

care that the Sureties therein named be persons of sufficiency and Value and inhabitants on the place, And also to Endeavour to discover whether the Conditions of the said Bonds be performed and Certificates thereof produced, And on failure thereof that they be prosecuted And for this End if any ship or Vessell which hath Given such Bond shall happen to arrive again in Maryland you are to take care that Demand be made of the Master of a Certificate of such ships having discharged her former Lading according to such Bond, And if he produce no such Certificate within a convenient time that such Bond be put in process without further delay And in all Cases where Bond hath been given to the Governour as afores^d if you can discover and make prooffe that the ship or Vessell hath discharged her Lading contrary to her Bond such ship or vessel is to be put in process, And if a Certificate be produced you are Enjoynd strictly to Examine the same

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Custom house London

15th Aprill
Exam^r

J Butler D North J Buckworth

W Dickinson J Chudleigh

Mr Plater, George Plater, George Layfield & Philip Clarke
Mr Layfield sworn Deputy Notaries vnder the hono^{ble} Sr Thomas
& Mr Clarke Laurence Baronet Secretary for Petuxant, Potomock
Sworn and Somerset County Districts.
Depty No-
taries vnder
Sr Tho:
Laurence
Secry

Mr Brisco Mr Thomas Brisco Came into Councill who
constituted Received his Comission for Navall Officer of Petux-
Navall Of- ant River, his Ex^{ncy} signifying in Councill that all
ficer for ships going vp that River or the Bay shall Enter and
Petuxant Cleare with the said Brisco, except such as go
District & ca directly to Ann Arrundell Town, Oxford Town & Cæcill
County; Officers being there already Appointed

Mr Mus- Came Mr George Muschamp and produced to the
champ pro- Board a certain Letter of the 7th of March 1693 from
duces Com- the Hono^{ble} the Comission^{rs} of the Custom house,
mission^{rs} London, Directed to his Ex^{ncy} ffrancis Nicholson
Deputacon Esq^r & c^a whereby was signified, that pursuant to
for Collec- the directions of the R^t Hono^{ble} the Lords Commis-
torship of sioners of their Ma^{ts} Treasury they had issued their
Potomock Deputacōn to the said Muschamp to be Collector & c^a at
& c^a Wiciocomoco & Potomock Rivers in Maryland, who accord-
ingly likewise produced the said Deputacon vnder the hands
& Seal of the said Commission^{rs} Given at the Custom house
London the 14^d day of febr^{ry} A^o 169³