

Taken under Consideration the Case and Condition of William
 Burley and George Mason Prisoners convict and under Sentence of Con-
 demnation for the Murther of Mr. John Payne late their Majesties
 Collector for Patuxent District; Resolved that their Execution be yet
 further suspended and deferred, until Major Nicholas Jewall shall be
 first brought to his Tryal or Examination, and both presented to their
 Majesties to know their Pleasure therein.

And as to one other Prisoner named Lewis a Mulatto convict
 for breaking open a House Chest &c and stealing from thence several
 Goods &c for which he also lyes under a Sentence of Death, Resolved
 also that his Execution be at present suspended and referred to further
 Consideration, until such Time as the Attorney General may have
 Thoroughly perused and considered the Indictments and other Proceps
 against him, as by this Board he is commanded to do, and make
 Report thereof so soon as conveniently may be

At a Council held as before April the 6th
 Anno Domini 1692

Present as before
 together with Thomas Brooke Esq. One Other of their
 Majesties Council nominated and appointed
 The Oath appointed by Act of Parliament as also that of a Privy
 Councillor to their Majesties within this Province were in due
 form administered unto and taken by the said Thomas Brooke
 Esq. and he took his Place at the Board accordingly

At a Council held at the City of S. Marys
 the eighth Day of April 1692

Present
 His Excellency the Governor
 The Honble } Col. Henry Bowles } Capt. John Addison }
 Capt. Neh. Blakiston } Capt. John South }
 Thomas Fench Esq. } Thomas Brooke Esq. } Council