

Lib. R. R. R. constitute and appoint under you all such other offices as you shall think requisitt and convenient for his L^{sps} Service on board the s^d Yacht or Vessell.

I Doe hereby further Empower you to weare at the Top mast head of the said Yacht or Vessell his L^{sps} Standard untill such tyme as you shall receive further ord^{rs} from me or from my Self and his L^{sps} Councill to the Contrary.

And further you are to observe follow and obey all such further orders Rules and Directions as you shall from time to time receive from my self or from myself and his L^{sps} Councill.

And all people of what degree or quality soever either within or wthout this Province are hereby desired to take notice of this your power conferred on you.

And I hereby strictly will and command all the good people of this Province to aid and assist you in the due Execution of this your power hereby given you, as is meete, and as they will answer the contrary at their utmost perill.

p. 57 Given under my hand and his L^{sps} Seale at Armes this Eighth day of November in the first yeare of his L^{sps} Dominion over this Province Annoq Dmi. 1676:

On the back of the foregoeing Instructions &c^a was thus endorsed (viz)

Whereas in the second Article of the Instructions within, you seeme to be confined onely to Pottomock River ; You are hereby authorised and empowered (if att any time you shall see it absolutely necessary, and for his L^{spps} service, for the discovery or in pursuite of any Enemy to his L^{sp}: or this his Governm^t and the good people thereof) to saile with your s^d Yacht or Vessell to any part of this Province in his L^{sps} Dominions, and to prosecute the ord^{rs} & Instruction before Given you.

Given as before the day and yeare within written.

At a Councill held at the City of S^t Maries the 27th Day of ffebruary in the ninth yeare of the Dominion of the R^t hon^{ble} Charles &c. Annoq Dmi. 1683.

The L^d Prop^{ry} Coll. W^m Digges. Maj. Nich. Sewall M^r John Darnall Present.

His L^{sps} acquaints the board that he was credibly informed that the severall Commission^{rs} in the Act for Advancem^t of Trade named and appointed to lay out the severall Townes and ports of Trade within their severall Counties in the said