

# CALENDAR

OF

# VIRGINIA STATE PAPERS

AND

# OTHER MANUSCRIPTS

FROM

MAY 16, 1795, TO DECEMBER 31, 1798;

EMBRACING THE

LETTERS AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Committee of Correspondence and Inquiry

OF

VIRGINIA AND THE OTHER COLONIES,

From March 12, 1773, to April 7, 1775:

ALSO THE

Journal of the Committee of Safety of Virginia,

From February 7, 1776, to July 5, 1776,

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1795. Northward of the Ohio, and as soon as that event takes place the persons interested will be importunate in their applications for patents.  
 June 13, War Office

With great respect, I am, &c.

June 15 At a Court held for Prince Edward county June 15th, 1795, present: Thomas Scott, Peter Le Grand, John Morton, Thomas Flournoy, William Wooton, Richard Foster, Samuel W. Venable, Richard Bibb, James Morton, John Pennall, and Robert Kelso, Gentlemen Justices.

Ordered, that it be certified his Excellency, the Governor, that John Nash, jun'r, Thos. Haskins, Charles Venable, and John Clarke have declined acting in the office of a Magistrate; that William Bibb hath removed from this State, and Benj'n Haskins from this county; Joseph Moore, James Allen, sen'r, and John Fontaine have departed this life, and that Thomas Gibson and John L. Crute refuse to qualify to the Commission of the Peace.

A copy—Teste:

F. WATKINS, C. C.

June 15 At a Court held for Prince Edward, June 15th, 1795, present: Thomas Scott, Peter Le Grand, John Morton, Thomas Flournoy, William Wooton, Richard Foster, Samuel W. Venable, Richard Bibb, James Morton, John Purnall, and Robert Kelso, Gentlemen Justices—

Archer Allen, Samuel Carter, Charles Scott, John Booker, Alexander Marshall, Samuel Baldwin, Gentlemen, are recommended to his Excellency, the Governor, to be added to the Commission of the Peace for this county.

A copy—Teste:

F. WATKINS, C. C.

THOS. NEWTON TO THE GOVERNOR.

June 21, Norfolk Inclosed your excellency will receive the deposition of Francis Marschal relative to two brigs taken off our coasts by a Bermudian privateer. I have not heard of British men-of-war lately. We have had no arrivals within this week, but one from Tobago. The crew all well.

I am, &c.

I, Francis Marschalk, late master of the Brig Washington, of New York, do solemnly swear that I was a passenger on board the Brig Betsy, William Bass master, bound to Philadelphia from Bordeaux; that the