

that it is absolutely impossible he should know what his Deputy does there, I am afraid this is not the last Complaint that will be made against him if he continues long in that Office. As to the Ballance which the Committee in the first part of their Report suppose to be due from the Estate of the late Naval Officer of Potowmack I am inclined to think from what Mr. Tusher & Mr. Lee tell me that it was paid by His Executors (who are also dead) but concerning that Matter I presume the Trustees can give us Information, & I shall therefore desire the Commissioners of the Loan Office to write to them on the Subject. As You will perceive by the Report that the Committee was of Opinion that the Trustees ought not to keep such Sums of the Country's Money in their hands, but to vest the same in Bank Stock without Delay, I hope You will with His Ldps permission & Approbation communicate to Mr. Hunt or Mr. Hanbury the Assembly's Sentiments.

Being of Opinion that it would be advisable in order to avoid Loss by the Failure of any Naval Officer hereafter to require from them Bonds with good Security conditioned that they shall punctually pay all such Money as they may collect within their respective Districts for the Use of the Lord Proprietary or his Lieut. Governor, I have mentioned the same to His Lop hoping he will be pleased to favour me with an Answer - James.

— So Mr. Calvert. Annapolis the 6th May 1761 by Capt Walker

Sir

Finding that there was no probability of the Assembly's doing the Business for which I was obliged to convene them this Evening by Advice of the Council put an End to the Session. Inclosed find You some Addresses & Messages that passed between me & the two Houses on the Subject of an Address to His Majesty; the Address which the Lower House talkt of being not signed by the Speaker before the Assembly was prorogued will not I suppose be transmitted. I recommend this to Governor Fauquier's Care to be put on board the first Vessel that may sail from Virg^a to London