

Gentlemen

His Lordship's Attorney General having informed me that John Darnall and Charles Carroll Esquires, have paid him Bills of Exchange for the Sum of one thousand Pounds Sterling being the Penalty of a joint and several Bond executed and delivered to me the 14th of March 1755, by Henry Darnall, and the said John Darnall and Charles Carroll Esquires, conditioned for the said Henry Darnall's due Execution of the Naval Office of Patuxent District, I have impowered the Attorney General to pay and deliver the said Bills of Exchange to you; wherefore I desire you will receive and remit the same to the Trustees in London, appointed in consequence of the Paper Currency Act made here in 1732, and that you will at the same time write to the Trustees and desire them to give this Province Credit for the said Bills as received on Account of the Duty of 15^{cts} per Hoghead, collected by Henry Darnall Esq: late Naval Officer of Patuxent District.

I am Gentlemen your very humble servant

Wm^o Sharpe

To { Charles Hammond }
George Stewart } Esq^{rs} Commissioners of the Loan Office.
John Bullen }

Sir

You will deliver to the Commissioners of the Loan Office those Bills of Exchange for the Sum of £1000 Sterling, which in your Letter to me dated the 29th of last Month you say have been paid to you by John Darnall and Charles Carroll Esquires as the Penalty of the Bond which was executed to me the 14th March 1755, by those two Gentlemen jointly with Henry Darnall Esq: I have wrote to the Commissioners of the Loan Office, desiring them to receive the said Bills from you and to remit the same to the Trustees in London for purchasing Bank Stock on Account of this Province, hoping that you will by such Means be able to recover all the Money that is due from M^o Darnall to the Country. I desire you will proceed agreeable to the Opinion of the Upper House communicated to me in the Address which I herewith send you.

I am, Sir, your most obedient humble servant

To Stephen Bordley Esq: his
Lordship's Attorney General

Wm^o Sharpe

Sir

I have commenced the Proceedings advised by the Upper House to your Excellency in the Case of M^o Darnall, and shall take Care to pay the Bills received on M^o Darnall's Naval Office Bond to the Commissioners of the Loan Office pursuant to your Excellency's Order for that Purpose the next Office Day. I am Sir, your Excellency's most obedient

Annapolis 14th May 1761.

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