

Lib. H. D. Commission^{rs} of the s^d Counties to take Care good Security is Given pursuant to the directions of the late Act of Assembly in that behalfe.

Mr Plater makes Oath to severall Lists of Ships & of persons Names ag^t whom his Maty has obtain'd Judgment

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Came George Plater Esq Coll^r &^c of Petuxant District and his Ma^{ts} Attorney Gen^l of this Province and made Oath to Severall lists of Ships and lists of persons Names ag^t whom Judgment have been Obtain'd for his Ma^{ty} upon Navigacōn Bonds and of such as are now in Suite &^{ca}

His Ex^{ncy} is pleas'd to Demānd of the Board if they have any thing further to Offer at p^rsent who Say they hav not.

By his Ex^{ncy} the Govern^r &^{ca} June 15th 1697.

ffield Officers Order'd to View & change the publick powdr & get the Arms fixt &c :

Ordered that the ffield Officers take Care to View the Publick Powder belonging to the respective Counties and see that it be Conveniently placed and what cannot be sold this Year that Care be taken the same may be changed, and the Tob^o Leavyed this ffall to make up the loss pursuant to the Ordinance of last Assembly herewith sent. It being Imagin'd that if the Same should not be changed this Year it will be totally Spoyled, and lost to the Countrey And it is hereby further Ordered that the Severall Arms be put out to be ffixt and that they also be conveniently placed and well kept pursuant to the s^d Ordinance.

Signed p Ord^r Hen : Denton Cl Concil

Harwick Point Comfort June 4 1697

Capt Douglass L^{re} to his Ex^{ncy} about his Arrivall

Hon^d Sir

These Advises of my Arrivall with another Man of Warr & some Merchant Ships in this Port on the 2 : instant in ten weeks passage from Portsmouth there being a small Pacquitt and 5 other Letters Committed to my Care Directed for you have for the more Speedy Conveyance thereof delivered them to M^r W^m Edwards Merch^t in James Town who will forward them by an Express I being only to Continue in this Colony 30 days and no longer and then to Return home again with what merchant Ships is Ready to Joyn me in that time Desiring th^t if there be any in yo^r Colony that is or may be ready to Sail with me at the Expiration of my limited time th^t they may have Notice to repair