

By the house of Delegates Iuly the 12<sup>th</sup> 1699.

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The Message by the honble Iohn Hamond and Thomas Tasker Esq<sup>rs</sup> has been here rec<sup>d</sup> and read.

Resolved that Cap<sup>t</sup> Rich<sup>d</sup> Hill M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Young, M<sup>r</sup> George Ashman M<sup>r</sup> William Hutchison M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Greenfield, M<sup>r</sup> Walter Smith M<sup>r</sup> Elisha Hall M<sup>r</sup> Philip Hoskins and M<sup>r</sup> Benjamin Hall or the Major part of them be appointed a Committee to joyne w<sup>th</sup> and Assist his Ex<sup>cy</sup> and his Matys hon<sup>ble</sup> Council in Adviseing and Concerting such Measures as will Suppress any violence which may be offered to this province by the Indians after the breaking up of this p<sup>r</sup>sent Sessions of Gen<sup>l</sup> Assembly untill Such time th<sup>t</sup> the s<sup>d</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> Assembly can possibly be Conveened and that a Bill be p<sup>r</sup>pared for the Same

Signed p Order  
Chr. Gregory Cl house Del.

The following Answer sent from the Board to the house by Maj<sup>r</sup> Iohn Hamond together with Maj<sup>r</sup> William Dents pet<sup>o</sup>

By his Ex<sup>cy</sup> the Governo<sup>r</sup> and Council in Assembly  
Iuly the 12<sup>th</sup> 1699.

The houses Message this morning sent by M<sup>r</sup> Staley and M<sup>r</sup> Hicks has been here rec<sup>d</sup> read and Considered and it is very well approved of that the Bill proposed should be prepared

Signed p Order  
W Bladen Cl Concl.

His Ex<sup>cy</sup> lays before the Board that the Income of this parish is so Small that it dos not Allow any Suitable Encouragem<sup>t</sup> to a good Divine to Supply the Cure.

The following Message sent to the house Viz<sup>t</sup>

By his Ex<sup>cy</sup> the Governo<sup>r</sup> and Council in Assembly  
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It falling under the Consideration of this Board the great p. 64  
Advance that has been made by the Gen<sup>l</sup> Assembly of this province in the Religious worship of Almighty God And that this place is become the seat of the Governm<sup>t</sup> &c. w<sup>ch</sup> thereby requires the Constant residence of Some Able and pious Divine being a place of great Concourse and where persons of the best noate and figure will frequently resorte besides the publick meeting of Courts and Assemblys but the parish of it