

rant (after building there) would have lived between the head of Sassafrax and the lower Counties, if the Quakers had not driven them off which is all at present from Hon<sup>d</sup> Sir

Liber B.  
P. R. O.

Your Hon<sup>rs</sup> most obedient servant  
Phil: Morrey.

To the hon<sup>ble</sup>  
Coll. Henry Darnall present

whereupon was sent him this foll: letter in answer viz:

S<sup>t</sup> Maries May 4<sup>th</sup> 1686.

Capt. Morrey

Councils  
letter to  
Phil: Morrey  
conc: in-  
croachm<sup>ts</sup> &c.

Your letter of the 2<sup>d</sup> Aprill last has been received and the contents read and considered off in Council by whose order you may understand that as to the Inroachments you mention good care has already been taken therein for prevention, a copy whereof has been sent you, which together with your former Instructions you are to observe and put in execution. By vertue of your Comission you have power to press such men as you can best confide in, the Sheriff being ordered to take care for provisions sufficient without any trouble to you soe that you will have noe occasion to quitt your station

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Signed p order of his Lp<sup>s</sup> Council  
John Lewellin Cl. Con:

Maryland Sc.

To the hon<sup>ble</sup> the Deputy Governours and Council of this Province

The humble pctition of Garratt Van-Sweeringen

Sheweth,

Garrt V-  
Sweeringen  
petition.

Unto your Hon<sup>rs</sup> that in the time Maj<sup>r</sup> Boareman was Sheriff of the County of S<sup>t</sup> Marys your Pet<sup>r</sup> obtained a grant by promise from his Lsp the R<sup>t</sup> hon<sup>ble</sup> the Lord Propr<sup>ty</sup> that now is that upon the relinquishing or dismissal of the said Boareman from the place of Sheriff your Pet<sup>r</sup> should be admitted to succeed in that office, but it soe happened that before that time Coll. Wharton (of happy memory) when he was Governor of this Province, had made a promise to M<sup>r</sup> Joshua Doyne to be Sheriff of said County upon the first vacancy thereof, for which promise sake his Lordship out of the greate esteeme and respect he bore to the said Collonel Wharton did grant to the said M<sup>r</sup> Doyne a Comission for the said place but at the same time his Ldp: out of his naturall and accustomed goodness, and particular favour to your Pet<sup>r</sup> renewed his former promise and was pleased to give your Pet<sup>r</sup> an assurance that upon the first occasion that should