

of extent or otherwise whereby his Lordp may be Satisfied his Said Rent arrear and be Secured touching the ensueing Rents as they Shall become due for all Such Mano's Lands and Plantacōns before mencōned and the Inconveniency to the Common wealth avoydēd, It is thereupon Ordered that for all Such Mannors Lands and Plantacōns within this Province belonging to any Orphans which otherwise had beene before this time forfeited unto or grantable by his Said Lordp by vertue of the before mencōned Act of Assembly of the 29th of Aprill 1650, and the rent arrear not yet paid, his Said Lordp his heirs and assignes Shall from henceforth have the Same in extent for thrice that number of years for which the Rent for Such Mannors Lands and Plantacōns hath been and is arrear and unp^d respectively, and that his Lordp his heirs and assignes and his or their Attorney General or other Officer here authorised under him or them for that purpose for the time being Shall have power to Lease or Grant all or any Such Mannors Lands and Plantacōns or any part thereof to any person or persons having liberty to take up Land here by vertue of his Lordps Condicōns of Plantacōn for Such number of years as aforesaid or for any lesser time, And this present Order to Stand in force to all intents and purposes therein mencōned untill By Some Assembly to be held for this Province hereafter Some other Course be taken for his Lordps Satisfaction in the premisses. Liber B.
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Upon motion made into this Court this day by his Lordps Attorney General on the behalf of his Lordp Shewing that the payment of his Lordps Rents hath been of late years very much neglected by divers of the Inhabitants here, and that Several proclamacōns heretofore published touching the Same had been much Slighted and contemned, to the great Injury and dishonour both of his Lordp and the Governm^t And that there was not any Set known Course nor certain known ffees or allowance to the Sherriff or his Deputy or any Bayliff or other Officer to be imployed by his Lordp or his Attorney here upon distress or leavy for any Rents arrear w^{ch} he conceived to be the occasion of the neglect and contempt afores^d And that by Act of Assembly touching the Sheriff's ffees, It is left to the Court in Case of an extraordinary warrant or Comission to appoint the fee, To the end therefore that his Lord might have Justice in the premisses touching the due payment of his Said Rents and arrears, the Said Attorney moved that the Court would grant Such power and appoint Such ffees and allowances to the Officers to be imployed therein as Should be fit, It is therefore Ordered that for all or any Rents or arrearages now due or unpaid to his Lordp for any Lands within this