Appear before his Ex^{cy} the Govern^r and his Matys honble Original Councill and the honble the Delegates and Deputys now Journal. sitting in Assembly to know whether they will Come in and remain amongst them.

And further the said Comittee doe say that they Canot proceed any further in the sd Affair relateing to the Indians

untill the returne of the sd Messengers

Signed p Order C: Lomax Cl Com:

By the house of Delegates Iuly the 5th 1699.

This house Concurr with the opinion of the s^d Comittee and Ordered That Major Iames Smallwood and M^r William Hutchison be dispatcht if your Ex^{cy} & Councill shall Approve thereof Signed p Order

C: Gregory Cl house Del.

Then the following answer thereto was sent to the House by the honble Col Charles Hutchins and Francis Ienkins Esq^r Viz^t

By his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r and Councill in Assembly Iuly 5th 1699.

This Board do Agree with the opinion of the house that the said Liev^t Col Smallwood and M^r Hutchison be Dispatched away to the Indians

Signed p Order
W Bladen Cl Concil.

The Board Adjourned till 8 a Clock to morrow morning.

Iuly the 6th 1699.

The Councill Sate preent as yesterday

Came M^r Campbell and M^r Hicks who say they are Comanded by the house to acquaint his Ex^{cy} and this Board That Cap^t Ioⁿ Worthington of Ann Arundell County is returned as a Delegate thereof Wherefore the house do request Some of the Members of this Board to Come down and Administer p. 35 the Oaths &c unto him & to see him Subscribe the Test and Association.

Whereupon Ordered that Col Francis Ienkins go down to the house and Adm' the Oaths &c to the sd Capt Worthington

and see him subscribe the test and Association.