

Lib. C. B. Majestys Principal Secretarys of State by his Letter of the 7th of May last, that I should Cause his Majestys Proclamation declaring a Cessation of Arms as well by Sea as Land between his Majesty the most Christian King, and the States General of the United Provinces; a Copy of which Proclamation is hereunto annexed, to be Published in all the Proper Places under My Government; I have therefore thought fit with the Advice of his Lordships Council of State to Publish this My Proclamation Strictly Charging and Requiring the Several Sheriffs of the Respective Counties of this Province at the most Publick places in their said Counties his Majestys said Proclamation immediately to Publish and Proclaim that all his Majestys Subjects within this Province may pay Due Obedience to, and Strictly Observe the same, and that the said Sheriffs fail not so to do as they will Answer the Contrary at their Peril Given at the City of Annapolis this 26th Day of August in the 34th year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1748.

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Friday the 2^d of September in the 34th year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Dni. 1748.

Present

The hoñble	{	Benjamin Tasker Esq ^r	}	Daniel Dulany Esq ^r
		Col George Plater		Col Benjamin Tasker
		Col Charles Hammond		Benedict Calvert Esq ^r

p. 343 In Obedience to his Excellencys Commands Signified to the Clerk of this Board, The Deposition of Emanuel Minskie was laid before the Board, which being read and considered of; And the said Minskie having in their Opinion made an ample Confession of the Robbery and Burglary committed by him and Others in the City of Annapolis, by which Means some of the Persons concerned may be brought to Justice; He is therefore recommended by this Board as an Object of Mercy, and they desire that his Excellency will be pleased to grant him his Lordships Pardon, which issued accordingly.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Board send the following Letter to M^r Beattys One of the Magistrates of Prince Georges County

Sir

You are required by the Council to order the Goods which were taken upon the Prisoners whom you committed to Prince Georges County Goal for Felony to be brought to the Assizes to be held here on Friday the 9th Day of this Instant Septem-