

Lib. X. fraying the publick Charge of the Province and that due Notice be given to the severall members of the Council & house of Delegates to convene themselves at the Town & Port of Annapolis in Ann Arundell County upon the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Oct<sup>r</sup> next ensuing

As to what his Excellency Coll<sup>o</sup> Blakiston is pleased to mention about the Act of Assembly for the Establishment of religion worship in this Province &c<sup>a</sup> This Board have received her Majestys most Gracious Assent to that Law

This Board have a grateful Sence of his said Exc<sup>ys</sup> Carefull and Diligent endeavours to serve this Province in the Affair of our Land Law

Lastly as to what his said Excellency has been pleased to communicate to the Board relating to the honble Thomas p. 338 Tench Esq<sup>r</sup> President now present at the Board concerning the Revenue allotted to her Majestys Governor here the said Honble President does acknowledge that he was misinformed by M<sup>r</sup> Randolph & others but that he is well Satisfied with the moiety as it was settled by his Ex<sup>y</sup> when here and will write to his Exc<sup>y</sup> Col<sup>o</sup> Blakiston

His Honour the President says he will give notice to the severall Collectors & Naval Officers of the time when prefixed for the Sayling of the present Convoys

In the mean time it is ordered that the severall Collectors & naval Officers Clear all such Ships as can be got ready to Join the present Convoy at Kiquotan in Virginia but none after the Departure of that Convoy without further Orders

Upon application of S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Lawrence Bar<sup>t</sup> that whereas M<sup>r</sup> Jacob Lockerman Juniors sheriffs Bond for Dorchester County anno 1701 had been ordered to William Bladen &c<sup>a</sup> who had prosecuted it to Judgment he also having a claim against the said Sheriff pray'd Leave that he might apply to the provincial Court upon that Bond & Judgment which is Granted

The honble president is pleased to ask the Board if any of them have any thing further to Offer for her Maj<sup>stys</sup> Service who say not

At a Council held at West River in Ann Arundel County the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August in the Second Year of her Majestys Rcign &c<sup>a</sup> Annoq Dni 1703

Present

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The honble Tho Tench Esq<sup>r</sup> President

the Honble { Colonel John Hammond  
Lieu<sup>t</sup> Col<sup>o</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Holland  
James Sanders Esq<sup>r</sup> }