

Commissions by which he might have been taken up if he had been prosecuted

And as for Mr. Sly & others. Since your Excellency upon the advice of the Lawyers to whom it was referred has issued a warrant to the Sheriff of St. Marys County for bringing them before you & the Council for Examination: but not that they fled from Justice or other process. or proclamations warranting the taking them up Elsewhere

I shall be always ready to assist your Excellency for support of his Majesty's Government of Maryland & to prevent Combinations & other offences here against your Excellency or any other in Authority in your said Govt.

Your Exc^{ty} humble Servant
Governor of Maryland C. Andrews

At a Council held at the Port of Annapolis the 27 day of August in the tenth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord King William the third &c^o Anno Dni 1698

Present

His Excellency Fra Nicholson Esq^r Capt Gen^l &

the honble } Col^o Henry Jones Chancellor
Major John Hammond

Mr W^m Dent his Maj^{ty} Sol^r Gen^l

Mr Philip Clark being brought to Town in Custody of Robert Clark under Sheriff of St. Marys County