

And Receiver as also the Comonds before thereto the 3^d of the 3^d Month —
Decred that the P^d Letters be entered in the Journall of this Board Vizt:

Pelham in Maryland August 1st 1694

Play it please
Geo: Plater

A Early Received a Letter from the Hono^r Will^m Blathwaite Esq^r Audit^r
Generall of America Dated at Whitehall the 19th day of April 1694 whereby
M^r Platers Letterd I am Commanded to render a State of my Acco^t of their Maj^{ts} Revenue by me
Comond Andros Collected to his Exce^r Col^r Francis Nicholson our Governor who is directed by their
Maj^{ts} to return to England the full Acco^t of their Maj^{ts} Revenue so in this Province
ever Since the Revolution and also to State the same here (pursuant to my duty) I
have rendered to his Exce^r and Acco^t of payments made out of their Maj^{ts} Revenue as also
what hath been by me Collected for their Maj^{ts} Also here and doe find A difficultie and
Obstruction in passing that Article of five hundred pounds ster: paid to Exce^r —
when last here His Exce^r the Governor being desirous of a further Satisfaction
from Exce^r Self then what I can give him upon what Acco^t It was paid the Money
Being wanted here for Supply of Armes and Ammunition pursuant to their
Maj^{ts} Commands besides S^r Thomas is to be Allocated his Salary as President I must
presume to pay upon Exce^r for a full and A Satisfactory Answer being
my self liable to pay that Money unless Exce^r pleases to Hono^r me to the
Lynge intimating your right thereto I Beg an Answer by the Bearer Cap^t than
not doubting Exce^r Justice in the Indication of the payment by me made
or taking effectuall Care that no injury thereby is done to

Exce^r most Obed^t humble Serv^r =

George Plater —
Answer to the P^d Letter Vizt:

S^r Comond letterd I received yo^r of the 16th the 29th instant wh^t I could not have thought from
M^r plater — You^r I presume to soon as h^t you were satisfied as Effectually answered at
Whitehall —

This Letter was directed to George Plater Esq^r
Their Maj^{ts} Attor^r Gen^r & Col^r of Pelham Vizt

Yo^r friend & Servant —
Ed. Andros —

In the feldgyn^r R^d The Humble Representation of M^r Johnem Cheplon their Maj^{ts} Comifary
gentleman as the Gen^r of this Province Seing forth that he primarily was admitted into the P^d Office
by Commission from his Exce^r S^r Comond Andros and being informed since the arrivall
of his Exce^r Col^r Fran^r Nicholson that one Doctor Payne of London hath by =
P^dl^t to their Sacred Maj^{ts} obtained from his Exce^r A Grant of the P^d Office so =
far as the Law^r and the Constitution of this Province will permit but that he =
hath no wages as yet qualified himself or any other person according to the Law^r
and Constitution to receive the P^d Grant or Office at the P^d Office in Maryland
nor doth any legall Commission as yet appear — Therfore prays that the P^d Doctor

Whitehall

D^r Payne