

At the Court att Whitehall the 1st January 1690/1

P. R. O.
Col. Entry
Book,
Vol. 52,
p. 210

A Report from the Right Hon^{ble} the Lords of the Committee of Trade and Plantations being this day presented to his Majesty in Council in the words following,

May it please your Majesty

In obedience to your Majesty's Order in Council of the 20th of Nov: last wee have been attended by the Lord Baltimore Lord Proprietary of Maryland of the one Part and by M^r Coode and M^r Cheseldyne deputies of that convention of that Province of the other and have heard both Parties by their Council learned in in the lawes, as well upon the Petition of the Lord Baltimore and of severall inhabitants of Maryland against the said Coode and Cheseldyne as upon the Petition and Articles exhibited by the said Coode and Cheseldyne against the Lord Baltimore his deputies and Officers in Maryland and haveing also perused divers papers received from the Lord Baltimore and the present Convention in Maryland respectively.

We most humbly offer that the severall matters in difference be referred to the examination of the Governor that shall be sent thither by your Majesty's directions, who may report to your Majesty how he shall find the same and in the mean time we are humbly of opinion that Coll: Henry Darnell and Richard Hill who have given bond for their good behaviour for words alleadged to be spoken against your Majesty before your accession to the Crowne and the late Act of Indemnity may be released of their Baile and discharged from any further attendance on that occasion

All which is most humbly submitted

Councill Chamber
22. December 1690.

His Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the said Report and to Order as it is hereby Ordered th^t the Right Hon^{ble} the Earle of Nottingham his Majesty's principall secretary of State do prepare instructions under his Majesty's signe manuell and signe according for the Governor that shall be sent to Maryland by his Majesty's directions and that in the mean time the said Coll: Henry Darnell and Richard Hill be as they are heareby released from their baile and discharged from their further attendance upon the Occasion mentioned in the said Report.