that he would not doubt but bring the Pretender into England Lib. C. B.
and further saith not

The above Deposition was taken John Estep
before Allen Davis

Charles County ss. 3d March 1739

The Deposition of Saml Perrie aged 26 years or thereabouts taken before Allen Davis and William Middleton two of his Lordships Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid He this Deponent saith that some time ago he was in the Company of Mr Charles Craycroft and some Others and was talking about a War, the said Craycroft said that he was Prince of Wales and that if the Spaniards had his Resolution he would bring the Pretender in, and drive Us all to Hell, and further this Deponent saith not

Allen Davis Saml Perrie

Ordered that a Warrant be prepared directed to the Sheriff of Charles County to apprehend the said Craycroft and bring him immediately before this Board, which issued in the following Words.

Maryland ss.

Whereas It appears to Us, the Subscribers Members of his Lordships honourable Council met in Council at the City of Annapolis the 21st Day of May 1740 by several Depositions that a Certain Charles Craycroft did sometime in Ianuary last at Benedict Town in the said County utter several seditious Words against his Majesty King George

These are therefore in his Lordships Name to will and re- p. 86
quire you that immediately on Receipt hereof you attach arrest and apprehend the Body of him the said Charles Craycroft and bring him forthwith before Us at the City aforesaid to answer unto such Matters as shall be then & there objected against him for which this shall be your sufficient Warrant. Dated at Annapolis this 21st Day of May Anno Domini 1740

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| | Geo. Plater | Sam: Ogle |
| To Mr Walter Hanson | Ed: Jenings | Mr T. Ward |
| high Sheriff of Charles | Ja: Hollyday | Benja Tasker |
| County | Levin Gale | Philip Lee |
| | Ja: Harris | |

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Saturday the 24th Day of May in the twenty Sixth year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1740.