Annapolis 30th July 1747 Lib. C. B.

Sir

Your favour of the 29th of last Month which I received a few Days ago, was this Day laid before the Council, and although We are truely sensible of the Importance of the Friendship of the Six Nations at this Juncture, yet there being no Fund from which This Government can make any Advance of Money for this Purpose, It is entirely impracticable for Us to answer your Expectation by Our Authority only; And as you have before this time seen by the Address made to me by the Lower house of Assembly in Answer to my Message on the subject of your former Letter; how vain It would be to call an Assembly at present, I can only express my Concern, that it is not in my Power to contribute to this necessary Business otherwise than by assuring you I shall not omit any Opportunity which I can think may be favourable for promoting his Majestys Service and Our Common Welfare

I am Sir

To His Exc<sup>y</sup> William Shirly Esq<sup>r</sup> Governor of Your most Obedient and most humble Servant

New England.

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At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Monday the p. 297 17<sup>th</sup> Day of August in the 33<sup>d</sup> year of his Lordps Dominion Annoq Domini 1747

Present

His Excellency Samuel Ogle Esqr Governor

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Several Sheriffs Bonds being laid before this Board for Approbation of their Securities, the same were accordingly approved of except Henry Morgan's as Sheriff of Baltimore County

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday the 16th Day of September in the 33d year of his Ldps Dominion Annoq Dni 1747

Present

His Excellency Samuel Ogle Esqr Governor

The honourable Benjamin Tasker Esq<sup>r</sup> Edmund Jenings Esq<sup>r</sup> Col Charles Hammond