

April the 30th 1689 Com. as afor^s 103

Ordered that m^r. Thomas Newbold restored to the severall and respec^tive persons as well Indians as others what Woolves Skins he has detain'd or kept from them there having been a Complaint made to this Court of the said as well by Indians as by others. Therefore it is further Ordered that he take none for the future & the former to be restored

The Petition of Peter Deu (praying that he may be admitted and Sworne Attourney of this Court which was granted him and Sworne the same day.

Ordered that John Hinderson continue ferriman at Pocumoke ferry where he now dwelle and that in consideration of the good attendance he is and ought to give there he be paid out of the Publi^ck Treas^ury of this County the sum of three thousand pounds of Tobacco the next year

The Petition of the inhabitants of Suw^{er}sett County to this Wors^h Court sheweth that the subscribers humbly begg that the Act made by the last Assembly which seems to give encourag^mt. for the making of English grain Linn and Woolen Cloth (may if possible) be disannul'd and made of none effect otherwise it will not only endanger the Peace and safety of this County but likewise hazard the lives of many families as also occasion many freemen to desert his Lordships County & so further begg your Worships Assistance herein that the Countys agreement may be redress'd & they will as m^uch duty bound pray severall of the inhabitants having signed to the forgoing Petition and the same being read in Court likewise Lewis Francis Inckme and declared to this Court that his Lordships Council would him they would take no advantage of any of the inhabitants of this County in case they should disannul and make void the s^d. Act for encourag^mt. as afor^s. amongst Christs^tians (that is to say) within the precincts and Limits of this County of Suw^{er}sett as to them should seeme. This Court having taken it into Consideration and seeing the willingness of all the inhabitants in generall and now contradicting the same but all very willing that the said Act for encourag^mt. as afor^s. might be made void

Therefore Ordered that the Act made for Encourag^mt. of English grain as also Linn & Woolen be made void and of none effect within this County of Suw^{er}sett no advantage to be taken by any of the inhabitants thereof of one another

Returne made Entries Returnable the second Tuesday in June
By the Sheriff Anno 1689

Cap: ag: John Barker to answer vnto James Comor in an action of the case
Subp: George Bonson on part of pl^t
Cap: ag: Robert Standley to answer vnto John Taylor in an action of Debt
Subp: Phillip Comor Sen. and Robert Elbourn on part of pl^t