

Anna County Co^t: held ij 12th Day of September in y^e first year of y^e Dominion of y^e R^e: Hon^e: Ch^r: Charles over Maryland or Annos^z Domini 1676: before his Excell^{ty} Justices thereunto assigned & authorized

M^r: William Stevens;

present { Coll^r: W^m: Colebourne: M^r: David: Browne:
M^r: James: Jones: M^r: W^m: Jones:
M^r: George: Johnson: M^r: W^m: Breerton:
M^r: Charles: Ballard: M^r: Roger: Wolsford: } County:

Interlocutory

Whereas Annatokefon y^e Emperour of Nantitoke had made a proposition to M^r James Jones and Christopher Mutter y^e in Receiv^g of a considerable quantity of Matchroats to come to the said Emperour from persons settled upon land in Nantitoke and place adjacent according as people usually give him all seating where y^e Emperour claims some prerogative which the said Emperour would bee content to reduce to a smaller value then hath been pro miscell^y usually is given provided they would advance it for him y^e said M^r: James Jones reporting y^e same to y^e Co^t: who thought good to summon y^e persons being above thirtie to propose y^e same to advance every one a little of which John Squire gave one Matchroat James: Jones for Capt^l: Marsh one Matchroat: George Johnson for Daniell Hast one Matchroat James Jones for David Williamson one Matchroat which being inconsiderable to y^e said Emperour expectation who then was come in a very friendly manner to y^e Co^t: and y^e first time here ever was att y^e County Co^t: it was proposed to other what they would give voluntarij towards raising a quantity of Matchroats somewhat fitt for the purpose aforesaid and to answer his honorable Demands upon was given as followeth: 1. By M^r: W^m: Stevens five Matchroats by Coll^r: W^m: Colebourne: three Matchroats By M^r: James Jones three Matchroats By M^r: George Johnson one Matchroat by M^r: Thomas Walker two Matchroats by M^r: Charles: Ballard two Matchroats By M^r: W^m: Breerton one Matchroat By M^r: Major Ambrose London two Matchroats By M^r: Nicholas Rice one Matchroat By M^r: Melchiah Covington one Matchroat By M^r: Robert Wilson one Matchroat upon both amounts twenty seven Matchroats ordered by y^e Co^t: to be sent to y^e Sheriffs house at Wicomico And by him M^r: James Jones & Christoph^r: Mutter, Interpreter to be delivered to y^e said Emperour forthwith: 1:

The same Day Com^{is}: as aforesaid:

The banns of Matrimony were published between George Zechearne & Anne Cannaday both of this County also between Nicholas Severo & Elizabeth Barnett both of this County also between David Emsey & Sarah Comaid both of this County also between Thomas Davis plant^r of Manoa in hundred & Manij Nicholfson both of this County

The same Day Com^{is}: as aforesaid:

It is ordered y^e severall respective oversees make & amend his Excell^{ty} highways in their severall precincts within this County according to act of Assembly by y^e 10th of November now next coming

The same Day Com^{is}: as aforesaid:

In y^e Lord Prop^{ty} agt Rachel: Grounde } for bearing a Bastard Child
The said Rachel Grounde appears before y^e board & acknowledgeth her fact: And thereupon this Co^t: orders that for her fact the said Rachel Grounde shall give in sufficient security for an able man with meat & drink to pay twenty five days work in making of a bridge over y^e dividing Creek William Stevens planter appears before y^e board & engageth to see y^e same performed