January 30th — Luke Theodosius at Price Court Talbott to subpena Samuel Dreyther to testifie for Grace Goddard against Ann Cooper at Goddard. on the last munday in March next. Cornish grave.

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Mr Blomfield

January 30th 1688

I send you enclosed Ann Hews third Admcon warrants to appraisers & the Oath at end of which I have soon executed, I send you likewise the Copy of Capt Roger Bakers Will & Letters Testamentary thereon, And whereas Mr Thomas Johnson hath due right to administer in this Province as Nearly Ordered to revoke the former Admcon granted to Thomas Bowman of the said Estate, and Lett Letters of Admcon issue (with Copy of the Will annext) of all & singular the Goods Chattells &c of the said Baker, to Mary Johnson at Baker the wife of the said Thomas Johnson, naturall & Only daughter and Surviving Legatee named in the aforesaid Will of Capt Roger Baker. Lett me know by the Bearer if my Brother Hill become to Towne if he is I will immediately come to St Maries, as you may informe those that are about Business in Our Office, Dispatch away the Bearer being all at present from

Your Honrs
Henry Darnall.

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Then was exhibited the Admcon bond Hugh Hopewell & Wm Haines Securityes in 200 £. Andrew Abington & Joseph Talbot Appraisers Sworne.

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Eodr die — Was exhibited an Inventory of the Estate of Guy Ffisher late of Talbott County decd under the hands and Seales of Michaell Ball and Thomas Kingston Appraisers. —

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31th — Was exhibited an Inventory of the Estate of Robin Vinder late of Talbott County decd under the hands & Seales of Richard Hasledyne & Nicholas Billopp Appraisers. —

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Eodr die — James Murphy Gent made returne That he had taken the Oathes of Thomas Mason the Admr of Robt Wild late of Talbott County decd, Hugh Sherwood & James Redgrick Appraisers Then was Admcon bond exhibited David Jonbank & Thomas Lurkin Securityes in 12000 £ tob Then was an Inventory of the said Estate Exhibited under the hands & Seales of the Apprs.

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Eodr die — Was the last Will and Testament of John Mitchell late of Talbott County deceased exhibited proved by the Oathes of three witnesses before James Murphy Gent. —
The said James Murphy made returne That Ann Mitchell the Executrix & James Scott & Wm Scott were Sworn (Appraisers) before him.
An Inventory of the Estate of the said decd was then exhibited under the hands & Seales of the said James Scott & Wm Scott Appraisers. —

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ffebry 6 die Sabbi — Domiss then issued to Capt Richard Hill to take the additionall account of Ursula Moore als Burges Executrix of the Testament of Coll Wm Burges who was Executor of the last Will & Testament of Nicholas Painter late of Ann Arundell County deceased, upon Oath.

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Eodr die — Was exhibited the Will of John Dew late of Calvert County decd, wherein he appointed Derby Sullivant sole Executor, who prayed Letters Testamentary.
Domiss then issued to Mr George Lingan, for Probate of the Will take the Oath &c
warrants to Appraisers issued in blank. Inventory returnd 3 mo.

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Eodr die — Upon the Will of Roger Baker late of Calvert County decd Administracon issued Thus.
Charles the 2d by the Grace of God &c To Mary Johnson als Baker of Calvert County Greeting Whereas it lately was to wit the 8th day of ffebruary last past came before Our Judges for Probate of Wills & granting Admcons within Our said Province of Maryland Thomas Bowman of the City of London Merchant and Showed, That Roger Baker late of Calvert County deceased dyed intestate, and that he the said Thomas is his Sisters Son & next of Kin of any in Our said Province, and thereupon prayed Our said Judges That Letters of Admcon of the Estate of the said intestate might be committed to him, Which by Our said Judges was granted and then issued. And whereas also Admcon of the goods and Chattells of the said Roger Baker was by the right Reverend Wm Arch Bishopp of Canterbury unto your the said Mary Johnson als Baker wife of Thomas Johnson the naturall Daughter and Surviving Legatee in the Will of the said Roger Baker named committed, Duppy of which Will is heretunto annexed, which said

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which said Admcon with Copy of the Will annext, remaineth in Our Office for Inrolment of Wills and you having forthwith Our said Judges, for Administration thereupon, We do therefore Revoke & Revocate adjudge Decree and make void the Admcon aforesaid granted to the said Thomas Bowman and the Record thereof. And hereby Give and grant unto you the said Mary Johnson full power and authority to administer &c
Duppy of the Oath of an Admr, bond Admcon & warrants to Appraisers in Blank then delivered Lett Darnall One of the Judges for further prosecution hereof.

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ffebry 5th — Was an Inventory of the Estate of Christopher Gudson late of St Maries County deceased exhibited under the hands and Seales of Thomas Hinley and Wm Husband Appraisers.

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12th — Was exhibited the Will of Capt Joseph Hooke late of Calvert County wherein he appointed his wife Margaret Sole Executrix, who prayed Letter Testamentary.
Domiss then issued to Mr Thomas Notley to take probate of the Will & Oath &c
warrants also issued to Major Ninian Beall & Wm Dorsey Appraisers
Inventory returnd 3 mo.

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Mr Blomfield — The Bearer hereof Benja Evans is lately married to Wm Knots widdow, The Admcon granted her in her widdowhood came too late to her, Therefore Lett Admcon issue to the said Benja Evans and Sarah his wife widdow of the said Knott, being the Ord of

Your Honrs
Henry Darnall.

Eodr die — Domiss then issued to Richard Marsham Gent to take bond & Oathes &c
warrants also issued to Thomas Greenfield and Charles Bibin Appraisers
Inventory returnd 3 mo.

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Eodr die — Then was exhibited Admcon bond of Thomas Williams late of Cecil County deceased — Phillip Hammond Admr, Swithin Wells and Hezekiah Jackson Securityes in 3740 £ tob.
Then was an Inventory of the Estate of the deed exhibited under the hands & Seales of Edward Beck and Hezekiah Jackson Appraisers. —

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Eodr die — Was exhibited Admcon bond of Wm Jones late of Cecil County decd James Wilson Admr, Henry Pennington Said & Nathaniel Pearce Securityes in 600 £ tob. —

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ffebry 5th 1688

May it please your Honr

These may Certifie to your Honr That my ffather Laurence Christian being lately dead & dyed intestate, Therefore I request your Honr that Letters of Admcon or Letters Testamentary which your Honr shall think most fitting be granted to me who am his Lawfull Heir and past the age of nineteen yeares, I request your Honr would be pleased to deliver them to the Bearer hereof John Steward, which is the humble request of

Your Honrs most humble Servants
Thomas Christian

Please to direct the Letters to Mr Wm Ward
One of his Lops justices of the Peace for
Cecil County Jno Stroope & Phillip Hollingsworth
Appraisers.

Eodr die — Domiss then issued to Wm Ward Gent to take bond & Oath &c
warrants also issued to Jno Stroope & Phillip Hollingsworth Appraisers.
Inventory returnd 3 mo.

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Eodr die — Was the last Will and Testament of John Hammond late of Talbott County dec exhibited proved by the Oathes of four witnesses before James Murphy Gent

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Eodr die — Was exhibited the additionall account of Alexander Mackfarland who intermarryed Elizabeth the Executrix of Mathew Selby late of Ann Arundel County deceased Sworn to by the said Alexander before Capt Hunsley thing thereunto authorized. —