

Touching your proceeding with Gondall and his Company
 I would have you proceede against such of them as you shall
 thinke fit to pardon, by inflicting upon them penance of death
 or any other punishment as the provinciall Court shall ad-
 judge; you, if there be neede you may proceede against them by
 Martiall lawe, and in a Court Martiall, and upon me bearing
 to pardon Gondall so much as for life, nor if you can doe it
 without hazarding the regaining of the Province, to pardon
 so much as for life any of those that sate in the Court of
 warre at the Strand, and were bound to the Sentence of
 death against Mr Cottonhead, or other of my honest friends
 then and there in the said Court, and have now againe engaged
 against me in this second Rebellion, but to doe further upon
 them, and I shall intifie you in it, And if you shall thinke
 fit to pardon Gerard or Hatch for life or Member, yet
 not to pardon either of them for loss of Estate or banishment
 out of the Province unless you find it necessary for the pre-
 servment of my Right, and the publick peace there; And this
 I hope is a positive direction, and such I have bene all
 waies carefulle to give as now as I route soe as I knowe not
 what they meane that say I use to have my selfe a hobbie
 gott out at, for in directions at this distance something
 will be allowed fit to be left to the discretion of them upon
 the place, and the way which upon such reasons is at any
 tyme left by me to their discretion is left to them not to
 my selfe. If you cannot otherwise remove Gondall
 thinke you may doe well by proclamation to give a reward
 toward to any that shall bring him alive, or his head to you
 to be paid out of his Estate, or rather then take out of my
 service there And the like for Gerard or Hatch as you shall
 see cause; But for the Generallity of the People supplying
 the prisons above mentioned I thinke you shall doe well
 and I will have you to proclaime a Generall Pardon to all
 of them that shall submit to my Jurisdiction there forthwith
 upon the publication of the said Proclamation, and not
 let any thing afterwards against it, or my Right there.
 After which they took into debate what was fit to be done
 with the said Gondall, considering his former Friends, and
 some bad expressions of the said Gondall, ^{in a letter} to the Governour dated
 20 of November impliedly menacing force, of the mightinesse
 have such warnings as he in his letter to the Governour proper
 as also of some other words lett fall by the said Gondall smiting
 coming down to Saint Maryes to Nicholas Young and John
 Abington gentlemen Saviouring of force intended by him, and
 after matters fully argued it was putt to the Note of the
 Whether shall the said Gondall be committed Prisoner to
 the Sheriffe or not
 And it was Noted by the Board in the affirmative.
 Whereupon it is Ordered that the said Gondall be committed to