

exceeding great loss and damage and almost utter impoverishment and ruine, the p^ts being poor Orphans and therefore humbly pray that they may have Judgment of Court ag^t the d^{ft}: for the said Estate According to the tenor of the deed aforesaid together wth Cost of suite And they as in duty bound shall ever pray &^c— Liber F F
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To the Rig^t Hon^{ble} the Leiutenn^t Generall and Councill of Maryland

The humble petⁿ of Paull Marsh humbly sheweth

That yo^r pet^r hauing hired A seru^t to Pope Aluey for a thousand weight of tobacco till October next, is in great doubt that by some unjust practice of the said Pope he shall not be paid the said tobacco if he loose not his seru^t in regard the said Pope hath already been in question for the life of one seru^t, and since the hyring yo^r pet^rs seru^t another dyed being his hyred seru^t, & as I am Credibly informed laid his death to the s^d Pope and yo^r pet^r is informed the said Pope Kikt him one day that the fellow fell downe dead for the p^rsent

The p^rmisses Considered yo^r pet^r humbly prayes security sufficient may be afforded for the said seru^t at the expira^on of his time & allsoe the tobacco wth cost of suite—And yo^r pet^r shall ever pray &^c.

Paull Marsh d^{ds} writt ag^t Pope Aluey in an acc^on upon his Case to the uallue of two thousand pounds of tobaccoe— May 29th

Warr^t to sherriffe of S^t Marys County to Arrest &^c re^t 13th June next

Summons then issued to the sherriffe of S^t Marys County to warne 24 person of the neighbourhood to serue as Jurors the next Prouinciall Court being the 13th day of June next in w^t Causes soeuer shall then bee depending betwixt the Rig^t Hon^{ble} the Lord prop^r p^t and p^rsons for criminalls d^{ft}s they being not to fayle us they will answere th^e Contrary ditto die

Proclama^on By the Leiutenn^t Generall of Maryland

Whereas at the last Prouinciall Co^{rt} houlden at S^t Marys for this prouince on the first day of March last the next Prouin^{all} Court was then appointed to be held on the second tuesday in June following being the 13th day thereof [p. 33]

Now for as much as the houlding of that Court on that day appointed will proue uery inconuenient when as the Gouverno^r and Councill cannot then conueniently meet together, being pressed wth some urgent Occasiones of the Prouince w^{ch} cannot suffer delay

These are therefore to giue notice to all persons whome it may Concerne that the said Co^{rt} to be held on the 13th day of June as aforesaid is adjourn'd untill the first Twesday in August next being the first day thereof, and all writts and other Processe issued for that Court intended to be houlden on the 13th day of June shall be