent or other Chiefe Governour of the
 sayd Province for the time being, and also use my best en-
 deavour to prevent any Plot, Conspiracy, or Combination,
 which I shall know, or have just cause to suspect, is or
 shall be intended against the person of his sayd Lordship,
 or which shall tend any way to the disinherison or depri-
 vation of his sayd Lordship or his Heyres their Right,
 Title, Jurisdiction, and Dominion aforesayd, or any part
 thereof; And I doe swear that I will not either by my self
 or by any other person or persons, directly or indirectly
 take, accept, receive, purchase or possesse any Lands, E-
 nements, or Hereditaments within the sayd Province of
 Maryland, or the Islands thereunto belonging from any
 Indian or Indians to any other use or uses but to the use
 of his sayd Lordship, and his Heires Lords and Propri-
 etaries