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them in manner aforesaid, for which they all James will be thankful and ready to obey all Orders of Government and keeping the Articles of peace, but without signifying that he had an Urinary people to Govern and therefore desired Protection for himself and family, and such others of his friends as should come with him, in case he should be forced (through danger of his life) to leave them. They are Ordered to appear at the Board again to Morrow.

July 28th 1694.

Articles of peace with the Indians to be recorded in the Prov. Courts

Ordered that the Original Articles of peace Entered into by the severall Nations of Indians with this Governmt. be inquired after and put upon Record in the provincial Office & the severall County Courts of this Province.

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Attorneys consulted about Indians breaking Prison

Ordered that the severall Attorneys now in Town be sent for to attend this Board, to give their Opinion about the Indian prisoner, who made his Escape, whether the same might be deemed a breaking of Prison according to the Law of this Province; thereupon appeared at the Board four Attorneys belonging to the Provincial Court, who upon the State of the Case and perusing the Act of Assembly were all of Opinion that the same was no breaking of Prison within that Law, by Reason that the Sheriff gave him leave to walke out of Doors.

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Indians again appeared asked to surrender Indian Escaped out of Prison

The Indians again appear at the Board and asked to surrender up the said Indian King, being given to understand that there will no advantage be taken for making such his Escape, it being deemed no breaking of Prison by Law, who do make Answer that they will take what care they can about the same or at least give notice to the English if he should come into their Fort, to the end they may apprehend him.

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Cap: Jasper Hicks Commander of the Kings Fisher being Commandore was sent for into the Council, who upon his Appearance, his Ex: was pleased to ask him, about what time he designed to depart out of the Province for England, and where he intended to make up the Fleet under his convoy, who made Answer that he designed to Saily by the 13th of September next at farthest, and that he would make up the Fleet at some convenient the Usual place.

Embargo Ordered till 1st of Septemb

Ordered that no Ships be at present Cleared out what shall give Bond