

That if the men are to be sent, you are to let them know, how that the people of the Country have neither Armes nor Ammunition nor any Magazines here, but that a supply of such things are sent for by the last fleet

You are to inquire as you go along, when you are there whether they have had any acct. of the Additionall Act for the 3rd of this lately passed, & if they know it was to be given them

You may inquire about any other matters & make use of the same and how you shall find necessary for the Mat^r Service and Intros of Country

You are to give Govern^r Markham a copy of the Proclamation you have sent about the Trade of that Province and to show the same at Newcastle & Pennsylvania

You are to acquaint Govern^r Markham concerning one David Miller who was arrested upon the Travell through Lewis Town alias Whorekill, being bound for work forjoy; the Action brought was an Action of Assault, though the Occasion given appears to be Lawfull; for the Sheriff of Somerset County having come to Damage by the Escape of one Waples a prisoner under his custody commanded a considerable number of men to go with him to the Indian River to take the said Waples, & otherwise had a hand in his Rescue, among the number of so^{ny} persons commanded, this David Miller was one & for his showing Obedience to the Kings Authority was arrested, as afo^{re} and likely to be detained a prisoner therefore you are to speak to Govern^r Markham that he may be discharged, and pass about his Lawfull Occasion and that he give order there be no more disturbance or trouble given to any other their Mat^r Loiges people of this Province in like case; you will receive the papers touching the whole matter, thro^{ugh} you may show Govern^r Markham and tell him that if a remedy is not provided, this Govern^r must take some other Method

August 15th 1695

Jr. Nicholson

Working Lett touching Law & Ord^r the 10th

Read a letter from Mr Francis Jenckins Judge of Somerset County Court directed unto the Ex^{ch} bearing date the 10th day of July last past touching the Laws last Enacted & viz^t that they had not (as yet) Received them in that County;

Ordered that inquiry be made by whom the same were sent, & that Mr Attorney Gen^l & send the party detaining the same