

Calvert being again this day attended by all Partys, the Counsel acquainted  
Papers 295½ the Com<sup>tee</sup> th<sup>t</sup> the Proprietors of each Province had accordingly  
mett & Agreed to the following Propositions ” viz.

NB. then there’s recited the 8 propositions of w<sup>ch</sup> herein is a Copy ;  
folios 31 : 32 : & 33. & w<sup>ch</sup> agreem<sup>t</sup> copied was sent the Gov<sup>er</sup> of  
Maryland May the 16<sup>th</sup> 1738

“ To which propositions the Proprietors of each province signi-  
fied their consent before the Committee, & Declared their readiness  
to carry the same into execution if your Majesty shall be pleased to  
Approve thereof. And the Committee considering that this Agreem<sup>t</sup>  
may be a proper Expedient for restoring Peace & Tranquility be-  
tween the s<sup>d</sup> Provinces, & for preventing any the like Disturbances  
for the future, Do therefore Agree humbly to lay the same before  
p. 36 y<sup>r</sup> Maj<sup>ty</sup> for y<sup>r</sup> Royal Approbation His Majesty this day took the  
s<sup>d</sup> Report into Consideration & in order to preserve Peace & Tran-  
quility between the s<sup>d</sup> Provinces & to prevent any the like Disturb-  
ances for the future, is Pleased, with the Advice of his Privy Council,  
to approve of the s<sup>d</sup> Agreem<sup>t</sup> entered into between the Proprie-  
tors of the s<sup>d</sup> respective Provinces of Maryland & Pennsylvania ;  
And His Majesty is hereby Pleased to Order th<sup>t</sup> the Proprietors of  
the s<sup>d</sup> respective Provinces Do cause the s<sup>d</sup> Agreem<sup>t</sup> to be carried  
into Execution. Whereof Fr<sup>d</sup> Rigbie

Black Book I Rec<sup>d</sup> yours But can give no Certain answer to your Request The  
No. 5 acco<sup>ts</sup> of the white people killed beyond Potowmack are as various  
\* 102 as the persons who bring Em. All that we know of any Certainty is  
that one Neil McSwain and Ten more were kill’d but by what  
Indians I believe is not yet Discovered. The Story of Clothes being  
brought here has nothing in it And I am of opinion there was no  
such thing bro<sup>t</sup> to Harris’ for I saw him last week & he said nothing  
to me of it I have heard there were some white peoples Clothes  
seen in the possession of some Indians passing the River near Shan-  
moken by some Indian traders. But whether or no that story is to  
be Relyed on I cant Say. And as to the Cause of their being killed  
or by what nation Is yet wholly Conjecture

Tis pitty a more Certain Discovery could not be made that proper  
measures of Redress might be sought & shall freely Contribute my  
Endeavours thereto for the Co<sup>m</sup>on Good & safety

Your ffr<sup>d</sup>

Lancast<sup>r</sup> County Aug<sup>t</sup> the 12<sup>th</sup> 1738

Sa : Blunston

Balt. County Aug<sup>t</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> 1738

Black Book S<sup>r</sup>  
No. 5 On the rec<sup>t</sup> of y<sup>rs</sup> in relation to the Indians I hyred A man & Sent  
\* 103 by Harris’s ferry who could not hear any thing to the p<sup>r</sup>pose I sent  
Likewise to M<sup>r</sup> Blunstone at Conostogoe in New Town, requesting