

Mr Charles Carroll Council at Law of his
 Lordships the Lord Baltimore's Lord Proprietary of this
 his Majesty's Province of Maryland being sent for appea-
 red before the Board & his Excellency tells him that he under-
 stands that he hath given out that the house of John Perry
 lately dead is entitled unto him how his Lordships Agents
 here pretend to turn people of their Lands & sell them as
 Escheated without an office found & Command him to pro-
 duce him an Authentick copy of his Lordships Charter Mr
 Carroll says he has no such copy of his Lordships Charter
 but believes there are several of them in the Province he is
 Commanded to produce one with all convenient speed

Then read the petition of Philip & Samuel Norwood
 complaining that the Lord Baltimore's Agents had turned
 his Tenants out of a certain tract of Land & kept the same
 against him pretending the same is Escheated altho no
 Office found

Whereupon ordered that Colonel Henry Darnall
 attend the Board & give his answer to the said Com-
 plaint

Coll^d Darnall & Mr Carroll appear at the Board
 the said petition being read was followeth viz

To his Excellency Fra Nicholson Esq^r Cap^t Gen^l
 & Gov^r of Maryland in Council

The humble petition of Philip Norwood & Samuel
 Norwood of Ann Arundel County Planters

humbly sheweth
 That your petitioners being in Possession of
 a piece of Land in Ann Arundel County called Batchelors
 hope & one other piece of Land adjoining to the same
 called Chance containing in the whole about 240 Acres