

Lib. X. not further treat with them but leaves them to take their own Measures

They answer that the Indians have a good heart & will do no Prejudice to any body that does not hurt them & desire his Excellency not to believe any Writing against them

His Excellency assure them that he will always have two Ears one for the English & one for the Indians

His Excellency tells the Emperor of Piscattoway that in case his Indians are refractory & will not be kept within Bounds & Measures but do such irregular Things as will be Offensive so
p. 235 that he cannot rule to send them to him who has 20000 Men under his Command & he will punish them

The Emperor asks if he shall come to live at Accokick or Pamunkey to which it is answered he may at either of them which he likes best & that he shall be well used for that his Excellency will take care the next Assembly to have an ordinance made for their quiet & ease so that no Body shall come to disturb them in their Lands or any thing belonging to them & as to the Emperor for Building his house he is directed to apply to the Assembly by sending some of his men when the General Assembly sitt

The Indians complain that the English cutt their Traps in Pieces and hinder their hunting his Excellency says he will take care for the future to prevent that

They are told of their Breach of Articles and asked if they are desirous for to enter into new ones to which they say they are

And it being concluded & agreed upon that the Emp^r should with his wife & Children within two months Come in & Live at Pamunkey & do his utmost endeavours to perswade the rest of the Indians to do so likewise

Ordered that Articles of peace be prepared with the Agreement last mentioned incerted & in all other Points as they were before

Ordered also that Articles of peace be prepared for the Pamunkey Indians

p. 236 And then his Excellency was pleased to give every one of the said Indians presents, & of greater Value to Col^o James for his Mistress the Queen of Pamunkey & to the Emperor Ondauxon King Peter & others of Greater Note

And then told them to come again to morrow morning to sign the said Articles of peace

Tuesday April 9th 1700

His Excellency the Governor & the Indians again mett & were present as before