

Lib. R. Wherefore his L^{spp} doth think it better for the Pascattoways and Mattawomans to remooove with their wives and Children to Nantecoke for some time till the Virginians doe see that the Sinniquos doe murd^r their people, and that we may have time to procure them a firme peace with the Sinniquos & Susquesahannoghs

And his L^{spp}: doth expect to have timely notice from the Empero^r of his Resolution to remooove to Nantecoke that he may provide Sloopes. Signed p ord^r

JLI. Cl. Consil.

James Smallwood was also at the same time appointed Post for Charles County according to the following ord^r (viz:)

By the Lord Prop^{ty} & Council

Ordered that a Post be appointed in Charles County for conveyance of all publick Intelligence from thence to his L^{spp}: and his Council and that James Smallwood of the same County be and he is hereby authorised and empowered to Officiate the same upon such reasonable Sallary, as at the Discretion of his s^d L^{spp}: and Council shall be allowed of, dureing his L^{spps} pleasure. Signed p ord^r

JLI. Cl. Consil.

A Letter was likewise writt to Capt. Brandt from his L^{spp}: for Cover to the foregoeing ord^r of Council concerning the Piss: Indians, being as foll viz.

p. 116 Cap^t Brandt

Yo^{rs} of yesterdays Date have recd: conteyneing the Pascattoway Indians answer to the last ord^r sent y^m w^{ch} hath been duely weighed and I now send you another ord^r of Council relateing to them w^{ch} you are by M^r John Stone of your County (already appointed to assist you as Interpreter) to communicate both to the Mattawoman and Pascattoway Indians, James Smallwood is appointed Post for yo^r County for Conveyance of all publick Intelligence from thence, whom you are upon all such occasions to make vse of.

This from

Yo^r Loving ffriend
C: B:

Richard Broughton of Calvert County having solicited his L^{spp} for license to keepe a fferry in Pottuxen River it was thought necessary and convenient for conveyance of publick messeng^{rs} over Pottuxen River and the Ease & benefitt of the Inhabitants having occasion aboard Shipps and over the said River that a Post be kept at Ashcombes plantation according