Oath of our Justices of our Prvcl Court [illegible] right of ye Gentlemen therein named, and we do also hereby authorise Henry Darnall and William Digges gentl to administer the same oath unto Thomas Taylor, and Vincent Lowe gentl. Given at London this 21th day of September 1685:

C. Baltimore

The said Commission and Indorsemt transmitted by ye Provcl Court lodgd read there, and for the Justices there to be sworne —

C. Baltemore

Secretaries Comission

CHARLES Absolute Lord and Propry of the Province of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c: To all to whom these presents shall come greeting. KNOW YE that we reposing special trust and confidence in the fidelity prudence care and circumspection of our Trusty and well beloved William Digges Esq: and Nicholas Sewall Esq: now being and residing in our said Province of Maryland HAVE given and granted, And for us our Heirs and Assigns do by these presents give and grant unto the said William Digges and Nicholas Sewall the Office of Chiefe and Principall Secrys of our sd Province of Maryland and of all and singular our Dominions and Territories thereunto belonging, and of the custody and keeping of the Seals, Records & Registryes of ye sd Office of Chiefe & Principall Secretaries and of all other the Acts Ordinances Records, Journalls & Registryes of our sd Province Dominions and Territories and of the entering Recording, Enrolling Registrying Exemplifying and keeping of all and singular the Acts Ordinances, Patents Grants Journalls Records and Registryes made or to be made within our said Province of Maryland Dominions and Territories, or thereunto belonging. And then the said William Digges and Nicholas Sewall We do by these presents make ordain and constitute our Chiefe and Principall Secrys of our sd Province of Maryland, and of all and singular our Dominions and Territories thereunto belonging and keepers of the Seals Records and Registryes of the said Office of Chiefe and Principall Secrys, and keepers and Registers of all and singular the Acts Ordinances, Records Journalls and

Wm Digges Esqr
Nicho: Sewall Secrys

Registryes