

their Majesties, as also to appoint Warrants to take up the same in which also we submit to their Majestys Pleasure. —

5 July As to the Demand of all Bills, Bonds, Records and other writings to his Lordships Land belonging, this house say that all Bonds & Bills given for Warrants to take up Land, where the parties have taken up Land thereupon ought to be Delivered up to his Lordships but where they have executed the said Warrants returned a Certificate of the same, they ought not to be Delivered till the Parties receive the Benefit of the same, and as to the Records relating to Land taken up under his Lordship they say that they conceive their Majestys Subjects title to such Lands and are the only Evidence for the same, and ought not to be entrusted or be in the Custody of any but his Majesties Secretary therewith Commissionated and Lodged in his Office to which his Lordships Officers and all his Majesties Subjects have free Access

Signed J. Order Hen: Denton C. Assembly —

To which this Board also signified their Concurrence as follows Viz: And Ordered that a Copy be sent Coll Darnall —

By his Excellency the Governor and Council in Assembly

May the 27th 1692.

The foregoing is a true Copy of the Opinion of the house of Assembly concerning Coll Darnalls Demand, and as such is the full and finall Answer both of this Board and the said house to the said Darnalls Petition or request. —

Signed J. Order Verwellin Ck.

The Act for the Service of Almighty God & Indorsed May the 27th 1692 read Second time read here Second time

An Act for Advancement of Coyne Indorsed May 27th 1692 read 1. time read here 1. time same Doctor Brooke and Mr. Emalls from the house with the following Mess: age which they present Viz: —

By the house of Assembly May the 27th 1692.

This house does desire your Excellency will be pleased to Impart the Opinion of this house in Relation to Coll Darnalls Petition, to the said Darnall according to his Demands which they do Imagine may be a means to incite him to produce what further Instructions he has from his Lordship as likewise the Books of Entries —

Signed J. Order Henry Denton C. Assembly.

Already Ordered — Another Message from the house by Doctor Brooke Viz:

By the house of Assembly May the 27th 1692

The house having now received, Mr. James Wroth, Mr. Thomas Sheakstone & Mr. Robert Cook Burgeses elected to serve for Cecil County, in the Room of Coll Cad, Mr. Warner, & Mr. Darnall as appears by Indenture under the hands and Seals of the Sheriff Several, Jarmer of that County out of his Majestys high Court of Chancery hither remitted, do therefore now send them to your Honours to be Sworne: —

Signed J. Order Hen: Denton C. Assembly.

Accordingly the Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy were Administered to the aforementioned three Burgeses —

Brought hither by Captain Mitchell & Mr. Emalls Several Bills are the last from the house, desire if there be any Bills here they may be u...