

house will take Care to make him such Acknowledgem^{ts} as Original shall be together with his said Benefice a Sufficient Supporte Journal. for his Maintenance untill such time that some Methods may be found out to provide better for his Supporte

Signed p Order
Chr: Gregory Cl house Del.

Came Cap^t Moreland M^r Ashman and Col Hanson from the house.

And the said Cap^t Moreland Reportes that by Order of the house he had been with M^r Iohn Dent and tendered him the Conveyance to Acknowledge which he Absolutely refused, and denied that he had made any Bargaine with the Country for the s^d Land.

Advised that a Message be sent to the house to lett them know that the Rangers have not any provision left, and whether the house Concurr with his Ex^{cy} and this Board that they should be kept out or not.

The following Message Sent p Col Iohn Courts and Iames Frisby Esq^r

By his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r and Councill in Assembly
Iuly the 12th 1699.

Gentⁿ

It being rep^rsented to this Board that the rangers lately raised by his Ex^{cy} for security of the Frontiers on potomack are not any ways Supplied with provision to Subsist upon what they had from Annapolis being Spent, It is therefore recomended to you first to Consider whether or not the said Rangers should be Continued there, which if you Advice, then how they shall be Supplied with Victualls &c.

Signed p Order
W Bladen Cl. Concl.

The Board Adjourned till to morrow morning att 8 of the p. 66
Clock.

Thursday Iuly the 13th 1699.

The Councill Sate Absent Col Hen: Iowles and Esq^r Brook Maj^r Thomas Smith, Maj^r Iames Smallwood and the Members of the house Appointed of a Comittee to Consider of Indian Affairs bring the following Message

By the house of Delegates Iuly the 13th 1699.

This house humbly Desires that your Ex^{cy} will be pleased to Appoint the Same Gent of his Matys honble Councill that