P. R. O. Colonial Papers. Sr 32 January 1682.

I herewith send you the Tryalls of Capt Josias Fendall, Capt Jno Coode and Lieut George Godfrey desireing that my Lord Privy Seale and the Secretary of State may have the privy The apprehending those three persons gave seale of them. the occation to my malicious enemies to report by letters from hence the last summer that I was violent against the Protestants here and that upon groundles jealousies and bare suspicions I had committed six or seaven Protestants: All which I hope upon these Tryalls will appeare to be malice against me and my Government. Had not these three persons been secured in time you would soon have heard of another Bacon and then possibly the wickedness of these fellows would have been charged to the Papists as desigening to cutt of the Protestants under which pretence these persons began to act: Time, the mother of Truth will (I hope) remove those impressions which my enemies have endeavoured to beget in the Lords of the Councill to my prejudice and I am very confident your kindnes will never be wanting to

y^r affec^{ate} friend & humble servant C. Baltemore.

The enclosed letter is a Coppy of my former which I sent about three weeks since by a particular friend.

C. B.

Rec^d the 15th April 1682. That herewith he hath sent the Tryalls of Fendall Coode and Geofryes and a Coppy of his last with a list of the officers of Maryland

For my ever esteemed friend M^r W^m Blathwayt.

present

att Whitehall

The Tryall of Capt Josias Fendall.

At a Provincial Court holden for the Right Honble the Lord Prop at St Johns the 15th day of November Anno 1681.

Philip Calvert Chancel^r President W^m Calvert Esq^{re} Sec^{ry} The hon^{ble} Vincent Lowe Esq^{re} Survey^r Gen^{ll}