march 17 169 6/7 Came Doctr Louis De Roche friend of Kent Island in Talbott County and shewed that Maurice Hooper of the said Island Cooper was lately deceased Intestate and left no relations in this Country, and as creditr Craves for lett of Administration on the said deceased Estate the which was to him Granted, and entred into Bond with William Rabett his Security in 50 ltt ster - the wch was ordered to be filed Inventory returned in

Warrt In blanck to appraise Issued out wth warr Found John Coppedge to swear appraisers

Ditto 23 Mr George Ashman of Baltimore County made return That according to Commission to him directed he had sworn John Scutt & Katherine his wife, Admrs of the Estate of Stephen Hart late of the said County deceased, and made also return of there bond and Tho: Hooker & Robert Barker there Securities in 32 ltt 12 st ster the wch is ordered to be filed

Was also returned Inventory of the said Deceased Estate under the hands & Seales of James Jackson & Christopher Cox appraisers thereunto appointed and Sworn before the Sd Mr Ashman amounting to 16 ltt 6 st ster & ordered to be Record

Ditto 30 Was Exhibited the Last Will & Testam, of Nicholas Lambe late of Annarrundell County Deceased, and by the Hon-ble Nicholas Greenbery In behalfe of Hanah the Widdow of the Sd Deceased prayed for a Commission to Mr John Worthington to take Probate of the Sd Will by the Oaths of the Witnesses thereunto The which was Granted, and Issued out under the Seale of this office wth Letters testamentary & Copie of the Sd Will annexed to the said Hannah Lambe widdow the Exx Named in the said Will

also Warrt Issued out to the said Mr Worthington to swear Thomas Brown senr and Wm Clarke appraisers appointed wth warrant to them to appraise the Sd deceased Estate

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april 2d Came Wm Liddell of Annarrundell County who married Jane the Relict & Exx of the Last Will & Testam of Nicholas Terrott late of the said County Deceased and prayed for Warrts dongue to appraise the said dec estate the former one being relapsed the wch was Granted and Warrant Issued out to Mr Seth Biggs to swear appraisers & warrt In blanke for appraisers

Was also send to the Sd Mr Biggs Blank bond to take Security of the said Wm Liddell

Ditto 12 Mr John Thompson of Cecill County Deputy Commiry made return of the Accompt of Margarett Bryor Admx of Tho: Bryor deceased Sworn to by the St Admx before the Sd Mr Thompson the which was ordered to be Recorded

Aprill the 22d 1697:

Mr Richard Hoone of Calvert County Deputy Commissary made Return of the following Administrations by him Granted viz

The Last Will & Testam of Henry Orton late of Calvert County dec by which he appointeth his Loving freinds Richard Johns, Wm Mizard Daniell Rawlings and Arthur Young to be his lawfull Executors To which Admors they have all renounced Only Arthur Young To whom Letters Testamentary with Coppie of the Sd Will annexed was Granted by the said Mr Hoone the Sd Will proved by 2: of the Witnesses thereunto & ordered to be Recorded

Inventory of the Estate of the said Henry Orton dec Under the hand ~~the~~ And Seales of Robert Day & Robert Shepard appraisers there unto appointed amounting to 277 ltt Sterling & Ordered to be Recorded

The Last Will & Testam of Walter Gillett late of Calvert County Deceased by which he appointeth his Trusty & Well beloved freind Peter Sawell To whom Letters Testamentary was Granted by the said Mr Hoone the said will proved by oaths of the 3 Witnesses thereunto and ordered to be Recorded

Inventory of the Estate of the said Walter Gillett dec Under the hands & Seales of Robert Skinner & John Grover appraisers thereunto appointed amounting to 88 ltt 11 st - 9 1/2 sterling & Ord to be Recorded

Administration Bond of the Estate of Peter Goddard late of Calvert County Deceased James Heigh Admr To whom lett of Admon was Granted and Wm Drumple his Security In 50 ltt Sterling & ord to be filed

Inventory of the Estate of the Said Peter Goddard dec Under the hands and seales of John Leach Junr & Benjamin Ball Appraisers thereto appointed amounting to 50 ltt 6 st 8 d Sterling to be Ordered to be Recorded

Administration Bond of the Estate of Edmond Stow late of Calvert County Deceased Jane Stow Admx to whom letters of Administration were Granted and John Taman her Security In 200 ltt Sterling the which was ordered to be Recorded

Admon Bond of the Estate of Robert Curry late of Calvert County Deceased Coll John Bigger Admr to whom lett of Admon was Granted and Robert Skinner his Security In 50 ltt Sterling the which was ordered to be filed

Inventory of the Estate of Christopher Breans late of Calvert County dec Under the hands & Seales of James Duke & John Turner appraisers thereunto appointed amounting to 112 ltt Sterling the wch was ordered to be Recorded

Inventory of the Estate of Alphonso Ogden late of Calvert County Deceased Under the hands & Seales of James Duke & John Turner appraisers thereunto appointed amounting to 23 ltt 9 st 6 d Sterling the which was ordered to be Recorded

Mr Bouiè

Sr This is to desire you to enter a Caveat in your office (on behalf of the Gouernm-t) against granting letters of Admon to any person whatsoever upon the Estate of Coll Casparus Augustine Herman Deceased untill full Satisfaction be given for rediffing the State house Works or that you receive further Directions thereabouts

Yor Servt

Hen: Denton

Aprill the 26th 1697:

To Mr John Bouiè esqr of the Country Office

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