1753, whereby there hath happened a Vacancy
General in the said province

Horatio Sharpe esquire C
Chief of the aforesaid province of Maryland
and his Lordship the Right Honourable the Lord
Arms Given at the City of Annapolis on the Seven
aforesaid Commissionates Ordains Constitutes and ap
Benjamin Tasker Esquire to the said Office
Chief Judge for probate of Wills &c. as followeth,

Maryland ss. Frederick absolute Lord and proprie
Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of B

To Benjamin Easter of the City

Whereas for the due Administration of Justice It is mos
Succession from the Dead to the Living and that the Wills of al
Bequeathing any Real or personal Estate may be duly proved
of the Estates of all persons Dying Intestate be g v ted to su
to the End there be no failure of Justice therein but that it
this province to all persons Concerned Know ye that W
Confiding in the Knowledge Care Integrity and Ability of y
Easter have and do by these presents Ordain, Constitute and
Benjamin Easter Our Commissary General and Judge for pr
Administrations within this Our province and in all the Jurid
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