Lib. H. D. from S<sup>r</sup> Edmond Andros by M<sup>r</sup> Sherlock Clerk of the Councill of Virginia, intimating that S<sup>r</sup> Edmond was speedily coming over with a Commission to Enter vpon this Governm<sup>t</sup> vpon the death of Governour Copley they deferred the said Conference And vpon his Arrivall which was the 25<sup>th</sup> following he produceing their Ma<sup>ts</sup> Commission they willingly and readily submitted to the same

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Present to the 22<sup>d</sup> of September and John Courts
Agreed to the s<sup>d</sup> Conference Tho: Brooke

That as to the second part of his Ex<sup>ncies</sup> Demands, severall Justices & Commission<sup>rs</sup> of the Provinciall Court living at some distance from the City of S<sup>t</sup> Maries were on their Voyage & Journey in Order to be at the said Court the first day of the session thereof but by Extremity and stress of Weather, there did not come a sufficient Number of Justices to Enter vpon Business yet enough to Adjourn the Court according to the Law of the Countrey; the next day there appearing a full Bench.

I was upon my voyage

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His Excellency Representing to the Board that one Governors Representa-Doctor Payne in England had set forth and signified tion about to him how that he the said Doctor Payne had Doctor Payne been a person very instrumentall in Solliciting and Carryeing on the Affairs of this Province in the time of the late Revolution and to the said End & purpose kept a frequent p. 45 correspondence with the Chief Men then in Government His Ex<sup>ncy</sup> was desirous to know if there were any Gentlemen here present that had been privy to such Matters, to which they severally Replyed, they were ignorant of any such thing, but supposed that Mr Cheseldyn & Capt Cood could give his Exncy the best satisfaction therein and therevpon Ordered that the said Mr Cheseldyn & Capt Cood be sent for to Attend this Board on Munday next to know what they can say in the premises.