

Refusing he told him he did not know of any such person in his Majesty's service nevertheless the said Bradford would not let him go to sea, that afternoon he went on board the Crown Adventure whereof is Commander Captain Francis Martin that he applied himself to James Brock Mate of the said Ship who told him if he had twenty Spanish pounds he would not let him have a passage and that he deserved to be thrust at the said Young man at his Excellency the Governor's warrant, and Captain Martin told him that he did not know any Authority the God had to command men from on board Ship and that he did not know whether the King could do so much.

Ordered that John Young draw up his Deposition in writing & that an order issue to the Sheriff of Calvert County to apprehend the said Francis Martin Ambrose Bradford & James Brock whom if found he is to bring before his Excellency the Governor at the place of Council with all convenient speed.

In regard that several prisoners & ill affected persons will be brought to town to the next Provincial Court Ordered that the Sheriff of Ann Arundell County provide a good sufficient guard to secure them.

July the 22 1698

Council sat present as Yesterday

Major John Hammond being sent for Came

Mr Richard Smith of Calvert County appearing is told of his having been in Company with Mr Thomas Johnson in his the said Smith's house when the said John spoke these words viz that all the people were Rogues