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At a Council met and held at the Port of Annapolis the 12th day of October in the ninth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord King William the third &^{ca} Annoq Dom. 1697

Present

His Exn^{cy} ffran: Nicholson Esq^r Cap^t Gen^{ril} &^{ca}
S^r Thom^s Laurence Baron^{tt} Sec^{ry}
Coll: Henry Jowles
Coll: Nich^o Greenberry
Thom^s Tench Esq^r

Ordered that a certain returne made from the Justices of Calvert County Court here produced & read (in relation to a late Ord of his Exney passed for suspending & debarring M Iam Cranford from practiceing as an Attorney in any of the Courts within this Province or undertaking any new causes within the same) be referred to the Kings Lawyers for them to make report whether the sd Return be not contempt to his Exneys said Ord in refusing to yield obedience thereto; and whether it be not the Kings prerogative to dismiss or suspend any persons from practiceing the Law as he thinks fitt. And lastly that they make report what course is best to be taken agt the Justices for such their returne.

Their Report follows Vizt