

Jan<sup>y</sup> is at present uncertain but the general Inclination of all Partys seems to be for Conciliat<sup>y</sup> measures which I believe will take place whether the present Ministry continue in power (as they seem fully Determined to do) or are Succeeded by any other of the Factions now on foot.

I am, with due regard and Esteem,  
Your most obedt. Hble. Serv<sup>t</sup>  
Hugh Hamersley.

Letter Bk. V

[Sharpe to Hamersley.]

Letter to M<sup>r</sup> Hamersley Dated Annapolis 17<sup>th</sup> April 1770.  
transmitted by Captain

Sir

I have lately received your Letter of the 30<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> inclosing a protested Bill for £8. I rejoice to hear that My Lord was well when he wrote from Dresden, my best Wishes ever attend him. I have not had the pleasure to receive any Letter from His Ldp of a later Date than the year 1768 so that if he did me the honour to write to Me as you say you apprehended the Letter has not yet reached me. I now remit you inclosed Firsts of Twenty two more Setts of Exchange that have been paid in on Account of Mannour Lands amounting together to the Sum of £898 7 2 the Receipt of which you'll be pleased to acknowledge when an Opportunity offers. I am &c.

Original.

[Hamersley to Sharpe.]

Lincolns Inn 13<sup>th</sup> July 1770S<sup>r</sup>

I am this day favored with yours of the 17: April Enclosing Firsts of 22. Setts of Exchange that have been paid in on account of Manor Lands amounting to £898 7 2. I am much surprized that you have not heard from Lord Baltimore, as, when I wrote last, I had just received a Letter from him ordering me to Acquaint you that he intended himself that pleasure immediately. I have heard from his Lordship from Lindau on Boden Sea, within these few days, he writes in good Spirits, speaks favourably of his Health, and Contradicts all the Reports Spread of him from Florence Vienna &c of Duels, Murthers and hairbreadth Escapes. He has sold his House in Southampton Row and makes no mention of returning to England. I hope you continue to Enjoy your health and am

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Yo<sup>r</sup> Most Humble Serv<sup>t</sup>  
Hugh Hamersley