

To the Right Honourable Frederick Lord Baltimore
 The Humble Petition of Bennett Chew a minor under the Age of
 Twenty one years
 Sheweth

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That in the year 1720, an Act of Assembly of the Province of Maryland past all the Branches of the Legislature, Intituled "an Act for the Confirmat.ⁿ of the Lands therein mentioned to Richard Bennett Esq.^r" by which said Act the Said Richard Bennett was vested with an Estate in fee, in a tract of Land called Bolton, or Turkey point, as by the said Act reference being thereunto had may more fully appear. Your Petitioner further sheweth unto your Lordship, that on the Petition of one Thomas Cotterell who sets himself up as heir at Law to a Certain Thomas Robinson in the said Act Mentioned an Act of Assembly past the Generall Assembly of Mary.^d at their last Sessions to repeal the said Act, made in the said year 1720 in favour of the said Richard Bennett. Which repeal of the said Act is very Injurious to your Petitioner the Devisee of the said Richard Bennett now deceased, and so unjust with regard to your Petitioner that it ought not as he conceives to meet with your Lordships assent To make out w.^{ch} your Petitioner has annexed to this his Petition a true state of the Case with copies of the papers referred to, proved before one of your Lordships Provincial majistrates to be such as in the said Case they are represented to be. Wherefore & for as much as your Petitioners property is greatly effected by the repeal of the said Act. Your Petitioner humbly Prays your Lordship will be pleased to give your Petitioner an opportunity of being heard by his Council before your Lordship, in order to obtain your Lordships Dissent to the said repealing Act

And your Petitioner shall Pray &.^c

A State of the Case of Turkey Point Purchased by Richard Bennett Esq.^r of the Crown.

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Peregrine Brown late of London merchant died about the year 1713 Largely indebted to the Crown.

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Thomas Robbinson late of Maryland merchant also died largely Indebted to the said Peregrine Brown (and Seized as it is Supposed of amoiety of a tract of Land called Turkey point) by w.^{ch} means the Estate of Robinson became liable to Satisfie the debt due from the Estate of Brown to the Crown

To Save the Expence of an Extent against Browns Effects his Widow and devisee & heir at Law assigned to the use of the Crown all Browns Effects in Maryland