

Liber B. this murther was comitted viz<sup>t</sup> What the occasion was and  
P. R. O. what nation of Indians they are that have comitted the said  
murther and their names if possible, that if they be of the  
Nanticokes wee may demand them according to the Articles  
of Peace lately made with that Emp<sup>r</sup> and in the mean time you  
are peaceably to demand the said Indian or Indians murtherers  
where you understand they are, but use noe force till further  
orders unless it be to defend yourselves against the said  
Indians or any others that shall assault you, wee take notice of  
the long time this mesenger has been comeing and therefore  
desire you will send a more carefull one for the future which  
is all at present from

Yo<sup>r</sup> Lo: Friends  
Henry Darnall  
W<sup>m</sup> Digges  
Nicholas Sewall

S<sup>t</sup> Maryes Feb: 28<sup>th</sup> 1687.  
To Coll. George Wells  
in Baltemore County.

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At a Council held at S<sup>t</sup> Johns the 6<sup>th</sup> day  
of March 1687.

Present

The hon<sup>ble</sup> { Coll. Darnall  
{ Coll. Digges  
{ M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Hill

Phill: Lynes } Phillip Lynes of S<sup>t</sup> Maryes County being  
informes agat } admitted informed their hono<sup>rs</sup> that whereas he  
Tho: Hussey. } in the behalf of the Comissioners of Charles  
County Court had obtained of the hon<sup>ble</sup> Coll: Henry Darnall  
and the hon<sup>ble</sup> Major Nicholas Sewall their warrant to forbidd  
and require all persons whatsoever not to hinder nor any way  
obstruct or disturb the usuall passages of man horse or carts  
for the publick benefitt of the said County in supplying the  
said Court with necessary Provision untill the present dispute  
about the laying out the Court house Lott were decided  
that notwithstanding<sup>s</sup> the said warrant or precept Thomas Hussey  
of the said County of Charles has and does molest, hinder and  
disturb as well the said Lynes as alsoe those persons he  
imployes to carry Necessaryes as aforesaid although the said  
warrant hath been showed unto him which he refuseth to obey  
but standeth in contempt thereof.

Order for } Whereupon was issued precept to the Sheriff of  
precept to } Charles County to bring the said Thomas Hussey  
bring Tho: } before the board on the first day of the next pro-  
Hussey } vinciall Court (and not to lett him to Bayl unless  
before the } he gives good security before the hon<sup>ble</sup> Coll: W<sup>m</sup>  
board. }