

and Poole of, which he being in noe wise able to doe, but the said Brown made it appear before their hon^{rs} that neither himself nor any of the Comiss^{rs} of Sum: County Court shewed the least disrespect or contempt to the Letter writt in the favour of the said Ellis by the hon^{ble} Coll. Henry Darnall, Coll: Digges, Maj: Sewall and M^r Hill to the said Comiss^{rs} but only civilly desired him the said Ellis to stay for his answer to said Lre untill more of the Comiss^{rs} came together (being then but four in number) whereas the said Ellis in a haughty manner deputed the Court, whereupon their hono^{rs} freed & cleared the said Cap^t Brown together with the said Comiss^{rs} and alsoe Poole the Attorney from any contempt by them against the Gentlemen aforesaid comitted and thereupon discharged them from any further attendance about this matter and ordered that the said Ellis for his false Information aga^t the Comiss^{rs} Publickly in the Provinciall Court ask them pardon therefore, and upon his refusall thereof to be comitted to the Custody of the Sheriff of S^t Maryes County and by him to be whipt.

Liber B.
P. R. O.

Capt Brown
& Poole dis-
charged.

Fred: Ellis
to ask pdon
or be whipt.

At a Councill held at the City of S^t
Maryes the aforesaid 5th day of
Aprill 1688

Present
The hon^{ble} { Coll: Thomas Tailler
 { Coll. Henry Darnall
 { Coll. W^m Digges
 { Maj^r Nicho: Sewall

Then was the foll: Sheriffs appointed for the ensuing yeare
viz^t

S^t Maryes County.

M^r Joshua Doyne according to his Lo^{ps} Lre seen by severall
of their hono^{rs} his Comiss^o to comence from the date of the
yeare M^r Vansweringens ends

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Calvert County.

M^r Michael Taney

Charles County

M^r Robert Doyne

Ann Arrundell County

Cap^t Henry Hanslap

Baltimore County

Maj^r Thomas Long.

Kent County

M^r Edward Sweatman