

At a Councill held at the City of S^t Maries the ffifth day of Lib. R. R. R.
March Anno Dmi: 1684:

Present

The hon^{ble} { Coll Thomas Taillor
Coll Vincent Lowe
Coll Henry Darnall
Coll W^m Digges

the hon^{ble} { Coll William Stevens
Maj^r Nich: Sewall
M^r Edward Pye

James Cullen Clk: assistant.

James Cullen appointed Clk assistant, John Llewelin the
Clk of the Councill being indisposed and not able to attend.

The Information of Robert Kemble of Cecill County con- p. 205
cerning the Escape of Coll George Talbott was produced and
read to this board and sworne to by the said Kemble being as
foll (viz^t)

Rob^t Kemble Inform^a conc: Coll Talbott &c.

Martis 4^o 1684

Bee it knowne that I Robert Kemble of Back Creeke in
Elk River Planter, doe this p^rsent fourth day of March declare,
and shall at any time verifie upon my oath that upon the 19th
day of ffebruary 1684: I saw the person of Coll George Talbott
in disguise at George Oldfields house in Elk River aforesaid,
where was p^rsent M^{rs} Talbott, wife of the said Coll Philim
Murry, and one ffahy Brother to one ffahy who was Dep^{ty}
Surv^r to the s^d Coll Talbott, together with the said Oldfieldes
wife and ffamily and dureing the time of this Informants being
there, the s^d Coll Talbotts Shallop was busking and turning
before the said Oldfields Landing, for the space of several
houres,) That this Informant was desired by M^{rs} Talbott wife
of the said Coll Talbott the murderer of M^r Christopher
Rousby to repaire to the said Oldfields house, the day and
yeare aforesaid, where being accordingly come, he is well
assured for the reasons before and after expressed that at the
time and place aforesaid the said Coll George Talbott was
then and there in the house aforesaid, for this Informant was
well acquainted with him, and knew him to be subject to a
cough which he heard the s^d person oftentimes to doe in the