

Lib. R. R. R. Act for Encouragem<sup>t</sup> of makeing Cloth &c. when takes place.

The Act for Encouragem<sup>t</sup> of makeing Linnen and woollen Cloth was amongst others signed and published by his L<sup>sp</sup>: in manner aforesaid on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 1682: and from thence it is to take place

Maj<sup>r</sup> Taillour mocōn conc: the president of the Court of Dor:

Majo<sup>r</sup> Thomas Taylor of Dorchester County humbly mooves the board that whereas in the last Commission issued for holding of Courts in the said County he is thereby made President of the said Court, to the grieffe and disquiect of some  
p. 249 others in the said Com<sup>on</sup> named who (dureing the time he the s<sup>d</sup> Taylor was Sheriff of the said County) have presided in the said Court, and may take offence to be degraded.

Com<sup>r</sup> being made Sher. noe cause to degrade him when he  
ret. to the Com<sup>on</sup>

It is the opinion of the board and by their hono<sup>rs</sup> resolved that the said Taylor (before his sheriffaldry) haveing been in the said Comm<sup>on</sup> above and before any of the rest therein nominated, ought soe to remaine, and that his being from thence remooved to be sheriff and consequently to have the Command and charge of the whole County was not to degrade him, but onely a suspension of his acting by the said Com<sup>on</sup> as a Justice in Court and therefore that he be reduced to his former station of presideing in that Court, according to the s<sup>d</sup> last Com<sup>on</sup>

#### Addition to Dorchester County Comission

At the motion and request of the said Maj<sup>r</sup> Taillor, It was ordered that Jacob Lookeman, John Woodward, and John Hudson of Dorchester County be added to the Com<sup>on</sup> of the said County, and accordingly their name, were this day in Councill Interlined in the said Commission last issued next to Edward Pindar therein before last nominated.

Rob<sup>t</sup> Doyne motion conc: Townes in Cha: County.

Robert Doyne of Charles County gentl and high sher. of the s<sup>d</sup> County informes the board that some of the Townes and Ports of trade appointed in the s<sup>d</sup> County by the Act for Encouragem<sup>t</sup> of trade were not fully finished by reason that the Com<sup>rs</sup> in the s<sup>d</sup> Act nominated to manage the same