

By the Deputy Quarter!

A Proclamation

Whereas Ensigne W^m Davis Giles Hasteham & John Pate with
 divers others, Inhabitants upon or neere the Cliftes in salout
 County have contrived a malicious & seditious paper tending to the
 Subversion of the Governm^t of this Province under the Right
 Hon^{ble} the Lord Proprietary & destruction of the Peace of the
 People. And the same with force & terror of armes have
 Published at the head of the Company Comanded by Major Henry
 Jowles, threatening the said Major with their Gunns & other
 Engines. These are therefore in the name of the Right Hon^{ble}
 the Lord Proprietary to will & Comand all Officers Military &
 Civil & all House-keepers & other the good People of this Province
 to Apprehend the said Ensigne W^m Davis Giles Hasteham &
 John Pate & them safely to bring to the Garrison at Mattapan-
 Sewall there to be kept in safe Custody, strictly charging & Comanding
 all house-keepers & all other the good People of this Province not
 to harbour comfort aid or Assist the said Davis Hasteham & Pate
 or any of them as they will answer the contrary at their utmost
 perill. And so much as many well-meaning People of this
 Province may have been seduced by the said Davis Hasteham & Pate
 to Joyn with them in the Publication of the said paper It is hereby
 Declared Published & Proclaimed that the Governm^t will not take
 notice of that crime many other person then the said Davis
 Hasteham & Pate provided they tender themselves to the Deputy
 Quarter! or some one of his Lordshippes Councell for this Province
 within fourteene dayes, & shall discover the Councellors & writers
 & Coritors of the said paper given at the City of S^t Maryes under
 the great Seal of this Province of Maryland this first day of Sept^r
 in the first yeare of his Lordshippes Dominion Annoz, Domⁱ 1676

By the Deputy Quarter!

A Proclamation

Whereas in these dangerous & rebellious tymes there are divers
 convicted persons Imported into this Province before the tenth day
 of Novemb^r at which day the Act against Importacion of convicted
 persons into this Province shall take place. And whereas it
 appoarth Evidently that the landing of such persons in this Province
 at such tymes & Affaires is absolutely destructive to the Peace of this
 Province. Be it Ordained by the Governour & Councell. And it is
 hereby Ordained that the Master of the Ship or Vessel in which
 the said convicted persons are Imported shall before he presume
 to land or give or dispose of any the said convicted persons within
 this Province or to any person in this Province. Enter into Bond
 the Lord Proprietary of fifty pounds sterl^{ing} with two sufficient sureties
 such as any two of the Justices of the County Court of the County in which
 the said Convicts shall be landed or attempted to be landed shall