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and for so doing this shall be your sufficient warrant and authority here of
fail not & when you have vs same so done you are to certifie vs same under
your hands and seals to us in our high Court of Chancery with all convenient
autosped witness our Trusty & wellbeloved Charles Calvert Esq: Our
Captain General & Lieutenant Governor in & over our Province
of Maryland this 28: day of Feby in ye Twelfth year of our Dominion
e- Annoq: Dom: 1726

Ch: Calvert.

Which being Read and heard, Hereupon William Blanner, John Jones, W^m Bassett
John Smith Wm Houghton John Caldwell and John M^cMaster Geah Pursuant to the dedimus
to them directed Administred the severall Oaths apponited by act of Assembly to be taken
to the government and the accustomed Oath of Justice to Samuel Hopkins and John Scott
who severally take the same and subscribe the Oath of Abjuration and Test and take
their places — Thereupon Samuel Hopkins and John Scott Geah Administred the
same Oaths to W^m Blanner John Jones, W^m Bassett John Smith Wm Houghton, John Caldwell
and John M^cMaster who take the same and severally subscribe the Oath of Abjuration &
Test and take their places as followeth viz

The Worshipfull { Mr. Sam^l Hopkins - Mr. W^m Houghton .
Mr. W^m Blanner - Mr. John Caldwell .
Mr. John Jones - Mr. John M^cMaster .
Mr. W^m Bassett - Mr. John Scott .
John Smith - Thomas Hayward Esq: His Lordships
C^o Justice,

Whereupon the Court be called and vate Proclamation was made for the Sheriff of
Somerset County to will Francis Allen Geah to make Return of a panel of the grand Jury
who returne the same as follows viz James Rownd, Adam Hill, Robert Collier, Stephen
Hopkins, Abraham Fordy, Richard Jefferson, John Burton, Nathaniel Brugger, Thomas Bellis
James Mumford, Merrick Ellis, George Burton, John Magraw, Thomas Hollbrook, Wm Silvant
David Brown, Lazarus Maddox manown, Wm Fox Wm Adams, George Riggan and Sam. Cook
And thereupon Proclamation being made by the Crier according to Common forme —

The Jurors aforesaid so as afriad theye panelled being severally called over by their names do appear
as above and thereupon theye are sworn and charged and sent out to consider ^{who} soon after the
grand Juryors and Return into Court and being severally called over appear and present to the
same Court here the following presentment viz Presentmt against Rosannah Branough, Rebecca
Hunning, Eliz^w Miller, and Mary Stevens, being content that the Court shold award forre —
altering no manner of substance in these, Thereupon the afo^d Grand Juryors were accordingly
discharged and ordered that theye ^{should} be allowed for their Publick Service this Court four pounds pds

of to be paid next Levy Court, and against the afo^d Rosannah Branough, Rebecca Hunning
Miller, and Mary Stevens, so as afo^d Prescribed it is Ordered by C^o iffeue ag^t them Returnable
to Next Court &