

Which was held the 20th day of September
at the City of London the 20 day of September
in the sixth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lady
King William and Queen Mary following
Monday

Present

His Excellency Francis Nicholson Esq^r

Sir Thomas Lawrence Baronet Secretary }
Col David Browne }
Col Henry Jones }
Col George Potothorn }
Col Nicholas Greenberry } Thomas Brooke Esq^r

Appeared also the Honble Col Charles Hutchinson of their Majestys
Council Appointed who had Administred unto him the Oaths Appointed
by Act of Parliament instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy as
likewise the Oath of Councilor as also subscribed to the Test not being afore
sworn

Petition of the Major part of the Freeholders and Free-men of Kent
County on behalf of Mr William Harris and Mr Thomas Pennington
Mr Hans Hanson and Mr Thomas Smith who they alledge are illegally
Chosen and returned to serve as Delegates for the said County in the Room
and stead of the said Harris and Pennington the said Petition being subscribed
to by 52 Persons Ordered that the said Petition be referred to the House of
Assembly to be inquired into and Redressed according as they shall find
the Truth of the matter to appear

Sent the 22^d of September 1691

Indentures of the Election of Wm Jeffery returned according
to Act of Assembly viz four for every County and two for the City of Saint
Maries Ordered that the same be delivered to the Honble Col Henry Jones
Keeper of the Seal

His Honour Captain John Coutra appears at the Bar

Indentures already returned viz

Dorchester County } Kent County } Saint Marys County }
Charles County } Somerset County } Culbert County }
Baltimore County } Talbot County }

His Excellency proposing to the Board of the said
a Clerk for the House of Burgesses he was desired to
about the same time by some of the said Board
did Appoint them a Clerk at that time his Excellency
desire them to inquire and advise who might be fit to serve