

14 September 1734

Induction granted in Common Form to the Reverend Mr. Arthur Holt S. T. B. to be Rector of St. Lukes Parish in Queen Anne's County

25th November 1734

Induction granted in Common Form unto the Reverend Mr. Nathaniel Morrell to be Rector of William and Mary Parish in Charles County

Maryland's Charles Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Province of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore & Walter Bailiff and good Steward whom these Presents shall come I Warrant ye that of Our Especial Grace We have pardoned unto Susanna Holt late of Charles County spinster as a proper Object of Our Mercy the Suit of Our Peace and whatsoever appertaining unto her for that the said Susanna Holt being great with a female and being Child the eighth day of September in the Year of Our Lord seven hundred thirty and four at Charles County of the living Infant aforesaid privately and secretly from her (Body alive) did bring forth which same female Infant so being living and brought forth by the Laws of the Kingdom of England and this Our Province was a Bastard and that the aforesaid Susanna Holt God before her Eyes not having but being moved and seduced by the Instigation of the Devil the said eighth Day of September in the Year aforesaid and so soon as the Infant aforesaid was born in Charles County of with force and Arms then and there feloniously voluntarily and of her Malice forethought the said Infant being alive did kill and murder against Our Peace, Good Rule and Government whereof she was convicted before Our Trusty and well beloved John Smith and George Dart Esq. Our Justices of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery for Our said County of Charles Nevertheless We grant unto her Our firm Peace, and will not that she suffer any corporal Punishment herefore but that she shall stand and be in the same plight State and Condition to all Intents and Purposes as if the said Murder whereof

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