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Came and appeared Henry Higges of Cecil County accord-Lib. R. R. R. ing to his Recogniz^a taken the 4th day of October last past to p. 165 save himself & his bayle haveing attended duely since the first day of the Provinciall Court But neither the Sheriff of the County nor Swithen Wells (who were both commanded to be here) being p'sent It was ordered that the said Higges be again bound by Recogniz^a with good security to appeare the next Prov^{ll} Court, And that the Sheriff of the said County be summoned also by the Coron^r thereof to appeare here at the same time before this board.

Ordered also that warrant issue for the apprehending of Swithen Wells of Cecill County & Samuel Wheeler of the same County to have them before the Justices of the Provinciall Court at the next Prov¹¹ Court to be holden at the City of S^t Maries to answer unto what shall be then and there alledged against them &c^a and that summons issue for M^r Edward Inglish and M^r Edward Jones of the same County to testifie ag^t them.

Came here before the honble board Henry Higgs of Cecil County planter together with Edward Inglish gentl his security & acknowledged themselves to be holden and firmly bounden unto the Rt honble the Lord Propry in the full and just summe of thirty pounds sterl (viz:) the said Henry Higges in the summe of twenty pounds and, the sd Inglish in the summe of Tenn pounds sterl to be leavyed each his particular part on their goods & Chattells Lands and Tenemts upon Condition that if the said Henrys shall be and personally appeare before his L^{sps} Justices of the Provinciall Court at the next Provinciall Court to be holden at the City of S^t Maries, and shall in the meane time well and truly abeare himself and be of good behaviour as well towards his L^{sps} the R^t hon^{ble} the Lord Prop^{ry} of this Province as to all and singular the good people of the same Then this present Recognizance to be void and of noe effect otherwise to stand remaine and be in full force power and vertue In the Law

And therewith they owned themselves Content

Maryl^d ss. By the Councill

Ordered that forthwith upon sight hereof the Sheriff of Cecill County take into his custody the bodyes of Swithen Wells and Samuel Wheeler if they shall be found within his Bailywick, and them safe keepe soe that he have them before his L^{sps} Justices of the Provinciall Court, at the next Provinciall p. 166 Court to be holden at the City of S^t Maries, to answer unto