

Lib. X. It is thought very reasonable & adviseable they should least those offices should nourish persons disaffected to his most Sacred Majesty & his happy Government

And whereas several Persons within this Prov^s have lately shewed themselves disaffected to his Majestys Gov^t Ordered that one of his Majestys honble Council or one of the Iustices of the Provincial Court tender the said Oaths to such his Lordships Officers or other persons whom they Shall find to be disaffected within their respective Counties Saving to the said Coll^o Henry Darnal his Lordships Receiver who stands exempted by his Majestys order in Council

October the 28th 1698

The honble his Majestys Council Sate

Present

His Excellency the Captain General & the members of the Council were present as yesterday

M^r George Tubman Minister of Port Tobacco Parish in Charles County being sent for appeared at the Board

p. 178 His Excellency tells him he was never Sorryer in all his life to have any man brought before him not only in respect to his Coat but that this is such a Country wherein Example is more prevalent then Argument & especially because he was sent in by the right reverend the L^d Bishop of London

Asks him if he does not remember his application to him for Leave to go for england to fetch his wife & that he much admires he should have married another in the Countrey & that he has given himself to horse racing Sotting & drinking that he did not grant him any Such Power to grant Licenses to himself

M^r Tubman says he did not give himself a License but had one from M^r Peregrine Cony which he produces & is as followeth viz^t

Peregrinus Cony dilect nobis in Xto Georgio Tubman & Elianore Hawkins de Caroli Com in Maryland Salutem Cum Vos ut Asseritur ad Solemnizat Mronij Veri et Ami de Expresso decreveritis illudq cum eaq fieri proterit matura Celeritate Solemnizari facere et obtinere magnopere desideritis Nos volentes ut honesta hæc Vrā desideria debitu Celarius consequantur Effectum ut igitur Mrōnij (uti mos est) publice edits libere et Solemnizari facere et Obtinere Possistis et Valeatis post Cautionem fide Jussorum Sufficientem ex Parte Vrā inter positum Iuxta Canones aut horates Reg