

P. R. O. with such further sume as shall remain after deduction of the
 Col. Entry duty of 14^d per Tun and the one fourth part of the one shilling
 Book, per hoggshead for the buying of Arms and Amunition be
 Vol. 52. allowed to Colonell Copley in consideration of his attendance
 and expence relating to the Government of Maryland and in
 satisfaction of his salary untill Michaelmas last. And the
 Right Hon^{ble} the Lords Commissioners of their Majesties'
 Treasury are desired to give the necessary directions to the
 Receiver Generall of the customs to pay the same accordingly.

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At the Court at Whitehall
 the 3rd November 1691.

Present
 The Kings most Excellent Majesty
 in Councill.

Whereas the Right Honorable Charles Lord Baltmore by his Petition hath set forth that he has not received any benefit of His Majesty's Royall letter of the 1st February 1689. nor of an Order of Council of the 26th of February 1690. both which gave him leave by his Agents in Maryland to collect his Revenues and Dutys there. That the Petitioner is informed from his Agents in Maryland, that by reason of their long confinements and other hardships they have layn under in that Province, they were rendered altogether uncapable of acting for the Petitioner, Whereby he has received no returns from them this last shipping, Wherefore humbly praying His Majesty's gracious protection to M^r Henry Darnell who for several years has been the Petitioner's Agent and Receiver in Maryland, that he and such persons as he shall appoint may be permitted to live peacably and quietly to act as formerly in receiving the Petitioners dues and revenues in that Province and that no ships and Vessels be cleared in Maryland before His Lordship's said Agent & receiver General shall have received his dues from the shipping there. They behaving themselves peacably and with due submission to their Majesties Government. His Majesty in Councill is this day graciously pleased to grant the Petitioner's request, and doth hereby order that the right Honorable the Earl of Nottingham principal Secretary of State do prepare a letter for His Majesty's Royall Signature to the Governor of Maryland accordingly.

a true Copy.
 John Povey.