

(if it be above the Current price of the Market in England) L. H. J. will unavoidably raise a clamour in the Merchants at home, as a bad foundation to Support a good undertaking: Therefore I recomend to your serious Consideration whether it would be thought Convenient to Appoint proper persons in Each County to receive all the Merchantable Hemp that shall be brought in yearly at a price agreeable to the Markett in England, and a reward to those that bring in Large Quantities, this may encourage Industry and put people to Work on a Manufacture, that is not likely to be precarious.

Gentlemen

I cant help takeing Notice of a Report spread, that I design to turn severall Out of Commission which is intirely false and only raised to Create a Misunderstanding between me and the good people of Maryland to whom I shall allways think my self obliged by the favours, I have received from them, and particularly this present generall Assembly, and in return will Sincerly Study the prosperity of the province without any private Views of my Own, and shall Shew the Greatest Re-
sentment to the Authors of any Reflection on the Gentlemen in Comission finding nothing in their Conduct, but what is agreeable with their Duty to the King the Proprietor and the Country.

Gentlemen of the Upper House of Assembly

As in our Legislature (as near as Circumstances will permit) We endeavour by forming Three Estates to Assimilate that of our Mother Great Brittain making her our Pattern for Justice, in Order to which in referrence to M^r Bordley, I must lett you know that my Dischargeing him from Giving me further Councill (he haveing given me Councell of pernicious Consequence) is not designed to affect him as a Member of your house If (as such) he has a right to set therein Which Point I desire you'l inquire into, and inform me of your Judgments thereon that Justice may be done.

I shall Conclude wth a hearty Recomendation, that you put the greatest Dispatch to the Public affairs, and the least Charge to the Country And that Parties, Factions, and News Makers, be discouraged and in your Severall Counties, recomend to the good people (In these Dismall times of Trade) bearing and forbearing what they can with Each other.

Cha: Calvert.