

Lib. C. B. the Gentlemen of the Council, who are truly Sensible of the
 p. 422 Importance of the Friendship of these Indians. But as It is
 not practicable for us by our Authority only, to raise Money
 for such Services, and as our Assembly is not to Meet untill
 some time in the next Spring, and even then I am afraid very
 little can be expected from them, having pressed them before
 by Message upon the same Subject, but to no purpose, as
 you'l perceive by the inclosed Copy of their Answer to me; I
 can only express my Concern that It is not in my Power to
 contribute to so necessary an Affair otherwise, than by assur-
 ing you, I shall make Use of every Opportunity, I can think
 may be favourable, to promote his Majestys Service and Our
 Common Safety, and to keep up that good Correspondence
 with the Indians which is so Necessary to Us all. I am

S^rYour Most Obed^t hble Servant

To the hoñble James Hamilton
 Esq^r Governor of Pensilvania .

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Extract from the proceedings of the Lower house of
 Assembly

Thursday Morning May 12th 1748. The house taking into
 Consideration the Letter from the President of Pensilvania to
 the Governor & other Papers relating to the Indian affairs
 Resolved that Inasmuch as there has been lately an Expensive
 treaty of Peace Settled with this Province and the Six Nations
 of Indians which this house cannot from the said Papers apprehend
 the least danger of their Violating or Infringing; therefore
 We cannot Agree to burthen the Inhabitants of this Province
 with any further Charge relating to the said Indians.

Ordered by his Excellency the Governor with the Advice of
 this Board that the following Order be immediately sent to
 the Attorney General.

By the Governor & Council

18 October 1750

p. 423 Whereas It appears to this Board that in the several Counties
 of this Province the Publick and main Roads therein are
 not cleared, and well grubbed, fit for travelling, neither are
 they twenty feet wide, nor marked agreeable to the Act of
 Assembly Entituled An Act for the marking of High Ways,
 and making the heads of Rivers Creeks Branches and Swamps
 passable for Horse and foot, and that many Persons alter and
 change such publick Roads without Leave or License of this
 Board contrary to the Directions of the said Act, and to the
 great Inconvenience of Persons travelling the said Roads,