

was that one or two of the Delegates promised him to Call for the said Indentures when they came downe which by meanes of Contrary winds & Bad weather they Could not and that hee sent the said Indentures with all Expedition after he knew thereof.

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Wee therefore become humble Suiters to your Ex^{ncy} to pardon & Excuse the said Defect of the said Carvill as aforesaid Occasioned by the means aforesaid

Signed p Order
Cleborne Lomax Clk Assembly.

That where any Church is built & a Minister inducted, Colated or appointed as aforesaid there be a power Given to the Vestry or others for to Raise Tobacco for the Repaire of such Church & paying Clarke & Sexton.

That in the Act for the Imposition of 4^d p Gall: on Liquo^{rs} imported into this province Beer & Sider from Virg^a be aded to the Exception.

The following Message sent from the House by M^r Hawkins & Maj^r Smallwood viz^t

By the Assembly October the 3^d 1694.

Haueing Received your Ex^{ncys} Instructions of the 24th of Septemb^r and Considered your Ex^{ncys} proposalls & Large Contribution towards the Establishing a free Schoole wee haue Endeavoured as farr as able to follow your Ex^{ncys} Example And in Order thereunto have Contributed towards the building such a ffree Schoole as your Ex^{ncys} liath proposed the Sumē of 45400 pounds of Tobacco and some Absent Members as yet haue not Subscribed and Doubt not that every well minded person wth in this province will Contribute towards the same And upon Consideracōn thereof haue had some debate Concerning the Building of one ffree Schoole on the westerne Shoar & another on the Eastern Shoar, And haue nominated Severne & Oxford for the two places All which debate wee leave to your Ex^{ncys} Consideracōn & Appointment & to that End & purpose humbly Desire a Conference wth your Ex^{ncy} & Councill to Consider of the Best wayes & methods to Establish the same.

Signed p Ord^r
Cleborne Lomax Clk Assembly

Answer thereto Viz^t

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By his Ex^{ncy} the Governo^r

Wednesday October 3^d 1694:

The Message this day sent by M^r Hawkins & Maj^r Smallwood I have Received & am Glad to finde the Houses hearty