

Ordered that Jacob Lorton give Bond or enter into Recognizance with goods and sufficient security to appear at the next Provincial Court, to answer what shall be Objected against him, and in the mean time to be of the good Behaviour, that he be bound in the sum of Five hundred Pounds Sterl, and Bond also to be taken of the Evidence to prosecute against him upon the Act of Assembly of this Province against dealing with the Indians &c and likewise that Captain James Muswell search the House and Plantations of the said Lorton &c according to the following Precept to him directed Viz

Maryl^d By his Excellency the Governor and Council August 16 1692

Ordered that Captain James Maxwell of Baltimore County with such Aid and Assistance as he shall think fit and convenient, do forthwith repair to and search the House and Plantation of M^r Jacob Lorton of the same County for what Furr Skins or other Indian Truck may be supposed or suspected, he hath procured by way of Trade and Barter from the Indians which he is forthwith to make Seizure of and keep in his custody untill further orders giving a true and just Acco thereof and of every particular parcel thereof to his Excellency the Governor with all expedition, and for the better and more effectual execution hereof the said James Maxwell is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into, search, examine, and if occasion be Break open any Chests, Trunks, packs, or other Locked & barred Places where he shall or may suspect any the commoditys aforesaid to be hid or concealed for all which this shall be his Sufficient Warrant

To Captain James Maxwell
of Baltimore County These
Signed by Order
J. L. C. Council

Called in another parcel of Indians that were met within the Woods back in Ann Arundell County by some of the Inhabitants of the said County— proceed to their Examination viz
Solomon Sparrow of Ann Arundell County declareth that going out a hunting back in the woods, these Indians came athwart their Tracks, sent after them and warned them not to go a hunting for they said the naked Indians were abroad and would kill them if they met with them;
Quest Were they sent by those Indians to enquire after the French mans Prisoner as report goes, or are they of the naked Indians