

August 1770.

Maryland &c. Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To all Our Bailiffs and good People to whom these Presents shall come Greeting. Know Ye that of Our especial grace we have Pardoned unto Negro Dick late of Ann Arundel County Labourer the Slave of a certain Knighton Simmons as a proper Object of Our Mercy the Suit of Our Peace and whatsoever Appertaineth unto Us for that he the said Negro Dick on the Eleventh day of June in the Year of Our Lord Seventeen hundred and Seventy with Force and Arms and so forth at Ann Arundel County aforesaid and within the Jurisdiction of the same Court the Meat House of a certain Marmaduke Mywill the said Meat House being an Outhouse and being then and there well boarded and the Door thereof secured with a Lock feloniously did break and enter and One hundred Pounds of Bacon of the value of Fifteen Shillings Sterling of the goods and Chattels of the said Marmaduke Mywill then and there in the said Meat House found then and there feloniously stole took and carried away against Our Peace good Rule and Government and contrary to the form of the Act of Assembly in such Case made and Provided whereof he was Convict before the Worshipful Reverend Justices Gentlemen and others Justices of Ann Arundel County on Tuesday the Fourteenth day of August in the Year of Our Lord Seventeen hundred and Seventy Nevertheless We grant unto him Our firm Peace and will not that he suffer any Corporal Punishment therefor but that he shall stand and be in the same Flight and Condition to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever as if the said Felony whereof he the said Negro Dick hath been Convict had never been done or Committed. — Witness Our Trusty and well beloved Brother Robert Eden Esquire Lieutenant General and Chief Governor in and over Our said Province this Day of August in the Twentieth Year of Our Dominion Anno Domini 1770 —

Signed by Order *W. Scott Esq. Secy*

15. of September 1770 —

Induction granted in Common form to the Reverend M^r. John Scott to be Rector of Durham Parish in Charles County —

26. September 1770.

Maryland &c. Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To all Our Bailiffs and good People to whom these Presents shall come Greeting. Know Ye that of Our especial grace we have Pardoned unto Richard James late of Baltimore County Labourer as a proper Object of Our Mercy the Suit of Our Peace and whatsoever Appertaineth unto Us for that he the said Richard James on the Third day of May in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and Seventy with Force and Arms at Baltimore County aforesaid One Yelding of a Roan Colour of the Price of Ten Pounds Current Money of the goods and Chattels of a certain John Buchanan James Russell, John Inre and Walter Inre then and there found then and there feloniously did steal take and lead away against Our Peace good Rule and Government and contrary to the Form of the Act of Assembly in such Case made and Provided whereof he was Convict before Our Trusty and well