

pass to Establish such Office his Exc<sup>ty</sup> & this Board do  
engage to take all the Effectual care imaginable for the  
more ready passage of the posts too & fro

Advised & resolved that the Assembly appointed to sit  
the 20<sup>th</sup> Instant be further prorogued to the 20<sup>th</sup> July next &  
Ordered that Proclamation accordingly issue

Produced and ordered to be read a rough Draught of a  
Letter ordered to be writ to Mr Edmund Andrews Gov<sup>r</sup> of  
Virginia which was accordingly read approved of & Or-  
dered to be fairly transcribed

Produced & Ordered to be read a petition preferred by John  
Curry to the Provincial Court & by them referred to his  
Excellency the Gov<sup>r</sup> being as follows viz

To the honorable Provincial Court now sitting

The humble Petition of John Curry

humbly sheweth

That forasmuch as your Honours Pet<sup>r</sup>  
being Summoned to the last Provincial Court as an evi-  
dence against one Daniel Fox who was committed upon  
Suspicion of robbing a Store in Calvert County & your  
Honours poor pet<sup>r</sup> being at that time in a **bad**..... Con-  
dition to leave his habitation for that his Children being  
very young & tender & wife dangerously sick & like to  
Dye then Live notwithstanding your Honours petitioners not  
regarding the aforesaid reasons or hinderances did accor-  
ding to his precept make his appearance at the said Court  
where he himself & some others did petition the honorable  
Court for a dispatch for the foregoing Reasons which was  
granted in order to your Honours petitioners being called  
Sworn & sent to from the Bar to the Grand Jury &  
by them examined which was only a relation by hearsay