

February the 10th 1661.

Cæcilius absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland
and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To the Sherriff of St. Marys County
Greeting, Whereas by the Advice & Consent of our Council We have determined
to hold an Assembly of the Freemen of our Province, at St. Marys upon the first
of April next ensuing these to Consider of certain Things concerning the State &
Welfare of this our Province of Maryland We Command you Nicholas Guyther
Sherriff of St. Marys County that making Proclamation as soon as convenient
by may be after the receipt of this writt at the discretion of the Freemen of
your County you cause one two three or four discreet Burgeses to be Elected
to serve in the said Assembly there to do & consent to such things as by common
Consent shall happen to be ordained & Enacted in the Business aфт. so that through
want of sufficient power or inconsiderate Election of the aфт. Burgeses the
Businesses aфт. may not remain undone or neglected, And make your Return
of this writt into the Secretarys Office by the 20th day of March next.

Given at St. Marys the 10th day of February in the 30th year of our
Dominion over the said Province St. Annoq. Domini 1661.

The like writt issued eodem Die to the Sherriff of Calvert County

The like to the Sherriff of Charles County

The like to the Sherriff of Ann Arundel County

The like to the Sherriff of Kent County

The like to the Sherriff of Baltimore County

The like to the Sherriff of Talbot County

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Cæcilius absolute Lord & Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland
& Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To our trusty & well beloved Henry Sewall Esq.
our Councellour & Secretary Greeting in our Lord God everlasting. Whereas We
have appointed to hold a General Assembly of the Freemen of our Province at
St. Marys upon the first of April next We do therefore hereby will & require
you that all excuses & delays sett apart you repair in person to the said Assembly
at the Time & place professed there to advise & Consult with us touching the
important affairs of our Province Given at St. Marys the 10th day of February
the thirtieth year of our Dominion over the said Province Annoq. Domini 1661.

The like to Robert Clark Esq.

The like to Baker Brooke Esq.

The like to Edward Lloyd Esq.

The like to John Bateman Esq.

The like to James Neale Esq.

The like to Henry Curwey Esq.