

Lib. H. D. which he was sending to his Excellency your Govern^r bearing the same Date with this, We therefore have no more to say but refer you to the same & rest

Gentl Yo^r humble Servants
Signed by the severall Gentlemen
of the Council that day present

Hen: Den- Vpon the Petition of Henry Denton (Clerk of
tons Pet & his Ma^{ts} hono^{ble} Council) being here presented &
Ord^r for Read, therein setting forth some extraordinary
provll Amer- Charge & trouble he had been at in preparing
ciam^{ts} &ca severall Copies of the Journalls of the Council and other
 matters for which he had received no allowance; therefore
 humbly prayed that the Provinciall Amerciam^{ts} due since
 November Court last to this time (being in the guift of his
 Ex^{ncy} & Council) might be bestowed vpon him, which was
 accordingly granted him and Ordered that Lists of the same
 with Executions thereto be given him for the better collection
 thereof

Maryland ss.

Arnant La- ffancis Nicholson Esq Cap^t Gen^{ll} & Govern^r in
hanne's pass Chief in & over his Ma^{ts} Province & Territory of
from his Maryland & Vice Admirall of the same.
Ex^{ncy}

To all to whom this p^rsent Writing shall come

Greeting.

These are to Certify that Arnaut Lahanne, the Bearer hereof a ffrench Man & Doctor or Chirurgion of the Pink John of Bordeaux in the Kingdom of ffrance Peter Rivier Commander was taken & brought a prisoner into this province in the s^d ship by Cap^t John Hurle Commander of the ship Providence of London, being a Letter of Marque Man And after some
p. 260 short time of Residence here he shipped himself on Board a certain Vessell called the Hope of Maryland (whereof Richard Hill is Master or Commander) for Guinea; from whence having returned again into this Province in the s^d vessell, he has now shipped himself on Board a certain Briganteen called the ffisher of Maryland, whereof Thomas ffancis is Master, being bound from hence to Barbadoes, with design (as he informs me) to get to Martinico in Ord^r to procure his passage for ffrance, for which he is to apply himself to his Ex^{ncy} the Govern^r of Barbadoes so soon as he shall arrive there; Given vnder my hand & Seal this 11th day of October, in the Seventh year of his Ma^{ts} Reign, Annoq Domini, 1695.

ffr. Nicholson