Lib. J. R. & U. S. Enter at your Office and endeavour to trace out and investigate the various Artifices and Evasions by which the Dealers in this iniquitous intercourse find means to Cover their Criminal Proceedings and to elude the Law, and I desire that you will without Delay communicate to me the discoveries you shall make that I may advise his Majesty's Ministers thereof. I am

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Sir   Your most obedient humble Servt

Hor° Sharpe

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Advised that the Flag of Truce granted on the 15 Instant to David Carcand Commander of the Brigantine Duke of Marlborough be stopped and that the Captain deliver up all the Papers granted him for that Purpose.

Advised that the Land in Frederick County whereon Fort Frederick is built, and which by Deed is made over to the Governor for the use of the Country, be leased by the Governor in the best manner he can so as to preserve the House already built thereon and that the Rent for the same be paid to the Governor to be applyed by him for the Countrys Service in such manner as he shall think necessary.

p. 258 At a Council held at the City of Annapolis on Tuesday the thirtieth Day of December in the tenth Year of his Lordship's Dominion Annoq Domini 1760..

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Present

His Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esqr Governor

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The honourable Benjamin Tasker Esqr Stephen Bordley Esqr and John Ridout Esqr

His Excellency is pleased to acquaint the Board that he has seen in the Gentleman's Magazine for October last an Account of the late King's Death in the following Manner.

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From the Gentleman's Magazine for October 1760.

Saturday 25th October 1760..

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Whitehall Between the Hours of seven and eight this Morning our late most gracious Sovereign King George the second was suddenly seised at his Palace at Kensington by a violent Disorder and fell down speechless and soon expired, notwithstanding all possible Methods used for his Recovery, His Majesty departed this Life in the 77th Year of his Age and the 34th of his Reign; beloved, honoured, and regretted by his Subjects, for his eminent and princely Virtues.