Cæcilius &c: To the Sherriffe of st Marys County Greeting, Lib. H H whereas by the Aduice and Consent of Our Councell, Wee p. 243 haue determined to hold an Assembly of the ffreemen of Our Prouince att st Marys, upon the Eighth day of January next ensueing, there to Consider of Certaine thinges concerning the State and wellfare of this Our Prouince of Maryland, Wee Comand you John Lawson Sherriffe of st Marys County, that makinge Proclamacon as soon as conveniently may be after Receipt of this writt, att the discrecon of the ffreemen of yor County, Yow cause One, Two, Three or flowre discreete Burgesses to be Elected, to serue in the said Assembly, These to doe and Consent to such thinges as by Comon Consent shall happen to be Ordeined and Enacted in the businesses aforesaid, soe that through want of sufficient power & inconsiderate Election of the aforesaid Burgesses, the businesses aforesaid may not remaine undone or neglected And make yor returne of this writt into the secretarys Office by the second day of January next Giuen att st marys the Eighth and twentyth day of Octobr in the floure and thiretyth yeare of Our Dominion Ouer the said Prouince Annoq Domini One thowsand Six hundred Sixty ffiue—

Charles Caluert

The like writt issued to Henry Adams
Sherriffe of Charles County
The like writt issued to Charles Brooke
Sherriffe of Caluert County
The like writt issued to Richard Ewen
Sherriffe of Ann Arrundell County
The like writt issued to John Vicoris
Sherriffe of Kent County
The like writt issued to Thomas Vaughan
Sherriffe of Talbott County
The like writt issued to John Collett
Sherriffe of Baltemore County

Cæcilius &c To Our deare freinde & Councello^r Edward Lloyd Esq^r Greeting in Our Lord God Euerlasting Wee haue appointed to hold a Generall Assembly of the ffreemen of Our Prouince att S^t Marys on the Eighth day of January next ensueing, Wee doe therefore hereby will and require yow that

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