

Mr James James attorney in fact to Mr Charles  
being therefore issued for the said patents say he is  
advised they are in the Courts House but that they are not  
prepared to be sent to the Survey & Office being neither say  
and not hand but that a copy accordingly shall be sent to  
the said Office

Ordered that Coll<sup>d</sup> Tarrant have notice to prepare  
the said Patents with all convenient Speed & send  
them to the Survey Office to be recorded according to his  
late Majesty's Order in Council

The honorable President acquaints the Board  
that upon the death of Mr W<sup>m</sup> Wignall riding Surveyor  
at the time of the day he had sent a Commission to Mr  
William Iyer but being since that acquainted that John  
Randolph Esq<sup>r</sup> Surveyor General was arrived in Virginia  
& not knowing how far his Commission might extend  
had called at his house & in presence of the Board resolved  
that in regard it is not known when Mr Randolph  
may arrive that the said Commission be sent up to be full  
in Execution least his Majesty's Service be prejudiced

Ordered that what Ships can be got ready by the  
month of 9 be they be permitted to sail

A General Council held at Annapolis  
October 14<sup>th</sup> 1702

Present

The honorable Presidents

the Hon<sup>ble</sup> } Robert Smith Esq<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Col<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Hollister  
& James Sanders Esq<sup>r</sup>

There was also Mr John Powell Clerk of Cecil  
County's Suite to his Honor the President dated the 11<sup>th</sup>