

convenient Sp:ed.
April 16. 1681.

By the Lord Prop: and Council

Whereas the said Sp: hath been given to understand by the Kings of
Mattawoman and Hoplico that five Hoplico Indians were lately
surprised and taken prisoners from their hunting quarters on the River
Domum Mammo.

Ordered that Gold Henry Darvall upon sight hereof
employ some persons and whom he shall think fit to
inquire into the truth of that Report, and that if same
upon such information made be signified to his Sp: with
all convenient Sp:ed.

Signed for the Lord Prop: and Council

Saturday the 23rd of April 1681. Day next
appointed for Council

Saturday the 23rd of April 1681 being the Day appointed
for Council the Lord Prop: and Council ordered the same
to be adjourned till Monday the 25th instant

The Council held at St. Mariers the 26th Day of April Anno
Dom: 1681.

The Rt Hon: the Lord Prop:

Philip Calvert Esq. (Cancels)
Wm Calvert Esq. Secy
Edw. Benj. Rorer
Gold Henry Darvall

Sheweth to this Board an address made to his Sp: by several
Inhabitants of Kent County against Humphry Ellis Esq. and Gold Henry
Darvall

May it please your Sp:

We the Inhabitants of Langfords Bay in Kent County having
undergone the vast mischief trouble and Damage that is have suffered
by one Ellis Humphry Esq. late of Langfords Bay resident in your Sp:
County of Kent by his killing of our flocks of hogs and disturbing of
our flocks of Cattle and continuing menacing threatening of the poor
Inhabitants of this hundred to burn their houses and waste their goods
so that many of us were weary of our habitations and others forced by
him