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or any waies tending any Tobacco from the said first of February one thousand six hundred sixty six, to the first of February, one thousand six hundred sixty seven. But the said Act so made could not Transmitt to the s^d Gov^{rs} of Virginia and Maryland before the fifth of October last past by reason of an Invacōn of their neighbouring Indians by which laps of a few daies occationed by the s^d Invacōn, Wee doe not judge either the severall & respective Acts of Assembly or the s^d Articles of Treaty of the 12th July aforesaid grounded upon the said Acts to be falln or voyd Wherefore to the intent the good of the severall Collonies expected from a Cessacōn, may not be stifled in its birth, wee the Com^{rs} of Virg^a and Maryland doe declare that no Advantage is or ought to be taken upon the lapse of those few daies mencōned being noe Essentiall part of the said Agreem^t and doe hereby accordingly ratifie and confirme the same according to the true intent and meaning thereof, fully relying upon the said late Act of Assembly of Albemarle County in Carolina for the performance & the Execucōn of the s^d Cessacōn in time and manner as is expressed in the same. And wee doe further hereby agree & conclude th^t there shall issue out a Proclamacōn from each of the respective Gov^{rs} requireing and commanding an exact Obedience to the s^d severall acts of Assembly made in the s^d severall Colonies of Virg^a Maryland and Albemarle County and likewise the said Articles of Agreem^t under the penalties of Fine Imprisonm^t & cutt up the Tobacco planted, sett, sowne &c: To be inflicted upon all or any person or persons offending against the s^d Act or any of them in their respective Governm^{ts} And that Authentique Coppies of the s^d Proclamacōns to be published as aforesaid be (so soone as possible) transmitted from each respective Gov^r to both the other Gov^{rs} to the intent that all Interests may be satisfied in the severall proceedings in the performance of the said Articles In wittness whereof wee have hereunto sett our hands and seales, the day and yeare first above written

Philip Calvert (seal)	Tho: Ludwell (seal)
Henry Coursey (seal)	Robt: Smith (seal)
Rob ^t Slye (seal)	Ri: Bennet (seal)
Tho: Notley. (seal)	Nicho: Spencer (seal)
	Tho: Ballard (seal)
	Joseph: Bridg ^r (seal)
	Daniell Parke (seal)

Liber H. H. January the 2^d 1666

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Was then Sworne before the Leiutenn^t Generall the Comm^{rs} of Charles County to that Oath concerning a Cessacōn whose names are Henry Adams Zachary Wade Joseph Harrison