

hereafter presume to dye in wail to ²¹⁹main or kille any the King's Subjects and also of all ordinary keepers
and other persons who have offended or hereafter shall presume to offend in the abuse of weights or measures
against the acts of asembly for the common good or profit now in this province made and used and also of the
Shod. bailifs Constables and other officers who have or shall hereafter misbehave themselves in the execution of
their offices or have been remiss or negligent in the execution thereof or shall hereafter happen so to be within
Our County and of all and every the articles matters and things whatsoever howsoever or by whomsoever in
Our County and done or committed or that shall hereafter happen to be done or committed concerning the granting
or any of them and to justify all judgments before you or any of you taken or to be taken or before our
late Justice of the peace within Our said County had and taken and not yett determined and process thereof
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against all or any person or persons so Judited or which shall hereafter happen to be Judited within Our
County and to make and continue until they shall be taken or surrender themselves, or to be outlawed, and
to hear and determine all and every the felonies witchcrafts Enchantments sorceries arts magicks bes-
papes forestallings regratings riots and disturbances and all other the matters aforesaid according to acts of asembly
of Our said province so far forth as they provide and where they are silent according to the Lawes Statutes and
reasonable Customs of England agreeable to the usage and Constitution of Our said province and the said
delinquents and every of them to chastise and punish by fines lawnes amerciaments forfeiture, and
otherwise according to the acts of asembly of Our said province so far as they provide and where they
are silent according to the Lawes Statutes and reasonable Customs of England agreeable to the usage and
Constitution of the same province but we will not that you proceed in any the cases and to take life or mem-
ber but that in every such case you send the prisoners with their Indictments and the whole matter
depending before you to Our Justice of apeace Hisprius and Goal delivery at the next Court of Oyer and
Terminer to be hold for this Our said County be it whensoever or where soever to be holden there to be
tried and we command you and every of you diligently to Inquire the seeing of the peace acts of
asembly Lawes Statutes Customs and Statutes and all and every the premises and that at your
County Courts you make Inquisition and hear and determine as and doing therein what to Justice
opportunities according to the acts of asembly so far forth as they provide and where they are
silent according to Lawes Statutes and reasonable Customs of England agreeable to the usage and
Constitution of our said province and further we do constitute Ordaine and appoint you the said
Samuell Hopkins William Blunier John Jones Wm Fairbairn John Smith Ball hundred William
Stoughton John Caldwell, Dr Wm Carter, John Handy, James Darhiler John Scott and Robert King
or any three or more of you as and to give out writs precept process and attachments and hold
pleas of all actions popular and of all actions personall of what sort soever wherein a
Demand doth not exceed the sum of One thousand hundred pounds of Sterling or thirty thou-
sand pounds of Tobacco and all actions personall now depending before you and after Judg-
ment to award in all such cases and actions and according to the acts of asembly of Our said
province so far forth as they provide and where they are silent according to the Lawes Statutes and
reasonable Customs of England agreeable to the usage and Constitution of the same province
which said actions to be tried we do constitute Ordaine and appoint you the said Samuell
Hopkins