

Edward Inglish high Sheriff of Cæcil County informes the board that the County Court of the said County is now fallen the Court riseing without adjournm<sup>t</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> two of the Commission<sup>rs</sup> (notwithstanding they might lawfully doe it) refused to doe out of a humo<sup>r</sup> because (as they alledged) their Clerk was wanting although he was then present but lay under arrest Liber R. p. 273

Ordered that new Commissions issue for the said Court leaving out thereof James Stavely

Accordingly new Commissions ut in fo: 215: 216: 217:  
Issued to:

Augustine Herman	} of the Quorū
Henry Ward	
Cap <sup>t</sup> Joseph Hopkins	
James ffrisby	
William Peerce	} Justices
Garratt	
William Dare	
George Warner	

Upon a petition to this board preferred by James Peterkin of Dorchester County against Stephen Gary Sheriff and others Inhabitants of the same County issued this following order of Councill

Mary<sup>ld</sup> ss.

By the Lord Prop<sup>ty</sup> & Councill

Whereas Complaint hath this day been made to his L<sup>spp</sup> and Councill by James Peterkin of Dorchester County that Stephen Gary Sheriff of the said County and others combineing and intending fraudulently to deceive the said Peterkin of his just right and property have illegally and unjustly proceeded in the execution of a warr<sup>t</sup> to him the s<sup>d</sup> Sheriff directed for the summoning of a jury to lay out the bounds of Cap<sup>t</sup> Anthony Dawsons land in Transquaking River in the County aforesaid by Impanelling such persons for Juro<sup>rs</sup> as were by him the said Peterkin justly excepted against to the greate Damage and Detriment (almost utter ruine) of the said Peterkin.

Ordered therefore that as well the said Sheriff as also the juro<sup>rs</sup> afores<sup>d</sup> present at laying out of the said Land together with Michael Mason one of the Evidences, and the Commission<sup>rs</sup> also thereunto authorised and appointed (all Excuses sett apart) they & every of them be and personally appeare before his L<sup>spp</sup> & Councill at the City of St<sup>t</sup> Maries at the next Prov<sup>ll</sup> Court then and there to answer and further inform his L<sup>spp</sup> concerning the premisses, and what else shall be alledged by the Complainant who is also to be there personally present to make good his Information. Whereof lett none faile at