

would bring Maryland and the Government of Virginia, this D^y.
 made answer that it would be well for the said Allen to govern
 his tongue now he was on shore, for although he had people
 on board, he must not speak words for on shore, upon w^{ch} discourse
 Allen became ^{very} friendly and kind in all Offices of kindness to me,
 and further saith not
 Jural. coram Juncid B^o. Di.
 Dec: m^o. 1684
 Jnt. Underwood

Thomas Jones
 D^y. com.
 Capt. Allen

Thomas Jones of Annapolis County in the Province of Maryland D^y.
 aged three and forty years or thereabouts upon oath examined
 saith and Depoeth as fo^lloweth
 That the thirtieth day of October last past he the Depoent being in a
 small Skallop of his own in the Bay of Chesapeake went against the
 house of Mr. Thomas Courtney, and within the bounds of the Province
 of Maryland, there came on board him a boat belonging to a Man
 of Warr Kitch Capt. Thomas Allen Command. (as he saith since been
 informed) and commanded him the D^y. on board the said Kitch
 where he pleaded that he had no person on board him that could
 flood the Skallop, but if they would have on in his room that
 could do that, he would go along with them, whereupon they put a
 man on board the Skallop, and he the D^y. went along with the man
 of Warr boat, and when he came on board the Kitch, the Command.
 examined him who he was, from whence he came, and what he had
 on board; of all which the D^y. having given him a full Ac^t.
 he desired w^{ch} desired, but the Command. Dr. said to let him go,
 and told him he must go along with him, and pilot him to Cottap^{er};
 Soon after they spied a Shipp in the Bay, and the Man of Warr
 Kitch made up towards her, and the D^y. again moored the Command. to
 disperse him, but he would not b^earken to them. when they came pretty near
 to the Shipp, the Command. of the Kitch perceiving she would not strike
 to him, ordered his Gunns to fire at him with a shot, which was accordingly
 done, and the Man of Warr boat sent for to bring a board the Master,
 who when he came the Capt. examined him concerning the freedom of
 the Shipp and Dockets, whereof the Master gave what Ac^t. he could,
 and when they came into Cottap^{er} River, the Kitch passed by very
 near a Shipp lying at Anchor in the said River of Cottap^{er}, the Mast
 whereof he the said Capt. Allen commanded on board his Kitch, the
 man on board the Shipp made answer that their Master was gone a shore,
 the Capt. replied, let him come on board or it should be worse for
 him