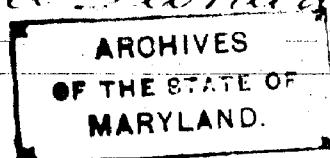


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them with power to furnish the same according to the laws
of England or this Province pursuant to the aforementioned
Articles of Peace which Commission to remain to be in force
during pleasure.

Ordered that the Attorney Gen^tl with all expedition
Inquire & pursue the late Governor's Commission of Vice Ward
-or of this Province & make Report of the place & Nature
of the said Commission to the Hon^{ble} the President to the
End of he see it necessary & require a Commission may
forthwith be prepared pursuant to the same for the Trial of
a certain Ship taken at Sea by one Captain Steele & by him
likely brought into this Province and that a former Order of
the Board of the 11th of June instant relating to the same
be null & void the 12th day of July next being the time ap-
pointed for the said Trial at Benedict Seaport Town in Cal-
vert County



Upon representation of some Gentlemen of the Council to
the Hon^{ble} the President that there is an apparent & absolute
Necessity for the immediate appointing Electing New Sh^{riff}s
in Compliances to the Act of Assembly of this Province
for want of which it being alledged that great Complaints
are likely to be made & offered from all parts of the Province
Resolved & Ordered thereupon that the Council meet & sit
upon the day & place last aforesaid mentioned in Order to elect
Sh^{riff}s accordingly

Read a Letter sent from the Justices of Calvert County the
Copy whereof followed in these Words viz.

To the Honourable Mr. Thomas Lawrence Burnet
(President of their Majestys Council of State in Maryland)
together with the rest of the Hon^{ble} Members of the same
Council

We the their Majestys Justices of Calvert County in Obedience
to their Majestys Commission & Faithfulness to their ser-
vise for doing the several Business depending in the said