

Liber K. Greenberry for and on the behalf of one James Smith of Ann Arundell County who had been lately convicted and Fined by the Iustices of the said County Court the sum or quantity of five thous^d Pounds of Tobacco for having ignorantly and innocently harboured and entertained at his house a Servant of Iohn Selmans of the aforesaid County and having paid the Moiety thereof to the said Iohn Selman according to Law humbly prays the Remission of the other Moiety the Rem^{tr} of the said Fine and it is granted according to the foll order viz^t

By his Excellency the Gov^r and the honble Council
Dec^r 23^d 1692

Maryland ss

Ordered that the remaining Part of the Fine assessed by the Commissioners of Ann Arundell County Court upon James Smith for Entertaining of a Servant belonging to Iohn Sellman of Ann Arundell County contrary to Law be and the same is hereby remitted

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At the Court at Whitehall
the 26th of January 1692/3.

Present
The King's Most Excellent Majesty in
Council.

Upon reading the Petition of M^r Thomas Lawrence Bar^t Secretary of the Province of Mariland in America complaining of the proceedings of the Govern^r and Generall Assembly of that Province, touching the lessening the Fees of his Office of Secretary, and praying to be permitted quietly to enjoy what former Secretaries there always had, and the benefitt of the Naval Officer, or Licencer of the Ordinarys there, as in the Petition annexed is more att large sett forth. It is this day ordered by His Majesty in Councill that it be and it is hereby referred to the Right hon^{ble} the Lords of the Committee of Trade and Plantations, to examine the matter of the said Petition, and to report to this Board what their Ldpps conceive fitt for His Majesty to do therein.

Rich: Colings.

To the King's most excellent Majesty
The humble Petition of Sir Thomas Lawrence Baronet,
your Majesty's Secretary of the Province of Mariland in
America.
Humbly Sheweth,
That Your Majesty having been graciously pleased by your