

Commissioners Present. y<sup>e</sup> 13. day. Jan<sup>y</sup>. 1689

Cap. David: Browne.	M. Samuel: Hopkins
M. Francis: Jones.	M. Stephen: Luffe.
Cap. John: Minder.	M. Edmund: Howard.
M. James: Rouns.	M. Thomas: Jones.

in Ma<sup>ty</sup> Court being called. This following Petition was presented by the Petitioner  
 the Cor. their Ma<sup>ty</sup> Coms. for Somerset County. The humble Petition of Lawrence Young Sheweth  
 That whereas your Petitioner past a Bond for his good behaviour to this Cor. Court during your  
 Worships pleasure, your petitioners humbly begs to be released of the said Bond and your Petitioner  
 shall pray in whereupon the Court having considered the premises, Ordered that the said Bond  
 of good behaviour should still be continued.

To the Worshipfull Court of Somerset County.

Petitioner humbly sheweth that whereas Ann Smith deceased did in her last Will and Testament Will and  
 hath unto Richard Hill and Martha his wife one third part of a Boat which the deceased wished to be equally  
 divided between Samuel: Shewell, Elizabeth Smith and your Petitioner, my part contrary to the Will of the deceased  
 the vigorous Administrators doth now unjustly detain from your Petitioner as also the decepted left her last and  
 named Black Bullon marked with a figure of three and an H on the further buttock, between Elizabeth and  
 Petitioner to be for the use of the plantation which he improved for his own proper use. Also the decepted  
 of Will twelve hinds and four stiers which are to be tanned and dressed by William Richardson to be equally divided  
 on Samuel: Shewell, John: Vigor, Samuel: Jervis, Elizabeth Smith and your Petitioner which the afore said vigorous  
 doth from your Petitioner, as also what work John: Brown oweth to the decepted which was to the value of six hundred  
 of tobacco equally to be divided amongst the above named five persons as also a parcel of hemp, your  
 used part whereof the said vigorous doth now unjustly detain as also one gun. I being thus wronged by  
 sheweth it to your Worships Consideration and wisdom to ~~order~~ Order and determine according to Law and y<sup>e</sup>  
 as ever bound shall pray &c

Richard Hill his mark. R. H.

The above said Petition being read ~~was~~ But no result or Order pass.

The humble Petition of James Green.

for Ma<sup>ty</sup> Justices of the Peace now sitting in Court. humbly sheweth to your Worships that there was an Order  
 last June Court that Thomas: Withershead who being sick and infirm, should dwell and abide with y<sup>e</sup>  
 us. the petitioner being bound by said Order to maintain said Withershead and so to keep the County harmless  
 so it is that said Withershead is in perfect health of body, and doth utterly refuse to dwell any longer with  
 Petitioner, and stayed not with the petitioner above fifteen days after said Order pass. may it therefore  
 your Worships to reverse said Order and your petitioner as bound in duty shall pray &c.

The above said Petition being read ~~was~~ But no result or Order pass.

To the Worshipfull Court of Somerset County, the humble Petition of Margery Park,  
 sheweth that whereas your Petitioner hath served Cap. Minder these years and to the said Minder hath  
 our Petitioner to Nicholas Caylor for these years more, your petitioner having served five years to the  
 Country not having any indenture nor judgment at Court, your petitioner humbly requests Order of this  
 upfull Court for her freedom and to be and to be according to law in full provided, and your Petitioner  
 duty bound shall pray. Mary Park. upon which petition being read.

It was Ordered that Nicholas Caylor appear next Court to answer unto Margery Park.

Somerset County. Maryland

That this day to wit the first day of December An. Dom. 1689. Nicholas Caylor appointed to be Constable of  
 the County was before me and declared that he was willing to execute in the Office of a Constable but