

Liber H. H. powns of Tob. As also to cause to bee apprehended & punished any Criminall offending ag̃st any the Lawes of this Prouince Prouided they proceed not to take life or member, Gyuen att S^t Maries under the lesser Seale of this Prouince this 4th day of ffebruary, in the One & Thirtith Yeare of his L^{ps} Dominion ouer the s^d Prouince. Anōq Dñi 1662.

[Denization of Emperour Smith and others.]

p. 165 ^{February}_{17^o} Cæcilius Absolute Lord & Proprietary of the Prouinces of Maryland & Aualon, Lord Baron of Baltemore &c: To all Persons to whom these p^rnts shall Come Greeting in Our Lord God Euerlasting. Whereas Emperour Smith Subject to the States of Holland, hauing transported himselfe into this Prouince here to inhabite, & as a ffree Dennizen ffreedome Land to him & his heyres to purchase. Know yee th^t Wee willing to giue due encowragem^t to the subjects of that Nation. Doe hereby declare him the s^d Emperour Smith to bee a ffree Dennizen of this Our Prouince of Maryland. And doe further for Vs our heyres & Successo^{rs} streightly enioyne Constitute, ordaine & command That hee the s^d Emperour Smith bee in all things held, treated reputed & esteemed as one of the ffaythfull Poep^le of Vs our heyres & Successo^{rs} borne wthin this our Prouince of Maryland. And likewise any Lands, tenem^{ts}, Reuenues Seruices & other hereditam^{ts} whatsoeu^r wthin our s^d Prouince of Maryland may inherite, or otherwise purchase, receiue take haue hold buy & possesse, & them may Occupy & enioy giue, sell alien & bequeath, as likewise all Liberties & ffranchises of this Our Prouince of Maryland freely quietly & peaceably haue & possesse, Occupy & enioy as any of Our ffaythfull Poep^le borne or to bee borne wthin Our s^d Prouince of Maryland, wthout the lett, molestāō uexāō trouble or greiuan^{ce} of Vs our heyres & Successo^{rs} Any Custome to the Contrary hereof in any wise notwthstanding. Gyuen att S^t Maries under the Greate Seale of Our s^d Prouince of Maryland this seauenteenth day of ffebruary in the 21th yeare of Our Dominion ouer the s^d Prouince Anōq Dñi 1662. Wittnes Our Deare Sonne & heyre Charles Caluert Esqr our Leiut^t of our s^d Prouince of Maryland.

p. 166 Cæcilius &c. To all persons to whome these p^rsents shall come Greeting In o^r Lord God euerlasting Wheras Barnard Vbben Subject to the States of Holland hauing transported himselfe his wife and Children into this prouince here to inhabite hath besought Vs to grant him the said Barnard Vbben leaue here to inhabite and as a free Dennizen ffreedome land to him & his heires to purchase Know yee that Wee