S Became sheriff before or during the indicated session or convention of the Assembly

SW Special writ, or personal summons, issued by the governor for attendance at the Assembly

TEV Total estate value. The value of a legislator's personal property at death

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1The term "Convention" is also used as a heading within the session lists. A convention of the Assembly should not be confused with the de facto governing bodies of the colony, also called Conventions, that existed during the Glorious Revolution and again in the two years immediately prior to the adoption of Maryland's first state Constitution. A convention of the Assembly is a term applied to those meetings of the Assmbly that passed no legislation and that ended prematurely because of some extraordinary event or an impasse in the proceedings. The Assembly itself first used the term to describe the meeting held between March 19, 1735/36 and April 10, 1726.