

The Right Hon. NORBORNE Baron
de BOTETOURT, his Majesty's
Lieutenant and Governour General of the
colony and dominion of *Virginia*, and
Vice Admiral of the same,

*To the several SHERIFFS, and other persons
berein concerned.*

WHEREAS the officers of his Majesty's
revenue of quincents have represented that many of the
sheriffs who had the collection thereof have neglected to come and
settle their accounts with the Auditor, or to pay and discharge their
balances to the Receiver General, by which many considerable
sums are now in arrear and due to that revenue. I do therefore,
by and with the advice and consent of his Majesty's Council, and
in his Majesty's name, hereby strictly charge and command the
several persons hereafter pointed out for such neglects, and all
others for them concerned, to come in before the last of *March*
and settle with the Auditor, as also to pay and discharge the sums
due from them to the said Receiver General, at *Williamsburg*, or
they may depend on having their bonds prosecuted by the Attorney
General immediately; and to that end the clerks of the several
counties are hereby commanded to bring in, or safely convey, to
his Majesty's Attorney General, all the bonds of such sheriffs for
the years they are deficient, as specified below (except for those
years marked †, for which judgments are already obtained) and
in case any of the said sheriffs, or their securities, are now dead,
to certify to the said Attorney General the names of the heirs,
executors, or administrators, of such persons, that they may be
called into court to answer for those so deceased.

A list of the deficient SHERIFFS.

† Accomack,	1763	Charles Stokely.
do.	1766 } 1767 }	Cosinton Corbin.
do.		
Albemarle,	1764	Mofat Jones.
do.	1767	John Fry.
do.	1768	Nicholas Lewis.
Augusta,	1766 } 1767 }	Andrew Lewis.
do.		
† Bedford,	1766 }	Samuel Hasflore.
† do.	1767 }	
do.	1768	Richard Stah.
† do.	1754	Joseph Ray.
† Brunswick,	1761 }	Thomas Twitty.
† do.	1762 }	
Buckingham,	1763 }	Robert Belling, jun.
do.	1766 }	
† do.	1767	John Feam.