

Lib. H. D. all places publick & private speaketh undervaluing of me not beseeming him to yo^r

Ex^{ncys} humble Serv^t

Test John

David Browne

West Rob^t

Pery Tho: Humbly craving Samuell

Jones Ju^o Worthington be Suspended from his

Strawbridge Office of Att^r (informacōn may be suggested a

barrato^r) & also from any other place.

Ord^r for Sev- Ordered that M^r John West, Rob^t Pery, Thomas
erall p^rsons
Sumōns &cca Jones, & John Strawbridge be by the Sheriff of Ann
by the Shrrff Arrundell County immediately Sumōn'd to appear
of Ann Arr^{ll} at this Board to Answer to such questions as shall
be proposed to them, whereof they are not to fail & let him
have here this Sumōns.

The Sheriff pursuant thereto Came and made Return that he had Sumōnd the above mention'd parties who accordingly made their appearance and were Ordered Severally to give their Depositions before one of his Ma^{ts} Justices of the provinciall Court in relacōn to the matter & th^t afterwards the s^d Depositions & aforementioned paper be Referred to M^r Att^r and Sollicito^r Gen^{ll} for them to make Report thereon with all convenient Speed.

His Ex^{ncy} is pleased to Demand of the Board if there be anything further (at p^rsent) to be Offered in Councill who say there is not.

October the 12th 1696.

Ord^r for a Produced a Proclamation prepared pursuant
Proclamacōn thereto which was read and approved off & Signed
to issue &cca by his Ex^{ncy} and passed the Broad Seal of the Pro-
vince, the Tenor whereof followes in these Words, Viz^t

By his Ex^{ncy} the Cap^t Gen^{ll}

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Proclamation

Proclamacōn Maryland: ss

abt Sr

Thomas's

Land Office

Whereas by his ma^{ts} Royall Ord^r in Councill of the 13th of ffeb^{ry} Anno 1695 and produced & Read to and by his Ma^{ts} hon^rble Councill here the 20th of may last past, it is Signified and declared that the Land Office of this Province is in the R^t of the hon^rble S^r Thomas Laurence Barron^t Secretary and that the Records thereof are alone proper to be kept by him &c^{ca} And fforasmuch as for want of a due infor-

Whitehall