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Brown Point, of these Provincials Capt. Winslow of Massachusetts Bay is to have the Chief of St. W<sup>m</sup> Johnson, the second Command  
The Garland Man of War stationed in Virg<sup>a</sup> has been on a Cruise  
& brought in three Prizes one of which is said to be of considerable  
Value.

At the Bottom of a Duplicate of the foregoing Let<sup>r</sup> was writ<sup>t</sup> following  
April the 17<sup>th</sup> 1756.

I A Gentleman calling on me to know if I had any  
Commands to Biddeford for which Place he is departingembraces  
the Opportunity to inform You that the preceding Let<sup>r</sup> describes  
to You our present Situation the End of last week the Lower  
House sent to the Upper the Supply Bill to which many  
Objections have been made & sent down with a Message  
believe the Objections cannot be overcome I am afraid I must  
entirely despair of seeing any Troops raised in this Province  
even for our own Protection. I am

Copy of 45<sup>th</sup> Let<sup>r</sup> to W<sup>m</sup> Calvert dated the 25<sup>th</sup> May 1706  
transmitted by Capt Lee.

I am now favoured with Your Letter of the 23 of December  
together with His Lordship's Instructions dated the 27<sup>th</sup> of Oct.  
I had anticipated His Lordship's Desires about sending Circular  
Letters to the Magistrates directing them to make an Enquiry  
into the Conduct of the Roman Catholics; inclosed You have  
a Copy of the Letter that was sent to them & the Answer of  
the Magistrates of one County, the Answers from the several  
Counties are much to the same purport. His Lordship might

deposed