

Bills of Exchange drawn for the duties of two or  
 three on Board the Board. They on the 1<sup>st</sup> of November before the  
 fifth day of December last being the day on which  
 his Excellency Sir Nathaniel Johnson his Majesty's late  
 Captain General & Governor in Chief of these Provinces  
 & now Governor of Virginia by virtue of his Majesty's  
 Royal Commission entered upon the Government  
 of this Colony

Whereupon ordered that the Receivers & Ma-  
 stal Officers do take the said Bills payable unto his  
 Excellency Nathaniel Johnson Esq<sup>r</sup> his Majesty's Captain  
 General & Governor in Chief of these Provinces & that  
 they the said Receivers & Mastral Officers as also the  
 Collectors take an exact care from the several Masters  
 of Ships upon their clearing of what Tobaccoes they  
 had on Board before the said fifth day of December  
 last

The Attorney Generals motion to his Excellency  
 to settle the fees of the Court of Vice Admiralty is refer-  
 red to the next meeting of the Board

His Excellency is pleased to ask the Gentlemen  
 of the Council what time they think most convenient  
 for their next meeting & that the rest of the Gentle-  
 men of the Council & those lately appointed may  
 have due Notice to give their attendance likewise

Whereupon advised & resolved that this Board  
 do meet on Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> of March next ensuing  
 & that the Clerk of the Council write to the several  
 Members of the Board to give their attendance here  
 at that time