At a Court held for Kent County at the house of James Smith in Chester Town on Chester River in said County on the Eighth day of November in the Seventh year of the Reigne of our Soveraigne Lady Anne by ye Grace of God of great Brittaine France and Ireland Queene Defender of ye Faith &c Anno Dominii 1708 this day the Sheriff of this County by virtue of a Writt of Election from his Excellency ye Governour of this province hath summoned four Justices and the Clarke to sitt as a Court to make proclamation when the Day of Election is to be in this County and where in pursuance of the said Writt

The Worsh.ll ye { Coll Edward Blay, Coll William Barce } Mr Philip Hopkins, Capt William Potts } Commrs of Pleas

Coll Nathaniel Stynson high Sheriff of this County produceth the Writt of Election for choosing of four Deputyes & Delegates to serve in a generall Assembly at the City of Annapolis of Twenty ninth day of November Instant in pursuance to ye same this Court doth appoint Fryday the Sixteenth day of this Instant for the Election of this County by the same to be held at Chester house in said County

And the said Court adjourns

James Smith Clerk

At a Court held for Kent County at the Court house in ye Town of Chester on Chester River in the same County on the Sixteenth day of November in the Seventh year of the Reigne of our Soveraigne Lady Anne by ye Grace of God of great Brittaine France and Ireland Queene Defender of the Faith &c Anno Dominii 1708 this day being by ord of Court appointed for ye Electing of four Delegates or representatives for this County pursuant to the Writt of Election directed to the Sheriff of this County

The Worship ye { Coll Edward Blay, Coll William Barce, Mr John Cazill } Mr Philip Hopkins, Capt William Potts } Commrs of Pleas

The Court being set It is ordered that the Electors be called to heare the Writt of Election read & proclamation being made by ye under Sheriff of this County and a large appearance the said writt is publickly read in open Court thereupon being performed the Court gives the Electors some caution and orders them to proceed to their Election

& Bell there being several heats and Disturbances amongst the people there the Court with the advice of the Court thinks fitt to Adjourn till Munday Town Clerk and that they may be the better to consult their Interests for the advantage of there Country

The Court adjourns till munday Town Clerk

November 22.

& Against merits

The Worsh.ll ye { Coll Edward Blay, Coll William Barce } Mr Philip Hopkins, Capt William Potts } Commrs of Pleas

The Court being set It is ordered that the Electors be called to heare the Writt of Election against read & proclamation being made by ye under Sheriff of this County and a large appearance the said Writt is publically read in open Court there which being performed the Court gives the Electors some caution and orders them to proceed to their Election &c

Mr