

Virginia, and as the several Attorneys furnished you with  
to the Province, we desire you will receive them into your  
Possession upon the Return of the Company, and take proper  
Care of them in We are sorry it is not in our Power to compen-  
sate Mr. James Brown, who at Request of Capt. Smith attended  
his Company in the Capacities of Physician & Surgeon, however  
we assure you we will represent this Matter to the next  
Convention, and do not doubt they will take it into Consider-  
ation, and as the Measure was expedient, make an adequate  
Satisfaction for his Trouble and Services.

20<sup>th</sup> March 1776

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N<sup>o</sup>. 70. To Mr. Hugh Young

Sir We should have answered your Letter of the 14<sup>th</sup>  
Instant, by Mr. Smyth before now, but the Variety  
of Business before the Council has prevented us - we  
would have you send out the Nancy Capt. Wise immediately  
under the Orders here to for given, and finish loading the  
Schooner Ninety two, as speedily as possible and  
send the Captain to us for his sailing Orders.

20<sup>th</sup> March 1776

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