

Liber B B These are in the name of the Rig<sup>t</sup> Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Lord Proprietary of this prouince to will & require yo<sup>w</sup> to see the body of Joseph ffincher (who att Our last Court of Sessions held at S<sup>t</sup> Marys the 22<sup>th</sup> of this instant Decemb<sup>r</sup> was arraigned and Conuicted of murder) Carryed to the place of Execūon within three dayes after yo<sup>r</sup> receiuing the said ffincher into yo<sup>r</sup> Custody, and betwixt 8 and 9 of the Clock in the morning there to hang by the neck till he be dead according to the Judgm<sup>t</sup> Giuen on the day abouesaid, And for soe doeing this shall be yo<sup>r</sup> warrant Giuen und<sup>r</sup> my hand this 27<sup>th</sup> day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1664  
 To Cap<sup>t</sup> William Burges Charles Caluert  
 High Sherriffe of the  
 County of Ann Arundell

Cæcilius &<sup>c</sup> To the High Sherriffe of Ann Arundell County Greeting, whereas Thomas Whyniard and Edward Ladd late of yo<sup>r</sup> said County planters hath been arrested for suspition of felony by them as is said Committed, Wee will and Comand yo<sup>w</sup> therefore to receiue into yo<sup>r</sup> Custody the said Thomas Whyniard and Edward Ladd there to remaine untill by due Course of law they shall be deliuered, Wittnes Our deare Brother Philip Caluert Escq<sup>;</sup> Chancello<sup>r</sup> of Our Prouince of Maryland Giuen att S<sup>t</sup> Marys this 23<sup>d</sup> day of December 1664—  
 Philip Caluert

Decemb<sup>r</sup> 22<sup>th</sup> 1664

I doe depute yo<sup>w</sup> Robert Loyd to take the said Thomas Whyniard and Edward Ladd into yo<sup>r</sup> Custody and them deliuer unto the sherriffe aboue mençoned Giuen und<sup>r</sup> my hand the day & yeare aboue written  
 Philip Caluert

[p. 386] Presentm<sup>ts</sup> made and deliuered in Court by the Grand Iury (uizt)

The Jurors for the Rig<sup>t</sup> Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Lord Proprietary doth p<sup>r</sup>sent John Holmewood of Anne Arundell County for that he hauing a Seruant man drowned in a Creeke adjoyning neer his howse in the s<sup>d</sup> County in or about the 34<sup>th</sup> yeare of his Lordšps Dominion ouer this p<sup>r</sup>uince did not cause a Iury of Inquest from the Coroner to enquire Concerning his Death and being summoned by the Comm<sup>ts</sup> of the said County to appeare before them to answeere the same hee in Contempt to his Lōps Authority refused to appeare—

The Jurors for the Lord Proprietary doe p<sup>r</sup>sent Edw<sup>d</sup> Skidmore of Ann Arundell County for that he hauing a man seruant drowned in a Creeke adjoyning neer his house in the s<sup>d</sup> County in or about the 34<sup>th</sup> yeare of his Lōps Dominion ouer this prouince, did not Cause a Iury of Inquest from the Coroner to enquire concerning his death

Ordered the abouesaid Presentm<sup>ts</sup> be further enquired into and examined next Prouinciall Court—