

91 Giving power to authorize and empower you in order aforesaid
except thereof to call together four or more Commissioners of your County
with the Clerk who are already required to sit as a Court and during
sitting by virtue of your Office to make or cause to be made public
proclamation thereof giving notice to all the freemen of your said County
who have within your said County a freehold of fifty acres of Land or
whose estate of forty pounds hold at the least requiring them to appear
at the next County Court to be holden for your County at a certain day within
a reasonable time after such proclamation made for electing and choos-
ing of Deputy and Delegates to serve for your County in a general assembly
to be holden at the port of Amoy on the day of at which
time of proclamation aforesaid the said freemen required to appear or
the major part of such of them as shall then appear shall and may and are
lawfully authorized and required to elect and choose four Barons and
sufficient freemen of your County each of them having a freehold of fifty
acres of Land or whose estate of forty pounds hold at the least within your
County and you shall give to each of them severally and respectively
by their several and respective indentures under their hands and seals
to be Deputy and Delegates for your County at the said next general as-
sembly to do and consent to those things which shall then by the favour of
God shall happen to be ordain'd by the advice and consent of the great
Council of this province concerning such occasions and Affairs as shall
relate to the Government State and defence of this province but we
will not in any case that you or any other Sheriff in your said province
be bound. Which said indentures shall be between you the said Sheriff
of the one part and the said freemen electing of the other part and shall be
made the same day upon which the said election shall be made and be
upon such election you the said Sheriff shall so soon as convenient
Certify and transmit to the Chancellor of this province for the time being
one part of the said several and respective indentures by your
hand and seals and direct the other part of the said indentures
also to the Chancellor and the other part of the said indentures
to keep for your justification Witness our trusty and well beloved