

your seasonable advice to him will p<sup>r</sup>vent any further or future Lib. R. R. R.  
occasion of Complaints of this nature; Such Behaviour of his p. 169  
(though it might well create in him a jealousy soe farr as to  
moove him to supplicate your Exncys good advice to us in his  
behalf yett) should not in the least have dulled the edge of  
our affection to his Maj<sup>tie</sup> or his Interest, in affording the best  
of our aid and assistance to any of his Officers in the pro-  
moteing thereof This we are confident we shall be able to  
manifest to the world, and doubt not of your Exncys Candor  
in believeing the same untill a better oportunity of Demon-  
stration shall p<sup>r</sup>sent to

from S<sup>t</sup> Maries City  
Decemb 3<sup>d</sup> 1684:

Your Exncys most humble Servants  
Tho: Taillor  
Henry Darnall  
Nicholas Sewall  
Jn<sup>o</sup> Darnall  
Vincent Lowe

Severall Depositions were this day taken, and ordered to be  
Entred as foll:

John Llewelin of S<sup>t</sup> Maries County in the Province of  
Maryland sworne and examined saith, that on Sunday the  
second day of Novemb: last past he was desired by the hon<sup>ble</sup>  
Coll Henry Darnall and Maj<sup>r</sup> Nicholas Sewall to goe with them  
on board his Maj<sup>ties</sup> Ketch in Pottuxen River (as she was  
tearmed) whereof one Cap<sup>t</sup> Allen was Command<sup>r</sup> and where  
(at that time) Coll George Talbott was detained prisoner for  
the murder of M<sup>r</sup> Christopher Rousby; That this Deponent  
did waite upon their Hono<sup>rs</sup> aboard, where accordingly he saw  
Coll Talbott in Irons, and under a guard; That the Command<sup>r</sup>  
haveing invited the said Coll Darnall and Major Sewall into  
the Cabin, This Deponent and M<sup>r</sup> Robert Carvile (who went  
also in the boate with this Deponent) were also invited into  
the Cabin, and there heard the said Cap<sup>t</sup> Allen give a relation  
of the murder, which being done, and some other discourse  
pass'd (and which the Deponent may not remember) The said  
Coll Darnall demanded the prisoner in the name of the R<sup>t</sup>  
hon<sup>ble</sup> the Lord Prop<sup>ry</sup> to be delivered up to the Governm<sup>t</sup> of  
this Province, to be proceeded against according to Law; but  
Cap<sup>t</sup> Allen positively refused soe to doe, upon such demand,  
but if they would please to demand him in the Kings name he  
would deliver him The said Coll Darnall and Maj<sup>r</sup> Sewall  
(both to the best of this Dep<sup>ts</sup> remembrance) made answer  
that it was the same thing in effect, for makeing use of the  
Lord Prop<sup>rys</sup> name was by vertue of his Maj<sup>ties</sup> Authority, by p. 170  
his grant to his L<sup>ty</sup> of this Province, which they then produced  
and tendred the s<sup>d</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> Allen to peruse, but he slighted it, and