

of Virga & Govern^r & three pence to the Countrey, the duty of Lib. H. D.
shipt here should pay Two shillings p^r hh^d being only paid in Virginia; and Whitehall
the addition- al 6d &ca that they make Report theoreof accordingly.

The Report thereon follows, Viz^t

To his Ex^{ncy} the Govern^r in Councill &c^a

In obedience to yo^r Excell^s Commands, We conceive that if Whitehall
the Tob^o pay but two shillings in Virginia & is Exported from
Maryland, the Exporter ought to pay the other sixpence here,
all which is humbly submitted to yo^r Ex^{ncies} Judgm^t by

Yo^r most obedient Serv^{ts}

George Plater
Will^m Dent.

May the 11th 1696.

Cornelius Comegys Appearance & dismissall
Cornelius Comegys of Cæcill County being brought in custody of Coll Casparus Herman by Vertue of the above Ord^r was after some Examination, and vpon his petition here preferred that he was blamed wrongfully and that he left his Wife & Children without any assistance, and being a ffrontier plantation lyes exposed to the Enemy; therefore humbly prayed that he might be dismissed Whitehall
& have leave to Return home to his ffamily; His Excellency therevpon (after some gentle Reproof & advice given him) was pleased to acquaint him that as to his trading with the Indians he should have all the Encouragem^t imaginable, as well from the Gentlemen of the Councill as himself, provided he dealt fair & Committed no illegall Act, and that nothing would be Enjoyned him by this Board save his giving good security in the sume of 100^{lb} St^l to his Ma^{ty} for his future good behaviour, the which M^r Attorney Gen^l is Ordered to take accordingly & so was dismissed.

Clk of Dor. Co: Court makes Oath to ffines
Came Hugh Eccleston Clerk of Dorchest^r County Court and made Oath to a List of ffines passed in Whitehall
the said Court from the beginning of the Revolution vnto this time.

Clk of the Indictm^{ts} of Dor. Co: Court sworn
Came also Clerk of the Indictm^{ts} of Whitehall
the s^d Court, and was sworn accordingly.

The following Letter & Papers of Acco^{ts} were read in p. 308
Councill the 11th of May 1696, and the said day laid before