

all such Orders and Instructions as you shall from time to time receive from myself or any other Governor in Chief of this Province for the time being Lastly I do hereby grant unto you to hold this Commission during Pleasure Given under my Hand and Seal this twenty second Day of January in the twenty fifth Year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1739

Lib. C. B.

This Commission read and approved in Council.

At a Council held at the House of his Excellency the Governor in the City of Annapolis on Thursday 13th Day of March in the twenty fifth year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1739

Present

His Excellency Samuel Ogle Esq^r Governor

The honourable { Benjamin Tasker Esq^r
Edmund Jenings Esq^r
Col Charles Hammond

Col William Hammond of Baltimore County having returned the Gun delivered to him out of the Publick Magazine by the Governors Order, and this Board having viewed the same; do find that it is very much damaged and almost spoiled; It is therefore the Opinion of this Board that the Clerk thereof do write to the said William Hammond acquainting him thereof; And It is hereby Ordered that the said Gun be delivered to the a^d William Hammond upon his paying for the same to the honourable Col Charles Hammond for the Use of the Publick the sum of being the Price the said Gun cost in England, and that he be also informed thereof by the Clerk of this Board, but if the said William Hammond refuses to pay the aforesaid Sum; It is likewise ordered that he be prosecuted according to Law. p. 66

At a Council held at the House of his Excellency the Governor in the City of Annapolis on Monday the 7th Day of April in the twenty fifth year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1740

Present

His Excellency Samuel Ogle Esq^r Governor

The honourable { Benjamin Tasker Esq^r
Col Charles Hammond
Col Levin Gale

His Excellency acquainting this Board that he hath this Morning received an Express from his Grace the Duke of