

assured your Lordships with in no wise countenance, as altogether
unsafe for their Majestys Interest to admit or allow of; & therefore
we make bold to give your Lordships this true and Impartial
Acco^t humbly recommending the same to your Lordships more
noble serious and judicious considerations not only for Reforma-
tion of the premises but also to discourage and prevent such like
arrogant attempts and proceedings for the future We rest

May it please your Lordships

Your Lordships most Obedient humble serv^t

L. Copley

N. Blakiston

J^r Addison

N. Greenberry

J^r Courts

Tho Tench

together with and enclosed in the foregoing Letter was these full
Depositions &^a relating to S^r Thomas Lawrence mentioned in
the said Letter ^{to} V^{rs}

Charles County s^r

The Deposition of Cleborn Lomax C^lk of Charles
County taken before us Capt^o William Barton, &
M^r Henry Hawkins two of their Majestys
Justices of the peace for the County aforesaid by per-
tue of an Order from his Excellency the Gov^r and
the hon^{ble} Council bearing date the 15 day of
October Anno Domⁱ 1692.

Cleborn Lomax Sworn and examined saith that when he went
to wait upon the honourable S^r Thomas Lawrence Baronet
their Majestys Secretary of this Province of Maryland to know
his Honours pleasure whether he should continue in his Office
of Clerk of Charles County his Honour S^r Thomas did demand
of him what the place was worth yearly & this Deponent
replied that the said Place was worth about twel^e or fourteen