

ing before you to the next provinciall Court to be holden for this our province whensoever or wheresoever to be holden, there to be Tryed And further we do hereby Authorize you to Issue writts process arrests and attachments, to hold place to hear and Determined according to the Laws orders and Reasonable Customs of this our province after Judgm.^t Execution to Award on all Cases Civill whether in actions Reall or personall where the thing in Action doth not Exceed the value of Three thousand pounds of Tobacco In which Cases Civill So to be tryed We do Constitute, Ordaine and appoint you the Said Henry Smith, ffrancis Jenkins, Thomas Jones and John Winder to be Judges as aforesaid unless Some one of our Councill be then in Court, And therefore We Comānd you that you diligently Intend the keeping of the peace Laws and orders and all & Singular other the premisses and at Certain days appointed according to the Act of Assembly in that Case provided And Such places as your or any four or more of you as afores^d Shall on that behalf appoint you make Inquiries upon the premisses & perform and fullfill the Same in form af.^d doing therein what to Justice appertaineth according to the Laws Orders and Reasonable Customs of this o^r province Saveing to us the Amerciaments and other things thereof to us belonging, And therefore We Command you the Sheriff of the S.^d County by virtue of these presents that at the days and places aforesaid which you or any Such four or more of you as aforesaid, Shall make known to him to give his attendance on you and if need require to Cause to Come before you or any Such four or more of you as aforesaid, Such and So many Good and Lawfull men of your County by whom the Truth in the premisses may the better be known and Enquired of, Given at our City of S.^t maries this nineteenth day of June in the fortieth year of our Dominion over our Said province of Maryland Annoq̄ Domini one Thousand Six hundred Seventy two

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Cæcilius &c To our Trusty and Well beloved Francis Jenkins & Henry Smith Gent Greeting Whereas we have Lately by our Commission under our Great Seale of our s.^d province nominated Constituted and appointed you the Said ffrancis Jenkins and Henry Smith and the Severall other persons in the s.^d Comission named to be Commissioners & Justices for the keeping of our peace in and for our County of Worcester County with full power & Authority to keep our County Court there at Such days and times as by the Law in that Case made is provided Now know ye that we Reposeing Great Trust and Confidence in your ffidelities & prudent Circumspections have assigned you and by virtue of these presents do Give unto you full power & Authority you the Said Henry Smith having first taken the usuall oath of Commissioner and Justice of the peace of our Said County upon the holy Evangelists which

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