

Governor<sup>th</sup> and Council in such Cases if either of the persons to hear and to determine the matter think fitt, or either of the parties desire an appeal to the Gov<sup>r</sup> and Council they shall be there transmitted with their Complaint.

Then the Committee proceed to examine the Reports of Col: Butcher for whereby those Indians seem Charged with Entertainment of Strange Indians and turning out the Emper<sup>r</sup> and Choosing a new one without the Govern<sup>r</sup>s Consent and approbation Contrary to Articles.

We propose that the Indians may be sent for before the Gov<sup>r</sup> and Council and they Cautioned of that their breach; and the new Chosen Emper<sup>r</sup> either Confirmed or Revoked as thought fitt.

And if the Governor and Council thinks fitt to prop<sup>r</sup> this error by for the present that yet they be Cautioned to give no more occasions for that they will not be Endured.

And that if any Strange Indians for the future Come to them it shall be sufficient for them to give notice to the persons appointed of the Number and Nation of such Strangers.

7<sup>th</sup> Then as to the Comp<sup>t</sup> of the Indians to Col: Courts of the Violence offered them by Mr Joshua Doyme and the Misunderstanding between them and Madam Blackstone, We propose that the parties be sent for before the Gov<sup>r</sup> and Council and the matter to be there heard and determined as in their Wisdom shall be thought fitt, and for the future all such Complaints to be heard and determined by the persons appointed for that purpose.

8<sup>th</sup> That because there happens many Complaints about the bounds of the Indians Lands, and many Jealousies may arise about it.

We therefore propose that the persons to be appointed to hear and determine such differences do Call to their assistance six or eight of the most Substantiall Neighbours living in the Towne, and hear and determine the Indians Claims according to the best testimony that they can get, lay out the bounds of their Lands and Marke them by lines and trees in the presence of the Neighbourhood a<sup>d</sup> the better to keep in remembrance such Bounds and to transmit the same down to posterity that the said persons and so many of the Neighbourhood with the great men of the Indians goe round the Bounds once, every three yeares, and new Marke and Lyne the Bounds.

9<sup>th</sup> This Committee are informed that the Strange Indians that are at the head of Potomacke Neare the Mountains do belong to and are part of the Nation of Indians at the head of y<sup>e</sup> Bay of the Susquehanna who are in peace and Amity with us.

Therefore we propose that Caution may be given to that King either to call them Indians or to be accountable and answerable for them in case of any Injuries.