

Lib. H. D. Represented that noe p^rson take up any Lot in Annapolis untill further ord^r from the Assembly &ca

Upon Representation Ordered that noe person whatsoever be suffered to take up any Lott within the Port of Annapolis Untill some further directions therein be given by the Assembly appointed to meet 2^d of October next, the Good of the Province in generall being thereby designed & intended

Then was Read the following Peticōn

To his Ex^{ncy} Francis Nicholson Esq^r Cap^t Gen^{ll} and Chief Govern^r in & over his Ma^{ty} Province of Maryland &ca

The humble Petition of Edward Green

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Mr Greens Peticōn abt Wrecks &ca & Ord^r thereon

Whitehall

That whereas your Petition^r Liveth convenient to the sea board side in Somerset County & having a right to the greater part or share of those Marshes and Sand banks or beaches so termed Adjoyning to the sea board side or breakers of the main Sea within the said County of Somerset Your pet^r humbly Craves that your Ex^{ncy} will be pleased to grant me a Comission for seazing all Wrecks condemnable by Law also all drift Whales or other great ffish belonging to his Ma^{ty} And the said ffish to Cut up and try for Oyle what can be got from the bluber thereof it being a hardship That any Strangers or Inhabitants should have freedom to range the said beaches belonging to your pet^r & cut the timber thereupon, Intreating that the Kings allowance may be modrate & Your favour herein will greatly Oblige me to thankfull Acknowledgm^t to your Ex^{ncy}

And as in duty bound shall Ever pray &ca

Whitehall

The aboue said Peticōn being Read, his Ex^{ncy} in Council was pleas^d to Order as it is hereby Ordered that a Comission issue to the said Green Empowering him to looke after those Matters he rendring a just & true Acco^t (as well of all his proceedings & future profits thereby accruing at all time & times, as occasion shall offer, as also of all other profits by him or any other person in those parts, by means of any such Drifts or Wrecks heretofore made and vnaccounted for) unto his Ma^{ty}s Court of Vice Admiralty on the Eastern Shore, giving Bond for the same & for paym^t of what part thereof shall belong unto his Ma^{ty} or Vice Admirall of this Province.