

Johnson did enquire of me if I did hear of the Irish that was to come into this Province, which I did reply that I did not hear of any, then he said Henry Johnson replied there is forty families to come in under the pretence of taking Tusquahamoh River, but that forty families will prove in the end to be forty thousand to cut the Protestants throats for it is only a plot to wipe out my Lord and that Irish fellow Talbot and that we shall live, but I hope that the Parliament of England will prevent their purposes or that they will sink by the way in coming for I do not give their Company for nigh m.

John Mould.

This information was sworn unto upon the holy Evangelist lob. just and true and not come out of Malice or any thing the Defendant had to the party accused the Fifth Day of March Anno Domini 1680 before me John Waterton one of his Majesties Justices for the County of Baltimore. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand the Day and year aforesaid and

John Waterton

Summoned thereon issued to a Sheriff of Baltimore County for the said Henry Johnson to appear at Council table the Saturday before Whitsunday where also John Mould was also to appear to make good the Information

Samuel Groom Command of the Shipp Glob. I find the recording of a special license from his Majesty to him granted for trading with Indians viz

By the R. Hon. the Lord Prop.

Maryland

Shall are to Commissioned Authorize and Empower Capt. Samuel Groom Command of the Shipp Glob. of London, or whom he shall appoint for him to trade traffick and Deal with any our Neighbouring and kind Indians for all manner of skins and furs to any value or Quantity whatsoever, and the same or whatsoever he or his Deputy or said shall by virtue hereof purchase to be to the proper use of him the said Samuel Groom, or otherwise by him to be disposed of as to him shall seem meet, He or they paying all due according to the act of Assembly. And for so Doing this shall be a sufficient warrant Given under our hand and Seal at New Castle of

May 1681. Ch. J. by. n. l. b. during pleasure (Baltimore)
To all officers civil and Military within this Province or others whom it may concern this

On the back of the foregoing license was thus endorsed viz