

Cæcilius Absolute lord and Prop<sup>y</sup> of the Provinces of Maryland & Avalon Lord Baron of Baltemore &c To all persons to whome this presents shall come Greeting in our Lord God Everlasting Know yee that wee Reposeing Speciall confidence & trust in you Richard Collett of the County of Calvert in o<sup>r</sup> said Province of Maryland gent Have constituted Ordeyned & appointed And Do by this presents constitute Ordeine & appoynt you sherriffe of Calvert County afores<sup>d</sup> And to have such priviledges & benifitts as any other sherriffe within this our Province of Maryland now hath or any other sherriffe of your s<sup>d</sup> County ever have had held or Enjoyed To have and to hold the s<sup>d</sup> Office or Employ<sup>m</sup>t for one whole yeare to be computed from the day of the date of this presents And after till another sherriffe by our Leivtenn<sup>t</sup> Generall shall be lawfully by Patent constituted Provided th<sup>t</sup> you the said Richard Collett, Doe take the oath & give Security for the well dischargeing of your Office & trust according to the act of Assembly in that case provided Given att S<sup>t</sup> Maries vnder our lesser Seale of our said Province of Maryland this fifteenth day of Aprill in the five & thirtieth yeare of our Dominion over our said Province of Maryland Annoq. D<sup>m</sup> One thousand six hundred sixty seven Wittnes our Deare Sonn Charles Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> our Leiv<sup>t</sup> Gener<sup>ll</sup> & Cheife Governo<sup>r</sup> of our said Province of Maryland These are to will and Require y<sup>ou</sup> th<sup>t</sup> by the twentieth day of July next you cause a list to be taken of all the Tithables within your County and that in the s<sup>d</sup> list the name & Surname of each tithable person & the howse of his abode be distinctly sett d<sup>owne</sup> & a Coppy thereof faire written & sent Imediately downe to the Governo<sup>r</sup> & Councill & another Coppy of the said list sett vpon the Court house att the next County Court to remayne there for the whole yeare To the End th<sup>t</sup> if any Errors be therein they may be Corrected & the same certified to the Governour and Councill before the first day of September next herein faile not as you will answer the Contrary And for so doing this shall be yo<sup>r</sup> Warr<sup>t</sup> Given vnder my hand this fifteenth day of Aprill in the yeare of our lord God 1667  
To Richard Collett gent  
High Sherriff of  
Calvert County.

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