

Friday the 7th May 1669 Present as before

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The Chancellour informs the House that the Indian Murderer of Cap^t Odber by name Anatchcom alias Wianamon was brought Prisoner last night to S^t Marys and withal tendered this following Letter from the Lieutenant General to the Upper House

Gentlemen—

You have here sent you the Indian that murdered Cap^t Odber it is that Rogue that Caused our late Troubles Ababcos Indians have brought him by order from their King Ababco M^r Henry Coursey knows the Indian & does assure me that this is the Fellow that shott the said Odber and a little Indian that I have declares that this same Indian killed one other Englishman in her sight, I do hereby order that this Murderer be Executed at S^t Mary's to Morrow & that You move the Lower House to gratify the said Ababco for his good Service which will Encourage the rest of our Friend Indians to do us the like Service, The Indians that go along with the Prisoner are some of Ababco's Council

I am your affectionate Friend

6^t. May 1669

and Servants

Charles Calvert

The names of the 4 men that Guarded the Indian from the Eastern Shore George Hogg Humphrey Jenings Jn^o Stephens Tho^s Flower

Ordered that George Hogg have 300^{lb} tob^o & the rest 200^{lb} apiece

The Prisoner being demanded his name answered It was Anatchcom a Wiccomis Indian

Being demanded where the rest of the Wiccomisses lived He answered that they lived a small days Journey from the head of Nanticoke River

He Confessed he was the only Wiccomis that went to Delaware

He Confessed that it was his Wife that was killed at the house of W^m Hemsley in Talbot County

He Confesses he was in Company with them that killed Cap^t Odber but denyes that he is the Man that killed him but is in diverse storeys Concerning the manner of the Murder

Wimacapona testified that the Prisoner here present killed p. 165
Captain Odber

Ordered that the said Wianamon be shott to death here at S^t Mary's sometime before three of the Clock this Afternoon

In answer to the last Resolve Sent last night from the Lower House touching the Supplemental Act &c this House hath