

At a Council held at the Town and port of
 Amnapolis the 12th day of August in the 5th Year
 of her Majesty's Reigne of Anno Domini 1707
 present. His Excellency the Governour
 The Honble Thomas Touchet Esq^r President
 Maj: Genl: John Manners and Capt: M^{rs} ^{John} ^{Young}
 Colonel William Hollard

John Young Doorkeeper sworn not to recede the
 Debates and Transactions of the Council. -

The Sheriff of Amherst County brought
 Richard Snowden before his Excellency and the Board
 and the said Snowden told of his harbouring and
 entertaining and concealing Richard Clarke in
 his house - he says he is very sorry for it and
 did not think to do any thing to the prejudice
 of the Governour -

Quizes that Thomas Winter ~~put~~ Clarke says
 in his house and acknowledges Richard Clarke
 was one morning at his house and he got up
 and looked out and saw Clarke to whom he
 said what does she do here, he answered you
 leave my papers and I am going to night - I
 owe you ten pounds here is a warrant - ask
 him to entertain him and having a rapier
 in his hand he rushed by him and run
 by him up stairs and several soon came
 there but who they were he cannot say that
 Clarke came and told him that the Sloop
 was seized he immediately rushed out and bid