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By the Lieuten^t Gräll

Proclamaōn; gones
to Indians.

Whereas I am informed by a great complaint of divers, of the great number of gones, now in the hands & vse of Indians, in & about this colony, w^{ch} is a disorder tending to very ill consq̄nce if it be not in time restrained & reduced to some good order. I doe therefore hereby in the Lo: Propr name straitly phibite all p̄sons within this colony of S^t Maries to lend or deliver vpon any pretence whatsoever, any gonne powder or shott to any Indian without a licence first had & obtained from me to that purpose, vpon paine of such fine & other censure according to the quality of the p̄son as the contempt shall deserve. And I doe hereby require the sheriff of S^t Maries to warne 12-freemen of this County to be at the Court on the first of ffebruary next to enquire of & present the names of all such as they shall know or heare of to offend ags^t this phibition

Given at S^t maries this 2^d January 1643.

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By the Lieuten^t Gräll.

Whereas by reason of the vnseasonableness of this last past yeare, small quantities of tob have been made within this colony, whereby the ships bound hether out of England for supply of the colony are like to want of their home-frait ffor p̄vision for their benefitt in that point in as far as the tobaccos of this colonies growth will amount I have thought fitt & doe hereby phibite all export of tob out of this Prov: after the publicaōn hereof in the severall Counties respectively, by or vpon any other vessell or vessells whatsoever other then ship or ships coming from England, vntill the said ship or ships be fully fraited. And for better caution for due observance hereof I doe hereby phibite any p̄son to lay or take aboard any tob vnder any p^rtence whatsoever on any vessell (other then such ship or ships as aforesaid, or such as shall belong to some inhabitant of the country) till he or they have putt in security not to offend to the contrary hereof. And hereof I require in his L^{ps} name all p̄sons to take notice whom it may concerne, vpon paine of contempt. Given at S^t Maries this 8. January 1643

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Cur. Provinc; apud S. John 3^o febr 1643.

3 The Secretary read in Court the 17. article of his Lo^{ps} Instruccōns vnder his hand & seale; bearing date at London 20th october 1642 in hec verba