

Thickness they must be of

Whence it is agreed that the beams be of light wood
Such thick & to stand Eighteen inches in diameter

That Columns & plates running through may be of
Popple or Walnut which is agreed to

That such Timber as shall be thought necessary for
Binding the Church Walls just above the Stone work may
be permitted to be put in for the better Securing the founda-
tion — agreed to

That there may by the Gov^t & Visitors of the School
be some man or men ^{read this} impowered to pay the Money at
such time as the Necessity of carrying on the work requires
it — This proposall is agreed to the money being in his
Excellency's hands

That he the said Major Dorsey will Oblige the
Pennsylvania Carpenters at their coming down to agree &
Consent to work & perform the said work as Mr Fielder
will contrive & direct or else that they shall desist. This
Board do say that they do leave it to Major Dorsey's own
management to make what Bargain he thinks fit with
his Workmen

The said paper is referred to his Majesty's Lawyers to advise
whether the Governor & Trustees of the said Free School may
safely agree to such proposals without Danger of Overthrow-
ing the Original Contract

March the 18th 169⁸

The Council again late and were
Present

His Exc^{cy} Francis Nicholson Esq^r Cap^t Gen^l
The honorable { Coll^o George Robotham
Tho^s Tench Esq^r }