

Letter Bk. IV write to His Ldp the 29th ult I intimated to him what M^r Dulany M^r Jordan & I had done or were doing under the Commission he had been pleased to send us; Col^o Lloyds Clerks who had made up his Agents Accounts attended us a Day or two afterwards with some Books & Papers which we set about to examine but could not go through by reason that M^r Jordan was obliged to go down with his Ship to Virginia whence he is not yet returned & M^r Dulany was on the 4th Inst taken so ill at one of our Meetings that he was obliged to break off & indeed for several Days afterwards was confined to his House, we shall however as soon as M^r Jordan comes back proceed in the Examination & I hope go through with it without any farther Interruption. I am &c.

Original.

[Capt. Brown to Sharpe.]

Hawke, at Annapolis 16th June 1766

Sir.

The Honble Cap^t S^t John of His Majesties Ship Guarland, having directed me by Order of the 7th Ins^t to make Application to your Excell^y to receive on shore the Stamp Papers, from His Maj^s Sloop under my Command, she being order'd to New York on immediate Service, I beg you will be pleased to let me know where, and when it will be proper to Land them

I am

Sir

Your Excell^{ys}Most Obed^t hble. Serv^tJⁿ BrownCap^t of the Sloop of War Hawke

To his Excellency Governor of Maryland

Horatio Sharpe Esq^r

Letter Bk. III

[Sharpe to Conway.]

To General Conway.

Annapolis June 27. 1766

Sir

Having lately had the satisfaction to receive the Letter you were pleased to favour me with the 31st of March last inclosing Copies of the Two Acts of Parliament which had then passed One for securing the just Dependency of the Colonies on the Mother Country the other for the Repeal of the Act granting certain Stamp Duties in America I now do Myself the honour to acknowledge my Receipt thereof & also of the Copy therewith transmitted of the Resolutions of the House of Commons which together with your Letter I shall lay before the Assembly of this Province as soon as they meet which how-