

His Excellency acquaints the Board that he
had received her Majtys Direction for regulating
the Courts of Justice in this province as follows
may be to the practice and Constitution of Eng
land - And that there be four Justices in each
go Precinct & one of the Council to preside. And
whereas this matter must be recommended to the
next Sessn of Assembly on their Meeting if you
whether it may not be convenient to have a
Consultation of the following Gentlemen
viz Robert Smith Esq: & Mr Holland
Keneel Chappell Esq: of the hon: her Majtys
Council - Colone: Thomas Smithson & Esq:
Thomas Smith Justice of the provincial Court
William Bladen Attorney General, George
Plater Esq: & Cornelius White Gent: Attorney
of the provincial Court to propose some
Method and draw a Scheme thereof
The Board do say they believe it very proper
to have such Consultation and advise. His
Ex:llency will require the said Gent: who meet
at Annapolis the third day of October next
there to consult and advise thereon.

His Ex:llency acquaints the Board that the
Rt Hon: their Lordships the Lords of Trade
and Plantation had Signified to him her
Majtys Royall pleasure, that she had been
pleas'd to approve of his proposal in