

to his Duty therein; and considering that none of the Gentlemen of his Ma^{ts} hon^{ble} Council are as yet Come to Town except Coll: John Addison it is therefore Ordered that the s^d Coll: Addison be Appointed to Act hâc vice in the s^d Coll: Jowles stead: and that a Commission be prepared accordingly.

Lib. H. D.
Whitehall

December the 10th 1696.

The Councill again Sate and were p^sent

His Ex^{ncy} ffrancis Nicholson Esq Cap^t Gen^{ll} &^{ca}

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S^r Thomas Laurence Barron^t Secretary

The hon^{ble} } Thomas Tench Esq
 } Coll: John Addison

Ordr abt the two Men and Officer to Continue at the Garrison till furth Ordr Ordered that the two Men and Officer aded to the Party of Rangers in Potomock last July be Continued at the Garrison untill further Ord^r it being Deemed for his Ma^{ts} & Countreys Service, and that they Remain there together all Winter—p^suant to former Command, his Ex^{ncy} being pleased to p^sent them with Ten dollars to drink the Kings Health, by the hands of the hon^{ble} Coll: John Addison.

December the 11th 1696.

The Councill again Sate & were present as before.

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Govr New Yorks Lre to be Entred in the Councill Bo: Produced & Read a Letter from his Ex^{ncy} the Govern^r of New York giving an Acco^t of the News in those parts in relac^on to the ffrrench and Canida Indians.

Ordered that the same be Entered in the Council Book; But as to any Answer thereto it is imagin'd there is none Required.

Whitehall

Govr of Virga Lre produced by Mr Plater &^{ca} Produced by George Plater Esq (his Ma^{ts} Receiver Gen^{ll}) unto the Board, a Letter by him Rec^d from his Ex^{ncy} S^r Edmund Andros Gov^r of Virg^a Dated the 8th of October past in relac^on to some Money Ordered to him the s^d M^r Plater Signifying that he had Rec^d Bills to the Value of 300^{ll} Ster. being part of the 500^l taken by the s^d S^r Edmund from this Governm^t in the absence of his Ex^{ncy}.

Ordr abt Bills remitted for England &^{ca} Ordered that the s^d Bills be by him Remitted for England to be lodged in the hands of M^r Micajah Perry Merch^t in London to be Appropriated to the Vses as the Assembly have desired & humbly Supplicated his Ma^{ty} for.

Whitehall