

His Excellency says he is very sorry to hear it in  
 several respects but especially of his Function & will  
 take care to have him brought to London / sumestomere  
 and therefore ordered that a warrant issue to the Sheriff  
 of Middlesex County to take the said Mr. Sumner into  
 his custody & bring him before his Excellency the  
 next day & that he should be brought with all convenient speed which  
 was accordingly done

His Excellency is pleased to propose to the Gent<sup>l</sup>  
 present that whereas he understands Mr. Philip Clark  
 of 1<sup>st</sup> Marys County does endeavour to make what  
 interest he is able with the members of the house of De-  
 legates to procure his enlargement whether it may not  
 be necessary in order to obviate such his endeavours  
 present the house running into heats before  
 they are thoroughly sensible of his misdemeanors that  
 he be kept at the last & next Court together with the De-  
 puties & depending thereon be laid before them upon  
 their meeting

They read their Lordships Letter of the 21<sup>st</sup> of March  
 1658 which together with the enclosed Act of Assembly  
 made in pursuance for suppressing of Privateers, Pirates  
 & Sea Robbers is ordered to be laid before the house of  
 Delegates & that it be recommended to them to Enact  
 such a Statute

His Excellency is pleased to say that whereas  
 George & Alan Esq<sup>r</sup> his Majesty's Attorney General of this  
 Province has made application to him to be dismissed  
 from acting as his Majesty's Attorney Gen<sup>l</sup> of this