Lib. C. B. may give to the Assembly, and indeed that is the Reason why I have wrote so long a Letter to you, who know these Matters much better than I do.

I am with perfect Esteem, and a very sincere Respect

Your Excellencys

Most Obedient humble Servant

His Exc^y Sam¹ Ogle Esq^r Anthony Palmer Pres^t

Upon reading the aforegoing Letter It is the humble Advice of this Board to his Excellency that he send the following Answer thereto.

Annapolis 31 May 1748

Sir

Our Assembly has now been sitting for three Weeks, and the Lower house came to a Resolution some time ago not to make any Allowance for the Indians; This I deferred giving you an Account of, as the Gentlemen of the Council, out of their great Inclination to promote this Service, flattered themselves, that We might be able to induce them to change their Sentiments, but as We now begin to despair of doing any thing to the purpose, I give you this Notice, very much to my Mortification, having done every thing in my Power to have answered your reasonable Expectations

I am Sr

Anthony Palmer Esq^r Y^r most humble Servant Pres^t Council Pens Sam: Ogle

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Tuesday the 7th of June in the 34th year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1748.

Present

 $His \ Excellency \ Samuel \ Ogle \ Esq^r \ Governor$ $Benjamin \ Tasker \ Esq^r$ $Col \ George \ Plater$ $Edmund \ Jenings \ Esq^r$ $Col \ Charles \ Hammond \ Sam^l \ Chamberlain \ Esq^r$ $Sam^l \ Chamberlain \ Esq^r$ $Daniel \ Dulany \ Esq^r$ $Benedict \ Calvert \ Esq^r$

His Excellency is pleased to lay before this Board the follow^g Papers

The Case of Several of the Back Inhabitants of Prince Georges County.

P. 331 The receivers of the Quit Rents have some times Impowered Persons in the Back woods to Receive the Rents which