

Lib. H. D. Islands adjacent a Commission by him granted to M<sup>r</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Wyvill thereby constituting him to be Riding Surveyor for the two Rivers of Bohemia & Sassafras in Cecill County, and on the heads of all other Rivers on the Eastern Shore, Dated 24<sup>th</sup> of Decem<sup>r</sup> instant w<sup>ch</sup> was read and approved off.

The said M<sup>r</sup> Wyvill appears & tenders Major Edw<sup>d</sup> Dorsey & M<sup>r</sup> Charles Carroll as security for the faithfull and due discharge of his said Office And a Bond being prepared accordingly, was signed, Sealed and delivered at the Board by the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Wyvill and Major Dorsey & M<sup>r</sup> Carroll his Securityes.

p. 617 Afterwards produced a Deputation granted by the said Esq<sup>r</sup> Randolph unto M<sup>r</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Bladen for being Collector of the Port of Annapolis, and all the Rivers Creeks & Bayes &<sup>ca</sup> from the South side of South River to Susquehanna, bearing date the 24<sup>th</sup> of Decem<sup>r</sup> instant, w<sup>ch</sup> also was read and approved off and the said M<sup>r</sup> Bladen also appearing and tendering the aforementioned Major Dorsey & M<sup>r</sup> Carroll for his securities &<sup>ca</sup> a Bond of 500<sup>ll</sup> Strll to his Maj<sup>ty</sup> was prepared accordingly & by them signed & Sealed and delivered for the faithful discharge of his said Office.

Then produced severall Instructions given by the said Esq<sup>r</sup> Randolph to the aforementioned Will<sup>m</sup> Wyvill for the due observance of his Surveyors place, w<sup>ch</sup> were read & approved off, and Ordered to be Recorded together w<sup>th</sup> his Comission, as well in the Provincial Office as Councill Booke.

The said M<sup>r</sup> Wyvill and M<sup>r</sup> Bladen had severally administred unto them the Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament to be taken instead of the Oaths of Allegiance & Supremacy as also the oath of Trade & Navigation & Subscribed to the Test, Afterwards produced a Comission under the hand & Seale of the aforementioned Edward Randolph Esq<sup>r</sup> bearing date the 24<sup>th</sup> of December instant, constituting M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Collyer to be Collector of the Port of Williamstadt and of Miles, Wye & Chester Rivers &<sup>ca</sup> which was read & approved off.

Ordered that the Comission of Riding Surveyor formerly granted by his Ex<sup>ty</sup> to M<sup>r</sup> Dan<sup>n</sup> Pearce of Cecill County; as also the Comission granted to M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Collyer for being Navall Officer of the Port of William: Stadt and General Riding Surveyor on that side the Bay be henceforth vacated & set a side And the same are hereby disannulled and vacated accordingly.

Ordered that the Hono<sup>ble</sup> Coll<sup>o</sup> George Robotham of Talbot County recommend some fitt & capable person to officiate as Navall Officer of the Port of Williamstadt in the Room & stead of M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Collyer the former Officer now dismissed, a blanck Commission for that purpose being herewith sent for