


APPENDIX

Orders & Instructions to our right Trusty & well Beloved Samuel Ogle Esq^r. our Lieutenant Governor of our Province of Maryland

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 It Appearing that all undue Concessions serve only to Lay a foundation for further Incroachment & Endless Disputes, you must be very Carefull for the future, not to part with or to Lessen in the Least degree any of my Just rights, & to Observe all my former Instructions, wth the Greatest Exactness, and in particular those of the 26 March 1743, w^{ch} you must take care to have Enterd in the Journals of the Council wth such other Instructions as you may receive from time to time, that none in the Council may be Ignorant of my Just Expectation

If any further devisions of Countys shou'd be propos'd, you must take care not to Let any Bill pass for that purpose till I am satisfied of the necessity or usefullness of such a bill, or unless their be a Clause in it that it shall not take place till my Assent be given to it.

As I have never sent you any Instructions or ever shall, but what are founded on Justice & Equity, I make no doubt, but you will always find all Reasonable men, ready to support you & I am perswaded the Upper House will give their Negative, to whatever bills are unfit to be passed, however if Contrary to Expectation, it shou'd at any time happen otherways, you are at all events to take care that the said bills do not pass, And as for any Law that may be for the Real Happyness & prosperity of the province, no Body shall ever be Readier to Come into it then myself, as every such Law, must of course tend to my own Interest, & that of my Tenants

Given under our hand & Lesser Seal at Arms at London this 6th day of Feb^ry in the Thirty sixth Year of our Dominion over the said Province Anno Domini 1749-50

By his Lordship's Command
Jn^o Browning, Secretary

[Alexander Adams to Col. John Henry]

Black Book
No. 10
Letter
No. 34
1750, May 14

S^r
You express'd last year a great concern for the people in Nanticoke hundred in Worcester County I hope by a petition lying before your house of Assembly you will see that care is taken of them that it pass y^r house you know w^t a compact parish it will be both the N. west fork hundred in Worcester County & the Nanticoke hundred in Worcester County are so contiguous to the N. East branch that it will not be so stragling or so long a parish as the many branches