

in the Authority of the Same that the Librarys appointed  
for the severall and respective parishes within this pro-  
-vince shall be and remaine in the hands and possession of  
of the Minister of the parish and if any minister be presented  
appointed or Inducted to the said parish during his resi-  
-dence in the parish aforesaid who is and shall be obliged to  
keep and preserve the said Library from wast and Im-  
-belement and be accountable for the Same to the Governor  
and Council and Vestry as often as required and to that pur-  
-pose the said Minister shall first too receipts for the said  
Books Inwriting what they are and the title and page of  
the Same one receipt to goe to the Governor and Council  
and the other to the Vestry of the parish to be recorded in  
their Records and the said Vestry are hereby obliged to  
Visit the said Librarys twice in the year and inspect the  
Same and in case of any Damage or Imbelement  
theroof to require and cause Satisfaction for the Same to  
be made and in case any Minister having the Charge of such  
Library shall be removed from his Charge he shall  
deliver the said Library to the Vestry of the parish and  
make Satisfaction or reparation if any Damage or wast  
suffered before his Departure out of the said parish Except  
by fire or such unavoidable Accident or in case of the Death  
of any such Minister having the Charge of such Library  
the Vestry of the said parish shall Immediately take the  
said Library into their Custody and keeping and first then  
receipts for the Same as above directed and shall in  
all points be Answerable for the Same Except by fire  
or such like Accident as aforesaid, and for the better