

suyt w<sup>ch</sup> was granted & now th<sup>e</sup> Plan<sup>t</sup> beinge Cald by th<sup>e</sup> Sheriff three Liber B  
times, doth not appere The Def<sup>t</sup> craues a nonsuyte w<sup>th</sup> Charges The  
Court doth therefore order th<sup>e</sup> Plan<sup>t</sup> to pay Fifty Pounds of Toḅ,  
w<sup>th</sup> Court Charges Else Exec<sup>n</sup>

This p<sup>r</sup>sent Court doth Order that th<sup>e</sup> next Court shall be holden  
th<sup>e</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> day of this Moneth of Feḅ. 1659

I doe Appoint Matthew Reade of Kent to be my true & Lawfull  
Atturney to Demand or cause be demanded of John Erickeson the  
Some of Fower hundred & ten<sup>th</sup> due p bill Acc<sup>o</sup> one hundred &  
Fifty<sup>th</sup> of Toḅ & Caske Wittnesse my hand this 9<sup>th</sup> day of Janū  
A<sup>o</sup> 1659 Anthony Griffin  
Testes John Cowrsey  
Jn<sup>o</sup> Derous

Allexsander Towrson sworne in Courte  
Saith That yo<sup>r</sup> Depon<sup>t</sup> brought from william Hambleton to John  
Erickson three Bushells of Apples & one Case of Sider or Perry,  
& Further saith not Allezsander Towrson  
Teste me Joh<sup>n</sup> Cowrsey Cla<sup>r</sup>

William Richards doth enter more unto his marke th<sup>t</sup> is, a slitt,  
in th<sup>e</sup> Cropp on the Right Eare of his Cattle.  
Teste me John Cowrsey Cla<sup>r</sup>

Caecilius absolute Lord & Proprietary of the Prouince of Mariland  
& Aualon, Lord Baron of Baltemore &c, To the Sheriffe of Kent  
County Greetinge whereas by the Aduice & consent of our Councill  
wee haue determined to hould an Assembly of the Free men of our  
Prouince at m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Gerards on th<sup>e</sup> last Tusday in February next  
ensuinge there to consider of certine things concerninge the State  
& wellfare of this our Province of Mariland wee Co<sup>m</sup>mand you John [fol. 72]  
Coursey sheriffe of Kent County th<sup>t</sup> makeinge proclamation as soone  
as conueniently may be after th<sup>e</sup> receipt of this writt, yo<sup>w</sup> Cause  
Fower discreete Burgesses to be elected to serue in th<sup>e</sup> sd Assembly  
there to doe & consent to such things as by Co<sup>m</sup>on consent shall hap-  
pen to be ordained & enacted in th<sup>e</sup> buisnesses aforesd, soe th<sup>t</sup>  
through want of suffitient Power or inconsiderate Election of the  
aforesd Burgesses, the buisnesses aforesd may not remaine undone  
or neglected & make your returne of this writt into th<sup>e</sup> Secretaries  
office by the seuenteenth of Feḅ. next. Giuen at s<sup>t</sup> Maries under our  
great seale of our sd Province th<sup>e</sup> twelfth day of January in th<sup>e</sup> Eight  
& twentieth yeare of our Dominion ouer th<sup>e</sup> sd Prouince of Maryland  
Annoque Domini one thousand six hundred Fifty nine  
Vera Copia John Cowrsey Cla<sup>r</sup>