

The 14<sup>th</sup> of June instant relating to the same to hold and  
hold: the 12<sup>th</sup> day of July next being the time appointed  
for the said Inquest, at Bonduict Leonard Town in  
Talbot County:

Officers Election  
Ordered 12<sup>th</sup> of  
July next &c:

Whereas of some Gentlemen of the Council to the Hon<sup>ble</sup>: the Pr<sup>ince</sup>:  
Upon Representation, that there is an Apparent and  
absolut<sup>e</sup> Necessity for the immediate appointing & Electing  
New Sheriffs, in compliance to the Act of Assembly of  
this Province: for want of which it being alleged 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 in Order to Elect Sheriffs accordingly.

Talbot County  
Officers Letter

Read a Letter sent from the Justices of Talbot County  
the Contents whereof followed in these Words, Viz:  
To the Hon<sup>ble</sup>: Sir Thomas Laurence Baront  
President of their Most Excellent Council of State in  
Maryland together with the rest of the hon<sup>ble</sup>:  
Members of the same Council.

Wee their Most Excellent Justices of Talbot County in full  
Obedience to their Most Excellent Commission & faithfullness to their  
Service for doing the severall Business depending in  
the said County Court as it is attested upon the same  
But calling to Remembrance that the last Commission to  
M<sup>r</sup>: Niman Beale Sheriff of this County expired on  
the last April, and upon Inquiry finding that he hath  
not obtained any further Commission for the same Office  
from