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 $\begin{array}{lll} Present \left\{ \begin{matrix} m^r \; Richard \; Preston \\ M^r \; Edw^d \; Lloyd \\ M^r \; Sam: \; Withers \end{matrix} \right. & \begin{matrix} M^r \; Iohn \; Lawson \\ M^r \; Will: \; Ewens \\ M^r \; Will \; Parratt \end{matrix} \right.$

Lieuten^t Richard Smith is Constituted and appointed by this Court to be Attorney Generall for his Highness the Lord Protector of the Commonwealth of England and the Dominions thereof to prosecute in his highness behalf all Suits and Actions Criminall depending before this Court

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To the Right Worshipfull the Comission¹⁵ for the Province of Maryland.

The Humble Petition of Richard Smith Attorney to his Highness.

Sheweth

That about the 7th of Iuly last Henry Gouge Sometime Servant to Iohn Dandy was found Dead in a Creeke, near the house of the Said Dandy by one William Wood, The which Henry Gouge yo^r Petitioner Conceiveth was in Cruell manner Murthered by the hands of Iohn Dandy, as it doth appear by the Examination of Severall persons.

Therefore yo' Pet' in the behalf of his Highness humbly prayeth this Court will take it Seriously into Consideration; that the Said Dandy may be brought to a full tryall in Law for the Said fact, as yo' Pet' conceiveth hath been Acted and done by the Said Dandy And your Petitioner as in Duty bound Shall pray &c

His Highness Attorney moveing the Court that the Prisoner Iohn Dandy Should be brought to his Tryall The Court doth order that the Said Prisoner Iohn Dandy be Called to the Barr, And that a Iury of Inquest be Impannelled by the Sheriffe. Which Iury being Impannelld was presented to the Court, the names of the Iury being Viz. mr Iohn Knape foreman mr Hugh Stanly mr Thomas Cary, Robert Harwood, Robert Kingsbury, Iames Iolly Mr Richard Hostkeys, Mr Iohn Adbor, William Turner, George Bussie, Iohn Felton, William Muffett, Richard Keene, Iohn Day, Mr William Chaplin, Mr