

P. R. O. The Hono<sup>ble</sup> Robert Smith and Francis Jenkins Esq<sup>re</sup> enter the house and delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the following message viz<sup>t</sup>

By his Ex<sup>cy</sup> the Gov<sup>r</sup> and Council in Assembly  
May 8 1700

In answer to the message by M<sup>r</sup> Saunders and Capt<sup>n</sup> Philips relateing to the Church the Gent proposed to be entrusted are very desireous to promote the building of the Church and willing to doe there utmost to advance the same wherefore they accept of the said Trust provid<sup>d</sup> the house agree they should lodge the money when by them received in some able and responsable merchants hand in London to be now named by the house and there to lye till called out of his hands but not at the risque of the trustees in case any thing should happen to such merch<sup>t</sup>

Signed p Order W Bladen Clk Council

Upon reading the same it is Resolved that when the money shalbe by the Gent rec<sup>d</sup> they shall lodge the same in the hands of M<sup>r</sup> Micajah Perry and Comp Merchants in London (at the Risque of the Countrey) there to lye till it be called out of their hands by the Gent Intrusted

And Ordered that a Message be prepared and sent for that Purpose which follows viz<sup>t</sup>

By the house of Dellegates  
May the 8<sup>th</sup> 1700

The message by the hono<sup>ble</sup> Robt Smith Esq<sup>re</sup> and Francis Jenkins Esq relateing to the Church was here Rec<sup>d</sup> and Read

It is Resolved that when the money shalbe by the Gent received they shall lodge the same in the hands of M<sup>r</sup> Micajah fo. 50 Perry and Company Merch<sup>ts</sup> in London at the Risque of the Countrey there to lye till it be called out of their hands by the Gent intrusted

Signed p Order W Taylard Clk  
house of Dellegates

M<sup>r</sup> Attorney Gen<sup>ll</sup> enters the house and delivers some Bills to M<sup>r</sup> Speaker

And says he is Orderd by his Ex<sup>cy</sup> to acquainte the house that the Bill for Ascertaineing what laws shalbe in force shalbe compared with the former And then the same will pass soe withdrawes.