

aforesaid to answer the abovesaid presentment the said Silvanus Came and the said Adam Head likewise Liber JJ

Proclamacon being then made and none appeareing to prosecute the said presentment it is therefore Ordered that he be quitt of the same presentment, and that Adam Head be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of S<sup>t</sup> Maries County untill he give security for his good abearance untill the eighteenth day of October next being the first day of the next provinciall Court.

Upon Complaint made to his Lōpps justices here to witt the fiftenth day of December in the xxxviii<sup>th</sup> yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c by Sarah Cole That John Griffith servant to Thomas Paine of S<sup>t</sup> Maries County hath offered her severall abuses, whereupon it was then Ordered that the said Thomas Paine cause to come here to witt on the morrow next after the said fiftenth day of December the said John Griffith his servant to answer the said Complaint at which day came the said John Griffith and the said Sarah Cole likewise, and the said Sarah refuseing further to prosecute her said Complaint Ordered the said John Griffith goe quitt and the said Complaint quashed.

The Jurors for the Lord Proprietary doe present That Henry Mitchell of the Clifts in the County of Calvert planter the twentieth day of October in the eight and thirtith yeare of his Lōpps Dominion &c att the Clifts in the County of Calvert aforesaid was and yet is a Coñon Barretor, a dayly and publique disturber of the peace of the said Lord Proprietary a coñon and turbulent Calumniator, a Re-proacher, a fighter, a sower of striffes and discords amongst his neighbours so that he hath moved procured and stirred up divers strittes brawlings and fightings then and there and at other places elsewhere amongst the good people of the said Lord Proprietary to the great disturbance of the said Lord proprietaryes Peace contrary to his rule and dignity

Afterwards to witt the twentieth day of December in the said eight and thirtith yeare of his said Lōpps Dominion &c and in the yeare One thousand six hundred sixty nine came the said Henry Mitchael in his proper person and traversed the aforesaid presentment, whereupon it was then Ordered that Coñand be given to the Sheriff of Calvert County that he cause to come here to witt at S<sup>t</sup> Maries the eighth day of February next twelve good and lawfull men of the neighbourhood by whom the truth of the matter may be the better knowne, &c. [p. 463]

And afterwards to witt the same twentieth day of December the said Henry Mitchael appeareing in his proper person and shewing to the Court here that he is not willing to plead with his Lōpp the