

‘ Conditions of Plantations, from the first Settlement of this Province to
‘ this Time, as are lodged in the Office whereof you are Clerk, on the
‘ Publick Account of this Province, according to the Tenor of the fore-
‘ going Orders. We are, Sir, Your humble Servants,

‘ Annapolis, 29 June, 1739. C. Carroll,
‘ To Mr. Griffith Beddoe, Clerk of the Land Office. This. V. Denton.

‘ S I R,

‘ We sent a Letter, whereof the above is a Copy, to your Deputy Clerk
‘ of the Land Office, and received from him the following Answer, viz.

‘ Gentlemen,

‘ In Answer to yours of the 29th of June last, That I have no par-
‘ ticular Instructions from Col. Gale, who is my Employer, to deliver, or
‘ let your Clerk take, any such Copies as you therein demand: He’s ex-
‘ pected in Town this Week, the farthest at the Provincial Court: As
‘ soon as he comes, shall acquaint him with your Demands, and accord-
‘ ing to his Directions shall do every Thing in the Power of,

‘ Gentlemen, Your most humble Servant,

G. Beddoe.

‘ July, 5. 1739.

‘ To Doctor Charles Carroll and Mr. Vachel Denton. These.

‘ Not having a Line from you on the Occasion, we do, in Pursuance of
‘ and Obedience to the foregoing Orders, desire you will give Directions to
‘ your Deputy Clerk of the Land Office, to make out Authentick Copies of
‘ such of their Lordships the Lords Proprietaries Conditions of Plantations,
‘ from the first Settlement of this Province to this Time, as are Recorded
‘ in the Land Office, or such of them, or any other Records or Papers of
‘ the said Office, which the said Committee, or any two of them, shall
‘ Order under their Hands, for the Use and on Account of the Publick.

‘ If your Clerk cannot be spared to make out such Copies, we desire
‘ you will permit Stephen Bordley Clerk of the Committee as aforesaid
‘ appointed to take the same.

‘ We request the favour of your Answer hereto, in Writing, and are,
‘ with much Esteem, S I R, Your most obedient Servants,

‘ Annapolis, 12 July 1739.

C. Carroll,
V. Denton.

‘ To Levin Gale, Esq; These.

‘ Gentlemen,

‘ I received yours this Day by Mr. Stephen Bordley, and have given
‘ Orders to the Chief Clerk of the Land Office, without delay to make
‘ out Authentick Copies of all Records in that Office, that any of your
‘ Committee shall Order, and engage to pay the usual Fees for.