

Liber N N fifth day of this instant month of April at Our Said Provinciall Court at s^t Maries are adjourned to be heard and tryed, Wee therefore Comānd you that all pleas bills precepts and other processe whatsoever either in Law or equity, before Us at s^t Maries the said fifth day of April by nine of the Clocke to be pleaded or returned depending undetermined or in the meane time shall have day untill the Said fifth day of April without delay you adjourne or cause to be adjourned, And the parties in the Same pleas, writs bills processe and precepts and other things whatsoever either in Law or equity thereupon you prefix the said fifty day of April Moreover comāding all Sheriffs Officers and other ministers whatsoever of Our said Province of Maryland that every One of them in their Custody detaine all and Singular the writs bills processe and precepts and thinges whatsoever either in Law or equity before Us at S^t Maries On the Said fifth day of April or any other day as aforesaid or to be returned, and them at the Said fifth day of April at nine of the Clocke aforesaid you cause to be returned, so that On the Same fifth day of April upon the same writs bills processe and precepts and other things whatsoever to you returned you proceed and make the processe thereupon as if these writs bills processe and p^rcepts and other the premisses on the Said fourth day of April or any other day aforesaid without any adjournment were. Wittnes Our Selfe at Our Citty of s^t Maries the fourth day of April in the first yeare of Our Dominion &c Annoq̃ Doṃ One thousand Six hundred Seventy six.

p. 88 His Lordshipp sendeth also his other writ to the respective Sheriffs of this Province The tenor whereof followeth in these words vizt

Charles Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baltemore &c To the Sheriff of S^t Maries, Kent Ann Arrundel, Calvert Charles Baltemore, Talbot, Somersett Dorchester and Cecill Countyes Greeting Wee comānd you that all and Singular Our writs and precepts to you delivered and before Us this fourth day of April by you to be returned, you deteine in your hands untill to morrow nine of the Clocke, and that you have them before Us at Our Provinciall Court with the returnes and executions of the same, that Wee may further proceed to to the prosecution of the parties in the Same writs as of right Wee shall thinke fitt to be done in this behalfe, and hereof you are to make proclamation that all persons concerned may Keepe their day at S^t Maries tomorrow at nine of the Clocke. Wittnes Our Selfe at Our Citty of s^t Maries the fourth day of April in the first yeare of Our Dominion &c Annoq̃ Doṃ One thousand six hundred Seventy Six.—Which said writs being read and heard the Court is adjourned untill the morrow morning nine of the Clocke.