

To Walter Watelson for bringing intelligence } 80	
Touching the Susquehannaks	
Charges of apprehending and imprisoning } 5	
5 Indians upon suspicion of felony 1648	
To the Sheriff for 16 days imprisonment } 1700	
& entry and Release	
To the Governor for the said Prisoners diet 400	
To 10 p Cent for Collecting 700	
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This day the freemen of the County of Saint Marys met together at the Governours house touching the Levy of the Charges incurred this present year and determined by the Governour & Council on the 9<sup>th</sup> October last to be levied out of the County the whole charge amounting to 7752 tobacco & wish the freemen alledge that the Charge for imprisonment of the Indians is unadvisably laid upon the County but alledged not any thing material for it Whereupon the Governour found no reason to alter the former Order set down by the Governour and Council as above as concerning the manner of Levying the said Charge the freemen unanimously agreed & Concluded that it should be Levied upon all the Taxable Persons Inhabitants of Saint Marys County equally & head that were residing in the County from the tenth of June last which resulteth to 55<sup>th</sup> lot

June 14 1648

*[Decorative flourish]*