

[Sawyer's Pardon.]

George R.

Whereas Thomas Sawyer was at the special Commission held at Gloucester for the County of Gloucester, indicted for, and convicted of Stealing Cheese, and a Pair of Shoes, and was sentenced to be transported for the same; And Whereas some favourable Circumstances have been humbly represented unto us, in his Behalf, inducing us to extend Our Royal Mercy unto him, and to grant him Our free Pardon for the said Crime: Our Will and Pleasure therefore is, That you cause him the said Thomas Sawyer to be inserted in Our first & next General Pardon that shall come out for the Oxford Circuit, and that, in the mean Time you take Bail for his Appearance in order to plead Our said Pardon; And for so doing This shall be your Warrant. Given at Our Court at St James's the 29<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1767 in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command

To Our Trusty and Welbeloved

Shelburne

Our Justice of Assize for the Oxford Circuit Our Sheriff for the County of Gloucester, & to all others whom it may concern.

I certify This to be a true Copy  
Geo: Brown

First Clerk in the Earl of Shelburne's  
Office.

[Sharpe to Hamersley.]

Letter Bk.IV

Copy of Letter to M<sup>r</sup> Hamersley Dated Annapolis 9<sup>th</sup>  
June 1767 transmitted by M<sup>r</sup> Anderson in the Ship  
Elizabeth.

Sir

A Son of M<sup>r</sup> Andersons who has resided here about two years being about to return to London I embrace the Opportunity to acknowledge my Receipt of the Letter you were pleased to favour me with the 20<sup>th</sup> of Feb<sup>ry</sup> last & of One that His Ldp did me the honour to write to me the 16<sup>th</sup> of that Month. I have put the Copy of Brerewoods Bill & Copy of His Ldps & M<sup>r</sup> Calverts answer into M<sup>r</sup> Dulanys hands in order that he might peruse them & then they will be delivered to the Attorney General, by what I can understand they expect to Nonsuit the Plaintiff in his present Action without entering into the Merits of the Cause, but M<sup>r</sup> Brerewoods Attorney has thought fit to signify by publick Advertisement to the Tenants on the Land in question that they are not on pain of being sued by him to commit any Waste till the Eject-