

Maj^{ties} Officers, that he had since his arrivall in this Place informed himself about the same, and was fully satisfied the hands of this Government was clean in the thing except one Person And that he had made the same known to his Maj^{tie} and Com^{miss}^{rs} which he doubts not would be effectuall to the clearing the aspersions laid upon this Government. Their Hon^{rs} gave the said Mein their thanks and shewed their kind resentment for the justice he had done them.

Liber B.
P. R. O.

Writ of Assistance } The said Patrick Mein then desired of their
order to Pat: Mein. } Hon^{rs} his Lordship's Writt of Assistance as is usual in such cases the which this Board readily granted and ordered that a Writt of Assistance be forthwith drawn to be signed by the Deputy Governors.

Eodem Die
Present as before.

Pat: Mein prays hearing inter Loder and Croft. Vide fo: 30. } Patrick Mein Esq: being admitted desired he might have the reading of a Deposition given before this Board by one John Loder and other papers by him produced against Capt: John Croft the which were accordingly read unto him, the said Mein then requested he might have the said Depositions and Papers to make such use thereof as the case and Justice requires the which were delivered to him accordingly.

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Att a Councill held at the City of S^t Maryes the 10th day of
Nov: 1686

Present

The hon^{ble} { Coll: Vincent Lowe
 { Coll. Henry Darnall
 { Coll. William Stevens
 { Coll. William Burges
 { M^r Clement Hill

The Writt of Assistance ordered for Patrick Mein Esq. the last Councill day is as followeth viz:

Province of Maryland.

Writt of Assista } To all Sheriffs Justices of the Peace Constables
to Pat: Mein. } and all other his Ldp's Officers and Ministers both civill and military within this Province and to all Captaines and Masters of any Ship or Vessell rideing at anchor in any River or Creek within the said Province and to all other persons therein whom it may concern

These are in the name of the R^t Hon^{ble} the Lord Prop^{ty} to require and command you to be ayding and assisting unto