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THE
VESTRY BOOK
OF
KINGSTON PARISH
MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA
(until May 1, 1791, Gloucester County)

1679-1796

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TO

DR. WILLIAM G. STANARD
SECRETARY OF THE VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY,
in recognition of his extraordinary services and fruitful labors
in the field of historical investigation, whereby
he has made all serious students of
Virginia's history his debtors,
this volume is

with gratitude and great respect
Dedicated
by
The EDITOR
Preface

The MS. volume hereinafter reproduced contains the earliest records of Kingston Parish, Mathews County, Virginia, known to be in existence, though the parish itself can be traced back to the year 1657 [see page x], and was probably established as early as 1652. It is one of the many Vestry Books that Bishop Meade used as sources when writing his Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia, and is now in the possession of the Library of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, at Alexandria. Permission to transcribe and publish it was given the undersigned by the Rev. Berryman Green, D. D., LL. D., Dean of the Seminary.

The “Vestry Book” is a folio 14 inches tall by 9 inches wide, and contains 61 leaves. It is, properly speaking, not one record, but two; but at what date the two manuscripts were bound up together is not known to the present editor. The first record begins with the year 1679 (Nov. 15), and ends in 1726; it consists of 6 leaves (12 pages). The second record starts with the year 1740(?), and ends in 1796; it comprises 55 leaves (110 pages). Lying in the book, but not attached to it in any way there was discovered a small sheet of paper, 6½ inches by 5¾ inches, containing a copy of an Order of Gloucester County Court, dated Feb. 5, 1784, directing the Vestry of Kingston Parish to divide the parish into precincts for processioning, etc. A transcript of this paper will be found on page 131.

In Meade, Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia, Phil., 1885, Vol. I, p. 325, occurs under the heading “Kingston Parish, Mathews County”, the following:

“This was originally one of the parishes in Gloucester.
There are loose leaves of an old vestry-book, going back to the year 1677, the first of which leaves do not indicate how much older the book was. It was called the parish in North River precinct. It has a peculiarity distinguishing it from all other parishes. With the vestrymen, who were generally very few, there met a larger number of the inhabitants, who seem to have managed the affairs of the parish in conjunction.

"From 1677 to 1691 the Rev. Michael Typerios and James Bowker were ministers; but when their ministries began or ended cannot be made out. In the year 1740 the Rev. John Blacknal appears on the first page of another imperfect vestry-book. It cannot be ascertained how much of the vestry-book was lost, and how long Mr. Blacknal may have been the minister before 1740. He died in 1747 and was succeeded by the Rev. John Dixon in 1750, the Rev. John Locke having served meanwhile for three months. In the year 1770 Mr. Dixon resigned, and died in 1777. Four applicants appeared for the parish, the Revs. Thomas Baker, Thomas Field, Arthur Hamilton, and Archibald Avens, of whom Mr. Field was chosen, Mr. Baker having previously served three months. In the year 1778, Mr. Field either dying or resigning, Revs. Robert Read and William Dunlop were candidates, when the former was chosen. In the year 1784 the Rev. Thomas Hopkinson became its minister, and in the year 1789 the Rev. James McBride. In 1794 the Rev. Armistead Smith, of the old family of Smith in that part of Virginia, became the minister, being ordained by Bishop Madison."

To the foregoing recited facts, all of which Bishop Meade found in the records of Kingston Parish embodied in the two old Vesty Books published in this volume, the editor can add little of importance. However, he hopes that the following notes containing extracts from various sources may prove of some interest to students of Colonial Virginia parish history.

In *Hening*, Vol. I, p. 371, under date April the 26th 1652, occurs the following item, which contains, in the list of "the
names of the several Burgesses returned by the Sherriff to this Grand Assembly”, the first mention of Glocester County in Hening:

“Glocester County
Mr. Hugh Guinne
Mr. Fra. Willis”

In Hening, Vol. I, pp. 373-375, under date November the 25th, 1652, occur the following items:

(1) “The names of the Burgesses for the severall Plantations.

Gloster County
Coll. Hugh Gwinne
Mr. Fra. Willis.”

(2) “WHEREAS Chr. Boyse by appeale from the Governour and Councill the last court impleaded Coll. Hugh Gwinne before this Grand Assembly about certain land in Pyancatannk River, The Assembly uppon pervsall of their severall pattents and grants doe finde prioritie of title for the said Gwinne, according to former orders in the government of Sr. William Berkeley, Knt. and the last quarter court, And the plt. & defendant to beare theire owne charges.”

(3) “IN the difference between Mr. Peter Ranson, plt. and John Hewett and Wm. Holder, defend’ts. It is ordered by this Grand Assembly that Mr. Peter Ranson’s pattent shall stand good for 1100 acres of land in Mock-Jack bay, And that Hewett and Holder be outed and decline the possession till it be made appeare void by some that shall make better right appeare, It now appearing that none pretending to it in the right of Dawber have power to question his title; 100 lb of tob’o being allowed him for costs from each of them (vizt) 100 lb. of tobacco from Holder, and 100 lb. of tobacco from Hewett, alias execution.”

(4) “IT is ordered by the Grand Assembly, that Mr. Peter Ranson shall have and enjoy 1100 acres of Land in Mock-Jacks bay on the North River of Mock-Jacks bay on the easterne side thereof, and the other 500 acres being granted to Mr. Wm. Whitby being the first grantees by this Assembly.”
On page 304 of Patent Book 4 in the Virginia Land Office, State Capitol, Richmond, Va., occurs, under the date March 15, 1657, the record of a grant to John Chapman of 250 "Acres of Land in the County of Gloucester in Kingston Parish upon the South side of Peanketank River."

In Hening, Vol. II, p. 552, under the date March 15, 1676-7 occurs the following item recounting the experiences suffered at the hands of Governor Sir Wm. Berkeley by one of the followers of Nathaniel Bacon, the Rebel, in Kingston Parish:

"Whereas Sands Knowles, of Kingston Parish in Gloucester county, being in rebellion against his majesty, was, in the month of October last, (then in the height of the late horrid rebellion) by virtue of a commission to major Robert Beverley, granted by the right honourable the governor, taken prisoner, and with him, divers of his goods, servants, slaves, provisions, and a shallop, seized, taken and carried away by the said Beverley and the soldiers under his command, and presented to the right honourable the governour, then at the house of major. gen. John Custis, in Northampton county, on the Eastern shore; who, for the said Knowles his rebellious and treasonable practices, committed him to prison, and condemned all his said goods, servants, slaves, provisions, and boate, and ordered and disposed part of the same to be expended, sold, and laid out for provisions for his majesties soldiers, which was accordingly done, and gave the rest immediately to the said Beverley and his soldiers under his command for their encouragement and good service. And whereas the said Knowles remains a prisoner, under bayle, to this day, to answer the crimes, rebellions and treasons by him committed against his most sacred majestie, and soe excepted out of the right honourable the governour's general pardon, bearing date the 10th of february 1676-7, and grounded upon his majesties most gracious proclamation of pardon; for the crimes, treasons and rebellions by him committed, humbly offering to renounce, acquitt, and discharge all right or claime of him the said Knowles, forever hereafter, to any or all the said goods, servants, slaves, boate
or provisions, by the said Beverley, or any soldier with him, soe taken and carried away, acknowledging the same to be justly lost (by him) and forfeited forever; his said relinquishment of the said goods, &c. was ordered to be entered upon record; and the said Knowles his petition granted, and his acknowledgement and humble submission, in open court, put upon record, to the end the King's majesties most gracious pardon may be of full force and effect to him the said Knowles, and his remaining estate, he takeing the oath of obedience and giving good bond with securities for his future good behaviour.

In the Minutes of the Council and General Court of Colonial Virginia, 1622-1632, 1670-1676, appears, under the date, The 15th March 1676, the following:

Whereas Mr. George Seaten of Kingstone parish in Gloucester County one of his Majesty's Justices of ye Peace being in Rebellion Against his most Sacred Majesty was in the time of the said Rebellion on or about the beginning of November last taken prisoner by Major Robt Beverley & with him divers of his Goods & Provisions, Seized & taken & Carried to the Right Honble the Governor then Residing on the Eastern Shore who Comd the Said Seaton & Condemned & disposed his goods & provisions Soe Seized & Carried to the use & Encouragem't of his Majesty's Soldiers & - - - Remained Prisoner under Bayle fouer - - - to the said Seaton was by order of the Rt Honble the Governor Seized & marked with the broad Arrow Butt left in the house & Possession of the said Seaton, vntill Convenient time for their Remouevall And whereas the said Geo Seaton did this day Make Humble Sute to the Court that he might Receive the Benefitt & mercy of his Sacred Majesty's most Gracious Pardon Praying for Releasement of his Said foure hhds of Tobacco Soe Seized as aforesaid and Submissively Relinquishing all Right Claim, Title or Interest to any the said Goods Seized or Carried away by the Said Beverley or his Soldiers This Court doth order & Adjudge the Said Goods to be by Reason of their being taken & removed in time of Rebellion wholly Lost & forfeited, Butt By Reason the
Jaid flower hogg\heads of Tobacco were only vnder Seizure & not removed that therefore the Said Seaton may make free vse of the Same vntill it Shall be determined by his Ma\textit{ties} & Lords of his Hono\textit{ble} Councill whether the same be not forfeiture by Reason of the jaid Seizure, notwithstanding the Benefitt of his ma\textit{ties} Gravious \$don is vpon the Said Seatons Humble Petition Granted & Confirmed to him he takeing the oath of Obedience & giveing bond w\textquoteright\ Sufficient Security for his future Good behavior.

In the \textit{Executive Journals of the Council of Colonial Virginia}, Vol. I, pp. 23 and 24 occurs the following item:

"Middle Plantation May 25\textsuperscript{th} 1682

Whereas It is represented that some ill disposed women in Gloucester County, doe persist in ye evil and notorious riots, spoiles and great abuses and damages of cutting up Tobacco plants, in direct opposition to Lawes and Statutes in the like case made and provided and in high contempt to ye Govern\textsuperscript{er} Proclamation and possitive orders for preventing and suppressing all riots and outrages of ye nature, & whereas It is signified that ye wife of Thomas Allman and ye wife of Richard Longest are most notoriously active in ye aforementioned wick\textsuperscript{ed}ness and ye said Thomas Allman & Richard Longest doe refuse to find good security for ye good behaviour of ye wives of them ye said Thomas Allman & Richard Longest Its therefore resolved & Accordingly ordered ye L\textsuperscript{e} Coll Jo\textsuperscript{n} Armstead do forthwith cause ye wives of Tho: Allman & Richd Longest to be taken into safe custody & them securely to detain, & cause to appear before ye Govern\textsuperscript{er} & Councel att Middle Plantation on ye 30\textsuperscript{th} instant to answer to what shall be objected ag\textsuperscript{st} them on his Majesties behalfe & to be proceeded ag\textsuperscript{st} as by Law in ye like case is prescribed."

In the same volume occurs, on page 157, the following:

"Att a Councill held at James Citty Feb\textsuperscript{r} 18\textsuperscript{th} 1690 [1690-91]

John Stephens Master of the Shipp Bristoll Merch\textsuperscript{i} now in Mockjack Bay, giving an account that in this present Voyage
to this Country on the 15th December last he mett with a small French Barque belonging to Rochell in France, and came then from Keyou, who had an English Man Prisoner aboard, who they took from the said Barke but having but few Men and None of them willing to goe either for England or Virginia in the said Barque onely toke from her two Petteraroes [Pedreroes (small guns)] three Musquetts, about seven hundred pds of Shugar, some Parretts and Parraketoes some Oranges and about seven hundred Sows [sous] and soe let her goe, On Consideration whereof It is Ord'd that the said Stephens putt the Patteraroes and Musquetts on Shore for their Ma* use at Mr. Sands Knowle's Plantation in Glocester County, and the rest being of small value, most of the Shugar being spent at Sea, to take for the Incouragement of the Men belonging to the aforesaid Shipp.”

In the Journals of the House of Burgesses of Virginia, 1727-1734, 1736-1740 (Vol. VI), page 189, occurs the following:

“Wednesday, September 4, 1734.

A Petition of Robert Bernard, and Charles Tomkies, Gent. was presentd to the Houfe, and read; praying That Leave may be given to bring in a Bill, to dock the Intail of Two Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land, whereof the said Robert Bernard is jeied in Tail Male, in the Parijh of Petfworth, in the County of Glocefter, and Vesting the fame in Charles Tomkies; and to settle Four Hundred Acres of Land, in the Parijh of Kingstone, in the County aforesaid, whereof the said Charles Tomkies is jeied in Fee, of greater Value, upon the said Robert Bernard, to the fame Uses, according to an Agreement made between them

Ordered, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill, according to the prayer of the said Petition: And that Mr. Francis Willis, Mr. Armistead, Mr. Martin, and Mr. Henry Willis, do prepare and bring in the fame”

In Hening, Vol. XIII (1789-1792), page 162, occurs the following:
"CHAP XLI
An act for dividing the county of Gloucester
(Passed the 16th of December, 1790)

Sect. 1. BE it enacted by the General Assembly, That from and after the first day of May next, the county of Gloucester shall be divided into two distinct counties, that is to say, all that part of the said county lying to the eastward of a line, to begin at the mouth of North river, thence up the meanders thereof to the mill, thence up the eastern branch of the millpond to the head of Muddy creek, thence down the said creek to Piankatank river, shall be one distinct county, and called and known by the name of Mathews, and the residue of the said county shall retain the name of Gloucester”.

The foregoing references to Kingston Parish, or to individuals more or less connected with that parish, are all that the editor has been able to find in the Colonial Virginia records in Richmond. It is to be regretted that they are so scanty. For the history of the parish subsequent to the period embraced in this volume, the student is referred to Meade, Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia, Vol. I, pp. 325-327.

With regard to the name of the incumbent of Kingston Parish from 1680 to 1687 a few words here will, perhaps, not be out of place.

It will be noted above that Bishop Meade speaks of the Rev. Michael Typerios as having been one of two ministers of Kingston Parish between 1677 and 1691. Now the transcriber is of the opinion (which he advances, he hopes, with modesty) that the name of the minister in question was Zyperus and not Typerios. In support of this opinion he refers, first, to the photograph copy of page 3 of the MS. vestry book (facing page 5 of the printed volume), where the autograph signature of the clergyman appears, and, second, to the fact that in the years 1667 and 1683 a Rev. Mr. Superias (or Superious) preached on occasion in Christ Church Parish, Mid-
Middlesex County (the adjoining parish to Kingston), as we know from references to him to be found on pages 11 and 40 of *The Vestry Book of Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia, 1663-1767*. The clerk of the vestry might easily have written Superias or Superious for the name Zyperus (which he must often have heard pronounced but had perhaps never seen written), but no ordinary man could conceivably confuse two names as unlike in sound as Typerios and Superias.

The specimen pages of the MS. used to illustrate the volume are reproductions of photographs made from the original by Dementi, of Richmond. It is hoped that they will prove of interest as illustrating peculiarities of handwriting before the year 1700 (pages 3, 4 and 5) and common forms of abbreviation of the period between 1683 and 1751, some of which cannot be accurately reproduced in print (pages 3, 4, 5 and 30), as well as for other reasons. On page 3 can be seen the autograph signature of the Minister in 1687, while on pages 4, 5 and 46 appear the autograph signatures of many of the Vestrymen and Inhabitants between 1687 and 1760.

Blanks in the MS. which were left by the Clerk to be filled in later but were never filled in are indicated in the printed volume by blank spaces. Gaps in the MS. resulting from tearing, rubbing, or other kinds of intentional or unintentional mutilation are indicated by blank spaces enclosed in brackets. Unintentional omissions in the MS. and all mistakes of whatever kind are, as far as was found possible, reproduced in the printed volume as made. The number of unintentional errors made was very great. Examples of some of the more glaring ones can be found on pages 58 (line 4; where the last name of Captain Gwyn Reade was omitted) and 92 (last line; where the character & was written for the proper name Ann).

Pages in the MS. are indicated in the printed volume by Arabic numerals enclosed in parentheses.

In the indexes the number of times a name or a topic occurs on a page is indicated by a small Arabic numeral above, and to the right, of the numeral indicating the number of the page.
Although the editor has read the proof four times, in every case using the original MS. as his guide, he is aware of the fact that in works of this kind some mistakes are inevitable. He hopes that the number of such mistakes is small. Any one wishing to check up on the work can do so by comparing the printed volume with the original MS. (in the Library of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, at Alexandria) or with the photostat copy of the original on file in the Archives Department of the Virginia State Library, in Richmond.

To his son, Edward Pye Chamberlayne, for material aid in preparing the indexes, and to Mr. Edwin L. Levy, of the Old Dominion Press, to whose helpful suggestions and unwearied interest the mechanical excellence of the book is entirely due, the editor wishes to acknowledge his great indebtedness.

If this volume serves to awaken further interest in the preservation and reproduction in print of the parish records of Colonial Virginia, the editor will feel more than repaid for his trouble in preparing it for the printer.

C. G. Chamberlayne.

Richmond, Virginia,
August 31, 1929.
The Vestry Book
...of...
Kingston Parish
Mathews County, Virginia, 1679-1796

Pish ye North At a meeting [ ] Vestrymen & [ ]
[ ]ver p'cinct Novemb' y' 15th 1679

Coll Richd Dudley
Psent Mr James Ranjon
Mr James Hill Vestrymen

Mr George Burge
Mr George Lefcaillet Neighbour [ ]
The mark I of y' Said [ ]
The mark Bayley then psent

It was & is agreed y' Whereas there hath beene diverje
Tymb' Trees f[ ] & made u[e of for y' Reparacon of the
North-River Chapell w't trees grew up [ ] y' Land of M' Thomas Tabb & was more then amounted to y' Said Tabbs
propor[ ] It is agreed, Ordered, Consented to, & Determined
by y' S' Vestry y' on Condicon Sd Tabb shall fully remitt
all Claims for & Concerning all Timbr already f[ ] of
his for y' u[e afores' that there shall be noe more tymbr'
trees fallen up[ ] Lands of y' sd Tabb for y' tyme to come
untill y' rest of y' Dishoners in t[ ] Cour[e have contributed
proportionably as much for y* uje aforesd as he y* sd [ ]
hath done already In witnese whereof y* Vesture of y* p’cint of y* North-Ri[ ] Chappell aforesd have hereunto Sett their hands y* day & Yeare above Specifie[ ]

Signed by y* Vesture & Neighbourhood as abo[ ] are Named
Vera Cop*  Tes*  George Axe  C Vesture  K[ ]
1679

Kingstone  At a meeting of y* Vesturemen & Inhabitants of y* p’cint of North River Octob
River p’cint  y* 14th 1680

M* Mychaell Zyperus Clerg
M* Sands Knowles  M* George LeScaillet
p’sent M* James Ranjon  M* Jn* Seayres
M* George Burge  Thomas Bayley
Vesturemen  Inhabitants

Bought of M* James Ranjon for y* Chappels uje a great Church Bible & two Larg Common prayer books cost 100[ ]15 10
Bought of M* Jn* Seayres a Chest to keepe y* S* Books cost 1[ ]
Ordered by y* full consent of y* abovesd Vesture & Inhabitants y* M* James [ ] be payd out of y* p’cint One thousand pds of Tob* for a great Bible & two [ ] Common prayer Bookes for y* uje of y* North-River Chappell & y* he colle[ ] himselfe as Churchwarden
Ordered y* M* Jn* Seayes be allowed for a Chest wth a lock & key to it [ ] keepe y* abovesd Bookes One hundred pds of Tob* to be pd him this p*sent Co[ ] by y* Churchwarden of y* abovesd p’cint
Ordered y* Tho Clapp be pd five hundred pds of Tob* & cask for keepin[ ] Cleane y* Chappell & y* Chappell Yard
M* This Vesture book given by m* Jn* Seayres for y* uje
of y* p’cinct of y* Nor[ ] River y* day of y* said Vestry

The Charge of y* Sd p’cinct being 1630\(^\circ\) of Tob° divided
by 119 Tyth[ ]b[ ] 13\(^\circ\) of Tob° \(\approx\) pole & 83 being y* frac-
tion on y* Division is allowed [ ] to be 14\(^\circ\) \(\approx\) pole

Tes’t George Axe
1680

(2)
[ ] on At a Meeting of y* Vestrymen & Inhabitants
[ ] y* of y* aforesaid p’cinct Novemb’ y* 2\(^\circ\) 1681
[ ]th River
[ ]cinct

M* Sands Knowles       M* Jn° Seayres
M* James Ranson
M* George Burge
M* Charles Jones
Vestrymen            Inhabitants

Ordered y* Charles Jones Churchwarden of y* North-River
p’cinct Collect three pounds of Tobacco \(\approx\) pole of each Tyth-
able in y* Said p’cinct for y* paym* of five hundred pounds of
Tobacco & Cask this p’sent yeare to Thomas Clapp for y*
paines he taketh upon y* Chappell & Chappell-Yard but partly
out of Charity to ye Said Clapp

The abovesd Vestrymen & Inhabitants have thought good
to continue y* Said Thomas Clapp in his abovesd Imploym* &
to allow him y* aforesd quantity of tobacco

Tes’t George Axe Cl Vest. Kingston
1681

At a Meeting of y* Vestrymen & Inhabitants of y* Northern
p’cinct y* 23\(^\circ\) of November 1682

Wee y* Subscrib*, Vestrymen & Inhabitants of y* abovesd
p’cinct doe Ord* Jn° Billups Churchwarden of y* said p’cinct
to Repaire or cause to be repaired y* Chappell belonging to
y* said p‘cinct & w* y* said Billups is at Charge about y* said Work he bring in an Acc* thereof as soone as he hath done y* Same at w* tyme ordr shall be taken to make him full Satisfaccon accordingly

George Burge
George Leʃcaillet
Daniell Hunter
The mark of
The mark of
Thomas Bayley

M: Zyperus
James Ranson
Sands Knowles
Rich dudley Ju'

[ ] stone At a Meeting of y* Vestrymen & Inhabitants of
[ ] y* Northern p‘cinct y* 18th of Novemb' 1682
[ ]

Mr* Sands Knowles
Mr* James Ranson Mr* George Leʃcaillet Inhabitant
Mr* George Burge

Ordered y* Jn* Billups Churchwarden of y* North River p‘cinct Collect 4lb of Tob° pole of each Tythable in y* said p‘cinct for y* Satįfαcon of Thomas Clapp for keeping of y* Chappell & y* Chappell Yard Cleane

Tesť George Axe Cl Vestry Kingstone
1682

(3)
Kingstone At a Meeting of y* Vestry & Inhabitants
Fish North- ff of North R[ ] p‘cinct Octob* y* 27th 1683
River p‘cinct

Mr* James Ranson Mr* Richd Dudley
Mr* Sands Knowles Mr* Ambroʃse Dudley
Mr* George Burge Daniell Hunter
Mr* Jn* Billups Tho: Bayley

Vestrymen Inhabitants
Ordered yt m° Jn° Seayres Churchwarden of ye North River p'cinct Collect three pounds of Tob° in ye said p'cinct & yt he make good hast therein.

Ordered yt ye said Churchwarden pay Mr Jn° Billups two hundred pounds of tob° out of ye said p'cinct this p'sent yeare.

Ordered yt ye said Churchwarden pay Thomas Clapp two hundred & twenty pounds of tob° & yt he make him Speedy paym°.

Creditt Given to Thomas Clapp for Thirty pounds of tobacco to be assejsed on ye next yeares Levy in ye sd p'cinct

Test George Axe Cl Vestr Kingstone

Kingstone    At a Meeting of ye Vestr & Sevall of ye Fish North ls Inhabitants of ye North River p'cinct October ye 19th 1684

M° James Ranson          M° Rob° Peyton
M° Sands Knowles         M° Jn° Seayres
M° Jn° Billups           M° Richd Dudley Jun
Vestrymen               Inhabitants

The Vestrymen & Sevall of ye Inhabitants of ye abovesd p'cinct did yt day above nam[ ] Order mee as Clark of Vestr to Impower Mr Richd Dudley Jun ye p'sent Churchwarden [ ] Vertue hereof to Collect & pay Conveniently this p'sent Fish Levy unto Thomas Clapp 250lb of [ ] for his Service to ye Chappell besides 30lb of tob° due to him since last yeare being in all 280lb [ ] tob° w° is two pds of tob° pole throughout ye p'cinct & two pds of tob° still due to ye sd Tho[ ] Clapp on Creditt till next yeare

Test George Axe Cl Vestr Kingstone

The 27th of June 1687

The Day abovesd M° Mychaell Zyperus Minestr did prom-
ife to give fitt & Convenient Glassse for y* Window at y* Gable End of y* New Chappell to be built for y* Northern pcinc[ ]
In witnesse whereof he hath hereunto Sett his hand
M: Zyperus
Kingto[ ]

(4)
Kingstone Parrish At a Meeting of y* Vestrymen & North River pcinct fs Inhabitants of y* above sd y* 11th of Octob' 1687

Coll Rich* Dudley Mr Richd Dudley
M* James Ranson Mr Ambrofe Dudley
Mr Sands Knowles Mr W* Elliott
M* Jn* Billups M*Tho: Neale
Vestrymen M* Edd Sadler
Inhabitants

Ordered by y* above sd Vestrymen & Inhabitants That Mr Rob* Elliott Churchwarden of y* above sd pcinct doe forthwith Collect of each Tithable pcson in y* sd pcinct 162lb of good Sweet jented Tobacco for & towards y* building of a New Chappell in y* above pcinct & for other Necejsary Charges thereabout; And y* sd Churchwarden Satisfye & pay unto Thomas Clapp for Cleaning y* Chappell 276lb of tob° out of y* sd Collection in Convenient Time to his Content & further y* sd Churchwarden Do detain & Secure the Remaining Summe of tob° (after Collection thereof is made) in his hands, untill further ord* be Given him by y* above sd Vestrymen & Inhabitants at their next Meeting about their disposeing thereof.

The Charg Levyed is as followeth vizt
To Tobacco for y* Workmen 20,000lb Tob°
To Tob° for Glassse 1,000
Tobacco for Cask 1080
To Tho Clapp 276

The Totaull Summe is 22356 being
Divided by 138 Tythables comes to 162 bushels of tobacco; pole from each Tythable person

Test: George Axe, Cl Vestr, Kingstone

Kingstone At a Meeting appointed for ye Inhabitants

JJ of ye North River precinct ye 9th day of October An. 1690

Mr. James Boker, Clerk
Mr. James Ranjon
Mr. Wm. Elliott
Mr. Sands Knowles
Mr. Robt. Elliott
Mr. Jn. Billups
Mr. Richd. Dudley
Mr. Henry Wareing
Mr. Tho. Neale
Mr. Robt. Peyton
Mr. Daniell Hunter
Mr. Tho. Ballard

Whereas ye Gentlemen of ye Vestry & Inhabitants of ye above precinct have ye day aforesaid assessed 200 bushels of Tobacco pole to be paid by each Tythable person being in Number in ye said precinct 139. And Mr. James Ranjon & Mr. Henry Wareing having, by ye Request of Gentlemen abovenamed, taken ye Collection thereof, it is therefore Ordered ye evy Tythable person in ye above precinct pay ye sd 200 bushels of Tobacco pole upon demand to ye sd Mr. James Ranjon & Mr. Henry Wareing for & toward ye payment for ye new Brick Chappell now in building in ye aforesaid precinct. And if any person concerned shall refuse to pay the Equal portion to ye above Collectors or to bring it to such houses as shall be appointed, then ye sd Collectors have hereby power to make distress

Ordered ye 5th of tobacco pole be deducted for Cask out of ye Summe Levyed by ye above order.

Ordered ye Daniell Hunter be paid out of ye tobacco to be collected 500 bushels of tobacco & Cask for ye building of ye Bridge at ye head of ye North River.
At ye aforesd Meeting ye Gentlemen then present did willingly Convenant ye there shall be [ ] to George Axe Clark for keeping of ye Vestry book & other pains by him taken at ye laying ye next Chapells Levy 500 of tobacco & Cask

The Copy of Rob* Trews Ingagm*

I Rob* True in ye yeare 1689 have now Built ye North River Bridge, & have recd pay of Daniell Hunter these Lines shall be his discharg And further I doe oblige my Selfe mee my heires Exec* or assigns to ye Gentlemen of ye Vestry with warranty to keep ye sd Bridge in good Repaire for ye full Tearme of Seaven yeares beginning from ye date above mencioned as witnes my hand this present Moneth of December ye 21st 1690

Testes
George Gillett
Mathew Swanjone

Vera Cop* Tes* George Axe C* vestr Kingstone

Kingstone Parish At a Meeting of ye Vestrymen & Inhabitants of ye abovesd p'cinct ye
North River p'cinct 19th day of Novemb 1691
Cap* James Ranjone M* Rob* Peyton
Cap* Sands Knowles M* Richd Dudley
Cap* Henry Waring M* Ambrojse Dudley
Mr Jn* Billups M* W* Elliott
Vestrymen M* Daniell Hunter
Inhabitants

*An illegible abbreviation follows this name. Probably it is Jno* (Junior).—C. G. C.
Ordered ye m* Edmd Roberts pay unto George Axe Clark of ye Vestry 500\(^b\) of tob\(^b\) & Cask in ye Northern \(\equiv\)ecint this p\(\text{sent}\) Cropp

At a Meeting for ye North River P\(\text{cinct}\) Octob\(r\) ye 9\(th\) 1692

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Ordered That M\(r\) Rob* Elliott Churchwarden Collect 138\(^b\) of tob\(^b\) in ye North River p\(\text{cinct}\) of each Tythable \(\equiv\)son there for ye Satisfacon of m\(r\) Edw\(a\) Malen ye last paym\(t\) for building ye Chappell belonging to ye sd p\(\text{cinct}\) & for ye paym\(t\) of Charles Sanders Sextone ye Sume of 300\(^b\) tob\(^b\) for the Cleaning ye sd Chappell to this day & ye Remaind\(t\) being 120\(^b\) of tob\(^b\) to be pd to ye sd Sanders he giveing ye p\(\text{cinc}\) Credit for it ye next yeare

Ordered to m\(r\) Edw\(a\) Malyn out of ye above tob\(^b\) to be Collected 18088\(^b\) of Tob\(^b\) & Cask Saveing foe much as ye Churchwarden shall be out to finish what work is further to be done in ye Chappell

The Inhabitants of ye Above p\(\text{cinct}\) have given their free Consent ye Cap* James Ranson to build a pew for his family in ye Chancell of ye Chappell

James Ransone          | Rob* Elliott |
Sands Knowles          | Rich dudley iuno* |
Robert Peyton           | Thomas: Ballard |
Jn* Billups            | John Butler    |
W\(a\) Elliott*         | Tho: neale     |

The mark of

W\(\equiv\) Hurdle

* An illegible abbreviation follows this name. Probably it is Jno* (Junior).—C. G. C.
rth River At a Meeting for y* aforesd p'cinct

Cap† Sands Knowles Mr Rob† Elliott
p'sent M* Jn° Billups Inhabitants
M* W= Elliott Mr Tho: Ballard

Ordered to Charles Sanders one pound of Tob° pole in y* p'cinct being in all 131½ tob° to be paid to y° Sd Sanders by y° Churchwarden of y° p'cinct

Charles Sanders is to give y° p'cinct Creditt for 51½ tob° next yeare

Tes† George Axe Cl vestry Kingst[ ]

M* Edw= Maylen Dr Acc° 1692

To yo' bill to Cap† Ranson 2186
To yo' note to Cap† Peyton 2853
To yo' note to Jn° Butler 1700
To yo' note to Cap† Peyton 735
To yo' note to Cap† Knowles 975
To 2 hh° Tob° yo' boate foott* 1150
To tob° p° yo° W= Robarts 600
To tob° p° Law: Parrott 30
To tob° p° m° Axe p° Sessions 70
To yo' note to m° Bayler 666
To tob° p° Burton p° Powell 133
To tob° p° 16846 at 5 p° C° 844
To tob° due from m° Gregory 1242
To yo' note to Sessions 1300
To yo' note to m° Todd 1050
To tob° p° Tho: Hamon 169
To 3 hh° Tob° 1860

17563

* This word was difficult to decipher. It may be brott.—C. G. C.
To ball due to m' Maylen

Contra C' 1692

By yo' Crd'

Recd y* above sd Acc' this
19th of 7th 1693
mee E* Maylen

Tes' W* Robarts

This is a true Copy of y* Acc' of y* last paym' to m' Edw* Maylen given mee by m' Rob* Elliott late Churchwarden of y* North River p'cinct about y* Brick Chappell there lately finished

Tes' George Axe CI vestry

North River At a Meeting for y* sd P'cinct Octob'
P'cinct Js y 16th 1694

Cap* James Ranjone M* Rich* Dudley
Cap* Sands Knowles M* Rob* Elliott

M* Jn* Billups Edm* Roberts
M* Amb: Dudley Humphry Tomkins
M* W* Elliott W* Tomkins

Inhabitants

There are 135 Tythables this year

Ordered y* James Hill Churchwarden Collect one pound of Tob* pole of each Tythable in [ ] above P'cinct & pay y* Same to Charles Sanders who hath C' for 14£ of tob* ag' next yeare

Ordered y* y* Churchwarden pay 1080£ of good Tob* to Cap* James Ranjone who hath promised to give y* P'cinct bills of Exchang for y* Same at 10* C' That therewith there may be bought a Pulpett Cloath & Cushion for y* Chappell belonging to y* above p'cinct & y* James Hill Churchwarden upon y* Rec' of y* sd Bills doe (w* y* first Con-
veniency) send for ye sd Ornament of a Green Colour wth these letters underwritten wrought on ye Pulpett Cloath & ye ye sd Church warden discharg ye ye sd Cap't Ranjone in ye behalf of ye above p'cinct upon ye Receipt of ye ye sd Bills of Exchang.

The Letters to be wrought on ye Pulpett Cloath are

\[\times K \times\]
\[\times N \times P \times\]

Ordered ye ye above Churchwarden Collect Eight pounds of Tob\(\text{°}\) of Every Tythable in ye above p'cinct for ye due Performace of ye aforesd Order

Tes't George Axe Cl vestr Kingsto[y]

(7)

North River At a Meeting for ye p'cinct November P'cinct ye ye [ ] 1695

Cap't James Ranjone

p'sent Cap't Sands Knowles & other ye Inhabitants Mr Jn° Billups

Ordered ye Wm Tomkins Churchwarden Collect two pounds of Tob\(\text{°}\) \(\frac{2}{3}\) pole of each Tythable in ye p'cinct & pay ye Same to Charles Sanders for Cleaning ye Chappell

Charles Sanders is to give ye p'cinct Creditt for 54\(\£\) Tob\(\text{°}\) y* next yeare

Tes't George Axe Cl vestr King [y]

North River Att a Meeting for ye p'cinct Octob' ye ye 4\(\text{th}\) 1696 P'cinct \(\text{\&}\) sent The Vestrymen & Consent of other ye Inhabitants

Ordered That Mr Wm Elliott Churchwarden Collect 1\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\£\) tob\(\text{°}\) of each Tythable in ye above P'cinct & ye he pay to Mr Shropshire 25\(\£\) tob\(\text{°}\) & to Charles Sanders 168\(\£\) tob\(\text{°}\)

Charles Sanders is to give ye p'cinct Creditt for 22\(\£\) tob\(\text{°}\) y* next Yeare
Tes' George Axe Cl vestry Kingstone

North River At y* North River Chappell y* 3d day of
P'cinct Js November 1700

The Churchwarden of y* above p'cinct was y* day & year
aforesd Impowred to Collect one pound of Tobacco £ pole
for to pay y* Sextone Jn° Lucas there being 262 Tythables
in y* P'cinct

Tes' George Axe Cl vestry King[ ]
To Humphry Tompkins
Churchwarden

North River At A Meeting for North River P'cinct
P'cinct Js October y* 17th 1701

P'sent y* Gent men of y* Vestry

Ordred that y* Church warden of y* Above P'cinct doe
forthwith Collect one pound of Tobacco £ pole thro out [ ]
Sd P'cinct for y* payment of y* Sexton Thomas Neele & for
to pay John Luckus 38 lb of Tobacco which was de[ ] him last
yeare Thare being this yeare within y* sd P'cinct 149 tithables

To Henry Bolton Churchwarden
Tes' Henry Bolton Cl' vestry Kingfish

North River At A Meeting Att y* North River Chapell
P'cinct Js November y* 23d 1702

Capt: Ambros Dudly Vestry man
Mr* Richard Dudly Mr* Wm Elliott
P'sent Mr* James Ranson: Ju* Mr* Robert Elliott
Mr* John Coot Mr* Wm Tomcins
Mr* Charles Jones Mr* Humphre Tomcins
In habitants

Ordered that y* Church Wardin of y* Afore Sd P'cinct doe
forth with Collect two pounds of tobacco £ pole throu out
y* S* Scinct for y* payment of Thomas Neele Sexton: thare being dew to him upon Areares 109\textsuperscript{th} tobacco & this ʃsent yeares Allowance 200\textsuperscript{th} tob°—which is in all 309\textsuperscript{th} tob°: thare being With in y* S* Scinct this ʃsent yeare 180 tithables which being Aseased 2\textsuperscript{th} pole Cuns to 360\textsuperscript{th} tobacco The Remainer being 51\textsuperscript{th} tob° the S* Church Wardin is to keepe in his hands & be Accountable for to y* S* Scinct Next yeare

Ver*: Cop*: Test Henry Bolton Cl* Vestry Kingsto ʃish
To Henry Bolton Church Wardin
for North River Scinct

(8)

[ ] River Att A Meeting at y* North River
[ ] 11 Js Chap[ ] ctob[ ] [ ]

ʃsent Left Coll° James Ranson
Cap° Ambros Dudley Vestry Men
Mr* W° Elliott
Mr* Robert Elliott
Mr* Richard Dudley
Mr* Humphry Tompkins Inhabitants

Ordered that y* ʃsent Churchwarden do forth with Collect one pound of Tobacco ʃ pole of Each tithable ʃson within y* S* Scinct for y* payment of y* Sexton there being with in y* S* Scinct this ʃsent yeare 171 Tithables
Test Henry Bolton Cl* Vy

North River At A Meeting at y* Chaple aforesd on Chaple Js the firs day of November 1704

ʃsent Vestry M Coll James Ranson M* Robert Elliott
Cap° Ambros Dudley M* Richard Dudley
M* W° Tompkins
M* Thomas Peyton
Inhabitants
It was this day Concluded on by ye Gen* Men above saide for to Levey Tobacco for ye Repairing of ye Chaple afore sd which was accordenly done in manner following

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<td>To pay for the shingles being 11000 att 15* ℔ thousand</td>
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<td>To pay Wm Creedle for Covering ye sd Chaple</td>
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The S* Som of 3968*: Tobacco being Leveied through ye S* Scinct to 23* ℛ pole there being in ye S* Scinct this ℛsent yeare on whome this is Levied 172 Tithables

Tes* Henry Bolton Cl* Vestry Kingston ℛsh

An accot of the Disposing of ye a bove S*: 3968*: of Tob*
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To Credett to y* Churchwarden            | 12     |
|                                         | 3964   |

Test Henry Bolton Cl* vestry Ki[

(9) North River Att A Meeting for ye S* Scinct on ye Scinct Js 24* of Novmber 1705
Cap* Ambros Dudley Vestry Man
M* William Elliott
M* Robert Elliott

In Habitants
M* Richard Dudley
M* James Ransone Sr
M* William Tompkins
M* Thomas Peyton

Ordered that Cap* Ambros Dudley Church Worden doe forthwith with Collect 2\textsuperscript{nd} of Toba[ ] pole of Each Tithable \& son within ye S\textsuperscript{d} \&cinct for ye Satisfaction of ye Sexton & to pay for 100 foot of Planck for ye use of ye Chapell; there being in ye S\textsuperscript{d} \&cinct yeare 172 tithes which Cums to 344\textsuperscript{rd} Tobacco

Ordered To pay M* Neele Sexton 200
To pay for planck 100

300

Mor Credett due 44\textsuperscript{th} Tob* Test Henry Bolton Cl* vestry Kingston

North River
\&cinct 1706

Ordered that Coll James Ransone Churchwarden doe Collect One pound of Tobacco \& pole of Each tithable \& son within ye sd \&cinct for ye paymen[ ] of ye Sexton there being in ye \&cinct this year 176 Tiths which Cums to [ ]
Credett Due to ye \&cinct 20\textsuperscript{th} Tob* Ordered to pay M* Neele 200\textsuperscript{th}

Test Henry Bolton Cl* vestry Kingston

North River
\&cinct \& 1707

Ordered that M* Peter Ransone do forthwith Collect 1\textsuperscript{st} Tob* \& pole throug[ ] ye said \&cinct for ye satesfaction of ye Sexton there being in ye S\textsuperscript{d} Pscinct this [ ] 166 Tiths
ordered to pay M* Th* Neale Sexton 186\textsuperscript{th} Tob*
Credett due to M* Neale 14\textsuperscript{th} Tob*
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Test Henry Bolton Cl' vest' Kings Fish

North River

1708

Ordered that Mr. William Elliott Churchwarden do Collect
one pound of Tob* p[ ] Through y* S* scinct for y*
Satisfaction of y* Sexton there being in y* S* scinct this
year 169 Tiths Ordered to pay M' Th* Neale Sexton 169*
Tob*

Credett due to M' Neale 45"b Tob*  

Test Henry Bolton Cl' King' Fish

North River

1709

Ordered that Mr. Robert Elliott Churchwarden do Collect
too pounds & hal[ ] of Tobacko p pole of Each Tithable p[son
within y* S* scincts for y* S* Sexton & other
y* Fish Credetors there being within y* S* scincts y* sents
yeare 168 Tithables

To pay Wm Smith for too Casements  200
To pay Tho Neale Sexton  200
To pay Tho Neale on a Reares  45

445

Tes' Henry Bolton Cl' vest' Kings' Fish

[10]

Att a meeting on y* 30* of September 1710

Cap' Ambros Dudley
Pr'sent M' Peter Ransone
M' Robert Elliott

Ordered That Cap' Ambros Dudley Churchwarden do Col-
lect one pound & halfe of Tobako of Each Tithable p[son
within y* S* scinct: & To pay Mary Neale Sexton Too
hundred pounds of Tobako & to keepe ye Rest in his Hands
tell next yeare there Being in y* Scincts y* yeare 167 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl' Vest' Kings' pish

[ ]rth River at a meeting on y* 13th day of September
[ ]ct 1711

Capt Ambros Dudley

\$sent m' Robert Elliott Vestrymen

m' Peter Ransone

Ordered that M' Peter Ransone do Collect one pound & halfe of Tobacko pole of Each Tithable \$son with In y* Said Scinct & to pay William Tompkins Sexton Too hundred pounds of tobacco & to leve y* Rest In William Tompkins hands tell next yeare there being in y* Said Scinct this yeare 163 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl' Vest' Kings' pish

[ ]rth River At a meeting on y* 14th day of octo-
[ ]scinct Js ber 1712 \$sent Cap' Ambros Dudley & M' Robert Elliott Vest Me

Ordered

to pay Cap' Thomas Todd for a box of Leed Sawder & gla's 300

to pay M' Richard Jueson for mending y* Chapell windows 250

to pay M' Tomkins for his trouble & a/sistance 100

to pay William Tomkins Sexton 200

\[ \text{Co C} \]

by Cap' Ambros Dudley 50lb Tob
by M' William Tomkins 44

94 94

\[ \text{Je whole Charge being } 756\text{lb Tob} \text{ which} \]

756
devided by 151 y* number of tithables this yeare Coms to 5\textsuperscript{th} tob* $\frac{3}{4}$ pole Mr. Robert Elliott being Churchwarden [ ] is year is ordered to Collect y* Same

Tes' Henry Bolton Cl' Vestry Kingst ?ish

North River Att A meeting on y* 30\textsuperscript{th} day of September
\textsuperscript{\textcopyright}scinct 1713 by y* vestry Men of y* S\textsuperscript{a} ?Scinct

Ordered That Cap\textsuperscript{t} Ambros Dudley do Collect 2 pounds of Tobacco $\frac{3}{4}$ pole of Each Tithable $\frac{3}{4}$son within y* S\textsuperscript{a} ?Scinct there being in y* S\textsuperscript{a} ?Scinct this yeare 152 Tithables

lb Tob*
To pay William Tomkins Sexton 200
Tob* due to Cap\textsuperscript{t} Dudley To pay Henry Bolton 118 318

Tes' Henry Bolton Cl' vest' Kings ?ish

North River Att A Meeting on y* 7\textsuperscript{th} day of February
\textsuperscript{\textcopyright}Scinct 17 14/15 presant Cap\textsuperscript{t} Ambros Dudley & Mr. Robert Elliott Ves\textsuperscript{r} M[ ]

Ordered that 2 pounds of Tobacco $\frac{3}{4}$ pole be Levied Through the S\textsuperscript{a} ?Scinct & to pay y* Same as followeth in there b[ ] in y* S\textsuperscript{a} ?Scinct 146 Tithables

To pay William Tompkins Sexton 200
To pay Cap\textsuperscript{t} Ambros Dudley 14

Tes' Hen: Bolton Cl' vest' King [ ]

\(11\)
W[ ] Tom Dr
To old acco 78
To ye* pay\textsuperscript{t} 146 Church

Ordered that One pound of Tobako $\frac{3}{4}$ pole be Collected Through
Credet $2 sal. 200 the Nor[ ] River P'scinct & y* same payd unto William Tompkins
Due to P'scinct 24 Sexton. There being [ ] S* P'scinct this present yeare 146 Tithables: Tes* Henry Bolton Cl* vestry Kings $4s[ ]

W= Tom Det* to old acco' 24 At a vestry held y* 2* of october 1716 for y* Parish of Kingston
To y* years pay' 157 Ordered that one pound of Tobako $ pole be Collected through
By Cred': y* years 181 y* North Ri[ ] P'scinct & the
Sal' 200 Same payd unto William Tompkins Sexton there being in y* [ ]
Due to W= Tom 19 P'scinct this present yeare 157 Tithables: Tes* Henry Bolton Cl* ves' Kings $3

W= Tom Det* 312 At a meeting of y* North River
Credt $ Sal' 200 November 1717
C' $ last acco' 019 Ordered that two pounds of Tobako $ pole be Collected by Mr
W= Tom Det* to y* P'scinct 93 John Tabb Churchward[ ] Through
To y* P'scinct 93 y* Said P'scinct & y* Same payd unto William Tompkins Sexton there be[ ] In y* S* P'scinct this present year 156 Tithables; Tes* Henry Bolton Cl* ves' Kings $4

W= Tom Det* to 149 At A Meeting of y* Vestry Men
To last yeare 93 of the North River P'scinct on y*
W P'scinct on 29* of September 17[ ]
242 Ordered that Mr John Tabb
Credet $ Sal' 200 Church warden do Collect one pound of Tobako [ ] Pole of Each
Due to y* P'scinct 42 P'scinct & to pay y* Same unto Wil-
liam Tompkins Sexton there being in ye Sompinct this present year 149 Tithable[
]  
Tes* Henry Bolton  
Cl' ves* King* Fish

W* Tomp Det* 306 At A Meeting of ye* Vestry Men  
To last years acco 42 of ye* North River Scinct on ye* 29th of 7ber 17[ ]

348 Ordered that Mr Robert Elliott Churchwarden do Collect two

Cred by Sal* 200 pounds of Tobako[ ] Pole of Each

Due to ye* Scinct 148 Scinct & to pay ye* Same unto Willia[ ] Tompkins Sexton there
being in ye* Sompinct this present yeare 153 Tithables

Tes* Henry Bolton  
Cl' ves* Kings Fish[
]

W* Tomp Det* 154 At A Meeting of ye* Vestry  
To last years acco* 148 Men of ye* North River Scinct

302 Ordered that Mr Robert Elliott Churchwarden do Collect

C* Salery 200 one pound of Tobako Pole

Due to ye* Scinct 102 of Each Tithable Scion through ye* Sompinct & to pay ye* Same to William Tompkins Sexton there being in ye* Scinct this Present yeare 154 Tithables

Tes* Henry Bolton  
Cl' Vest* Kings Fish

W* Tomp Det* to 168 At a Meeting of ye* Vestry  
to last years acco* 102 Men of ye* North River Scinct

270 Ordered ye* Mr George Dudley
C's Salery 200
Due to ye Scinct 70

Church Warden do Collect one pound of Tobako [ ] Pole of Each Tithable Son through ye S'd Scinct & to pay ye Same to William Tompkins Sexton there being in ye S'd Scinct this yeare 168 Tithables

Tes* Henry Bolton
Cl' ves' Kingston Parish

Mrs Tompkins D to 173
To old acc't 70

At a meeting of ye Vestry Men of ye North River Scinct on ye 29th of September 1722

243
Ordered ye Cap' George Dudley Church Warden do Collect one pound of Tobacco pole of Each tithable Son through ye S'd Scinct & to pay ye Same to Mrs Sarah Tompkins Sexton there being in the Said Scinct this yeare 173 Tithables

Tes* Henry Bolton
Cl' ves' Kingston Parish

Mrs Tompkins D to 177
To last Eares Acc't 43

At a Meeting of ye Vestry Men of ye North River Scinct on ye 30th: of September 1723

220
Ordered that Mr William Elliott Churchwarden do Collect one pound of Tobako pole of Each tithable Son through ye S'd Scinct & to pay ye Same to Mrs Sarah Tompkins S[ ] There being in ye Said Scinct this Sent yeare 177 Tithables

Tes* Henry Bolton
Cl' Vestry Kingston Parish
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[ ]pkins D

[ ] Acco

[ ] y years

[ ] y

[ . ] Scinct

198 Att A Meeting of y* vestry

20 Men of y* North River Precinct

on y* 29th of September 1724

218 Ordered that Mr William El-

liot Churchwarden do Collect one

pound of Tobako pole of Each

Tithable Scinct throw y* Said

Being in the Said Scinct this

present Year 198 Tithables

Tes* Henry Bolton

Clr Vestry Kingst Fish

1725

[ ]dered by y* Gen* Men of y* vestry of North River

Precinct that one pound of Tobako pole be Collected Through

The Sd Precinct & to Receive of John Tompkins 18th of Tobako

& with y* Same to pay for y* Lock for y* Chapel dore And

y* Sextons according to Agreement

Tes* Henry Bolton Clr Vestry Kingst Fish

1726

[ ]dered by y* Ge* Me of y* vestry of North River

Precinct that one pound of Tobaco pole be Collected through

The Sd Precinct & To pay y* Same To Richard

Creedle Sexton. y* Number of Tithables being 204

Tes* Henry Bolton Clr Vestr Kingston Fish

(13)

Att a Vestry Held for Kingston Parrish the 29th day of

Sep[

The Gen* present The Rev* Mr Jn* Blacknall, Cap* George

Dudley Mr Charles Debnom Gen*; Mr: Jn* Hayes Mr Jn*

Billups M[] Marlow Cap* Thomas Hayes Mr Hugh Gwyn Cap*

Robert Barnard Gen* of the Vestry ordered

Tobacco
To The Rev. Mr. Jn. Blacknall 16000 and Cask
To Ditto for Quitrents 00128
To Ditto for Wine 00360
To Cap't Jn. Cleaton 00065
To Thomas Machen 00540
To Sarah Hunley for Elizabeth Anderson 00125
To Cap't Robert Barnard for Matt Thos. for a bastard Child 00900 Next year 7[ ]
To Sarah Barton 00300
To Thomas Longest for a parish Child 00600
To Francis Lendall for oner powers 00400
To Ann Powers Sexton 00300
To Thos: Putnom Sexton 00600
To Thomas Hill for a parish Child & to Discharge yr. Parish 00700
To Thomas Willis for to Discharge his Leve 00060
To Larance Collins 00300
To Edward Wyatt Shirreff 00060
To Thomas Bridge Daughter 00300
To Wm. Brookes Cleark 01700 and Cask

24038

It is ordird by the above Vestry that Mr. Charles Blacknall Collect of Each Tithable person within This Said parish 22½ pounds of Tobacco for the Use of the Minester Cleark and other parish Creadet, it is furder orderd that the above Said Collectter Receive of Each Tithable person in the Said parish 20 pounds of Tobacco for the Churches now in building orderd by the above Said Vistry that the Tobacco now In Cap't Barnards Hands be put In Cask

Cap't Rob't Barnard Mr. Hugh Gwyn Churchwardins
Tithables 1[ ] parish This Year 1148
22½ per pol[ ]

Test Wm. Brookes C:1
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish the 6th day of April 1741

P'sen: The Rev'd Jn* Blacknaul Cap* George Dudley Cap* Tho* Hayes Cap* Robert Barnard Mr W= Armistead Mr Jn* Hayes Mr Jn* Billups Mr Hugh Gwyn Mr Charles Debnam

It was agreed on by the Said Gen*: of the Vestry That Mr Moore and Mr W= Rand do Take all The New Brick wall Down which They put Up and Build y* Said wall up againe, with good Brickes & good Morter Workmanlike and to do it with all Experdition So that The whole Building is to be well performed By the Last Day of July Next

and The Said More and Rand to Repare all Damages the old Church hath Sustained by Them, and it is further agreed that Mr Rand Rep' what is wanting to The old Church and to make a pew Each Side the Common Table and To bring his Acc* to the Next Vestry, it further Agread That Thom*: Dawjon Serve as Cleark at The New Church Till Whitson'tide Upon Liking and if approve* on to Continue for one Thousand pounds of Tobacco p* Yeare Cap* Robert Barnard to Take Bond and Security of the above More and Rand

Test W= Brookes C: V: K

1741 order of payments to be Made Next Year as follows Vift

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It is further agreed by the said gen* to Leve Ten pounds
of Tobacco p' Pole for the Church now in Reparing
Text W= Brookes

15)
At a Vestry Hild for Kingston Parish the 29th day of
Octob[ ] 1741
The Gen' of The Vistry present The Rev' M' Jn' Black
nall Co' Henry Armistead Cap' Rob' Barnard M' Jn': Bil
lup[ ] M' Hugh Gwyn Cap' Thomas Hayes M' Jn' Hayes
Cap' George Dudley M' Charles Debnom M' W= Marlow

It was order' by the Said Vestry *That *M'
To y' Rev' M' Jn' Blacknall 16000 & Cask
To Ditt' for Quitrents of The Gleabe land 00128
To Ditt' for wine for the Church 00350
To Sarah Burton 00400
To Francis Lendall for oner Powers 00400
To Elizabeth Turner 00300
To Geo: Elliott for Thomas putnom & wife 01000
To Matt. Thomas for a bastard Child 00700
To Ann Pallester Sexton 00300
To Ava': CantreU Sexton 00067
To Caleb Hunley for Ann power Sexton 00233
To Thomas Peak and Thomas Bridge 00300
To Thomas Daujon Cleark 00500
To Larance Collins 00300
To Cap' Jn' Cleaton 00255
To James Wyatt Sheriff 00080
To W= Brookes Cleark 01700 & Cask
To W= Brookes for Taring the Churches 01300

24323 Depose'

To 8 per C': on 18188 is 01455 211
To 4 p' C': on 06135 is 00246

24323

26024 by 1166

Tithables

is 22½ p' Po[ ]

* These two words scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.
It was ordered that Mr. Charles Blacknall be Collect for ye above S* Yeare

Col* Henry Armistead and Mr. Charles Debnam be Churchwardins for ye said yeare

It is further agreed on by the Said Gen* of ye Vistry, that Mr. William Rand is to Repar all the Body of The old Cha[ ] and to Make New window frames, and Sashes, and to fill the said windowes With good Crown gla*s, and to ha[ ] all the old gla*s and other Stuff To his one Use and at the Trew performance of the Said work to Rec* fifty [ ]nds Curant Cash for so doing

(16)

Acc* of What is ordred to be paid Next year 1743

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Cap* Geo. Dudley

To pay Francis Lendall 10* and Rich* Davis 2/6
Mr. Wm Armistead and Cap* Ambrose Dudley Churchwardins
for the year 1743

Cap* Ambrose Dudley Collector
Teft W* Brookes Cl: V.

(17)

Att A Vestry held for Kingston Parrish at ye New Church the 4th day of October 1742

Gen* of the Vestry present The Riv* Mr. Jn* Blacknall Cap* Geo: Dudley Mr. W* Elliott Mr. John Hayes Mr. John Billups Mr. Hugh Gwyn Mr. W* Armistead Cap* Ambrose Dudley
ordered

To the Rev*: Mr Jn* Blacknall 16000 & Cask
To Di** f Quitrents of y* Gleabe Land 00128
To Ditt* for Wine for y* Church 00360
To Ditt* for two Surples 01550
To Cap*: Jn*: Cleaton 00140
To Averilah Cantrill Sexton 00400
To Thomas Davis for a basterd Child 00500
To W* Brable for a basterd Child 00500
To Robert Reves for a parrish Child 00600
To W* Mason for a basterd Child 00500
To Thomas Longest for a basterd Child 00400
To Henry putnam for Mary Magerjon 00300
To Sarah Burton 00500
To Thomas Caprill 00389
To Thomas Dawjon 01100 & Cask
To W* Marchant for W* Putnam 00050
To Elizabeth Turner 00300
To Ann Palester Sexton 00300
To Thomas Bridge for his Lame Daughter 00300
To Elizabeth Longejt for James Longest 00800
To Doc*: Roche acc* for James Longest 01434
To Thomas Mahen for Thomas Putnam 00800
To Francis Lendall for Powers Daughter 00400 Dep' 103
To Ann Hudgen for Keeping James Longests Child 00500
To Larance Collins 00300
To W* Brookes Cleark 01700 & Cask
To James Cray for one Leve over Charged 00032½
To Richard Davies one Leve over Charge 00032½
To Robert fliping over Charged 00032½

[ ]

(18)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingstone Parrish the 12th Day of
October 1743

Gen* present The Rev* Mr Blacknall Minester Cap* George
Dudley Mr. William Armistead Gen': Mr John Hayes Mr
William Marlow Mr John Billups Mr Hugh Gwyn Cap'
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To William Brookes Cleark Church &
Vistry

To Easter Bohanon for Thomas Putnam Next year
Leve 27 p' pole Tithables 1176
Tefft Wm. Brookes Cleark

(19)
Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrij'h y' first day of

Gen'. Men present the Rev'd John Blacknall Cap't George
Dudley Cap't Ambrojs Dudley Mr. John Hayes Mr. John Bil-
lup[ ] Cap't Robert Barnard Mr. William Marlow Vestrym[ ]

Tobacco
To y' Rev'd John
Blacknall 16488 and Cask
To John Blacke for a
parish Child 00700
To John Matthes 00044
To Robert Reves 00300
To Sarah Burton 00300
To Elliner Dewplisey 00300
To Ann Palliser 00300
To Thomas Jarrott for
Sarah welch 00108
To Elizabeth Turner 00200
MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA, 1679-1796

To Marcus Bendickson 00200
To Thomas Bridge’s Daughter 00300
To Thomas Putnom Sexton 00250
To Thomas Hill for a parish Child 00700
To Thomas Longest for a parish Child 00700 Next Year 600
To Cap’n John Cleaton 00125
To Edward Wyatt 00170
To Larance Collins 00400
To Sarah Hunley 00150
To James powers Sexton 00300
To Caleb Hunley 00100
To Doct’ John Symer 0069
To Henry Putnom 00200
To William Brookes Clark C: V 01768 and Cask
To 18256 @ 8 p’ C is 01460 | 2
To 4 p’ C on 8919 is 00356 | 9

28998

Orderd That Cap’n Robert Barnard Receive of Each Tithable Perfon Within y^ above Said parish 26 pounds of To­bac[ ] for the Use of the minester and other parish Creadit The Said Barnard is orderd to Receive of Each of the above Said Tithables 25 pounds of Tobacco for the use of the New Church Furniture and Reparing the old Church

[ ]he Said Gen’men Hath further agreed with M^: Jn^: more & M^: W^: Rand to ad a bulding to y^ North Side of the Easter­moft Church of 25 foot Each way with a brick wall of the Same Thicknefs of y^ old wall with a gallirey and Three windos and a dore at the Eand and to shingle the Said Side of the
Church with g[ ] Shingles Laid on workman Like and to have and Receive for so doing 200 lb Curant Cash

Wm Brooke [ ]

(20) [Blank in MS.—C. G. C.]

(21)

Att Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y* 30th day of October 1744

Gen* of the Vestry present the Rev* Mr John Blacknall
Cap* George Dudley Mr Charles Debnam Mr William Elliott
Mr John Billups Mr William Marlow Cap* Gwyn Reade Cap*
Thomas Hayes Cap* Kemp Plumer

Tobacco

To y* Rev* John Blacknall 16000 and Cask
To Ditt* for quitrents 00128
To Ditt* for Wine for the Church 00360
To Cap* John Cleaton 00060
To Thomas Hunley for Roje Michell 2
  monthes 500 p' Yeare 83½
To Sarah Edwards for Roje Michell 10
  months @ 500 00416½
To Francis Armistead for Thomas Putnam 00300
To Thomas Machen for [ * ] Bridges 00015
To Ann Lendal for Powers Daughter 00400
To Richard Hunley for one Leve over paid
  Last year 00027
To Thomas Peake for Ditt* 00027
To John Forrest Jun' for Ditto for two
  Leves over paid 00054
To James Harper for Ditt* 00027
To Ann Collins 00300
To Thomas Bridge for his Daughter 00300
To Elizabeth Turner 00400
To Mary Creadle 00300
To Thomas Willis 00500

* This word is illegible. Probably it should be read Francis.—C. G. C.
To Charles Baker for buring Caprils Wife 00200
To Cap* Plumer for Caprils Wife 00300
To Ellener Hutts 00200
To Elizabeth Cleark for Sarah Burton 00500
To Joyce Dewplicey 00200
To Mary Parrott for a parrish Child 00250
To Thomas Longest for a parrish Child 00400
To Thomas Dawson Cleark 01100 and Cask
To Richard Longest for a parrish Child 00600
To Ann Pallister Sexton 00300
To Widow Cantril Sexton 00300
To George Elliott for Billins Sadler 00600
To Robert Reves for a parrish Child and to Bare the parish Harmles from the said Child but not to have his Tobacco till he hath Given the parish Bond and Security 00500
To M* William Marlow for three Leves @ 27 p* Pole 00081
To William Brookes Cleark of C: and Vestry 01700 and Cask

26929

Capt* Kemp Plumer Collictter Capt* Kemp
Plumer and M* William Marlowe Tithables
Churchwardins for this p'sent Year 1170
10 to 10 p* C* on 19288 is 1928 Leve 25½
To 6 p* C* on 7641 is 0458

29315

ordered to Sarah Edwards Next year for Rose Michell 500° Tobacco

orderd that William Brookes Cleark shall have the Deposeter yearly

Test William Brookes C[ ]
At A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish the 7th day of October 1745

Gen'r present the Rev'd Mr John Blacknall Capt Geo: Dudley Mr John Hayes Mr Charles Debnam Mr Wm Marlow Mr John Billups Capt Ambro's Dudley Mr Hugh Gwyn Capt Thomas Hayes Capt Gwyn Reade Capt Kemp Plumer

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To Robert parrott 00500
To Wm Brookes Cleark 01700 & Cask

To 10 p: on 19288 is 1928 3/4
To 6 per: on 11177 is 670 3/4

30465

To Francis Singleton Widdow £ 4: o: o: Cash to be paid by Capt Plumer out of a fine In his one hands and one In Jofeph Davis hands, and the Said Capt plumer is to pay to Mr William Tabb 12/6 out of the above Said fines for five Bushalls of wheat The Said Cap Kemp Plumer Is appointed Collector for this prejent Year 1745

ordered By the Said gen: men the Churchwardins for this Parrish do meet at the gleabe house of this Parrish at any time appointed to agree with workmen to Repare the Said gleabe house Mr John Hayes and Cap Kemp Plumer is appointed Church wardines for this prejen year
Tfst Wm Brookes C V K

(23)
Att A Vestry held for Kingston parish the 13th day of October 1746
Gen: present the Rev: Mr Blacknall Cap: George Dudley Mr William Elliott Mr John Billups Mr John Hayes Mr Charles Debnam Mr Hugh Gwyn Cap Tho Hayes Mr William Marlow Mr William Armistead Cap: Gwyn Reade Cap: Kemp Plumer

Orderd
To the Rev: Mr Blacknall 16000 & Cask
To Ditto for wine 00360
To Ditto for quitrents 00128
To Cap: John Clayton 00085
To Ann Palister Sexton 00300
To Roje Mitchel 00500
To Onner Powers
To Tho* Willis
To Rob* Spencer for a parish Child
To Ellener Huts
To Avereler Bridge
To Mary Creedle
To Elizabeth Turner
To Averela Cantril
To Thomas Dawson
To Doc* John Symer for Rob* Parrott
Francis Singleton
To the Rev* Mr Blacknall for Plastring the
   gleebe house
To Lucy Sumers
To Cap* Plumer for three levies gon Out the
   County
To Abr: Marchant for keeping of Johnsons
   Child till crismus
To 10 p* C* on 19288 is
To 6 p* C* on 6291 is
To William Brookes Cleark

To Richard Davis in cash 3/6
To Cap* Plumer to pay Tho* Dawson for a
dyal & post 7/6
Mr Charles Blacknall to pay Sans
   Smith £5 || 17* || 10* For Work don
to the Gleebe house To Rich* Hunley 15/
Cap* George Dudley p* the Ballance of his
   Acc* for Shingles to Mr Charles Blacknall £ 1||8*||6*4
Mr William Armistead Colec*
Mr William Armistead Major Ambrose Dudley

(24)
Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish ye 26* day of
   October 1747

27885

1251 Titha*1
Dep*: 262

36  VESTRY BOOK OF KINGSTON PARISH
The Vistry Men present The Rev.: Mr. John Blacknall
Cap: George Dudley Mr. John Hayes Mr. John Billups Cap:
Kemp Plumer Maj. Ambrose Dudley Cap: Thomas Hayes

ordered: Tobacco
To the Rev. Mr. John Blacknall 16000 and Cask
To Ditt. for wine for the
Church 00360
To Ditt. for quitrents for the
glebe Land 00128
To Cap. John Cleaton 00197
To Thomas Machen 00077
To Mr. James Hill for Taking
Joyce a Child of Tho's Plises
of The Parrish 00300
Mr. John Hayes to pay Mr.
Thomas Booth 14/4
Mr. John Hayes to pay Thomas
Dawson 5/
To Ann Collins for Keeping
Thomas plises Child 00450
To Abroham Rice for Keeping
a nother of plises Children 00450
To John Bujh for Keeping of
Plises Children 00050
To Ann Collins and Abroham
Rice for Keeping two of
Thomas Pises Children next
Yeare 500" Tobacco for
Each Child
To Abroham Marchant for
Jonfons Child 00400
To Francis Singleton Widdo 00800
To the widdo Cantrill for
Keeping Jane Hunley &
Sexton 01100
Mr. John Hayes to pay Wil-
liam Brookes Junr: 15/8
Major Ambroj's Dudley to pay
to Wm Brookes Junr 4/4
To Cap't Thomas Hayes for
  Keeping oner powers 00600
To Elloner Hutts 00300
To Ann Pallester 00300
To Thomas Willies 00500
To Averilia Bridge 00300
To Thomas Dawson Cleark 01200 and Cask
To Rose Michell 00500 1287
To Mary Creadle 00400 Tithables
To Elizabeth Turner 00400 at 23" p' Pole
To Lucy Sumers 00200 Depoeter 91
To Margret Nithercut 00400
To William Brookes for Vetry
  and Church 01700 and Cask
Majr Ambroj's Dudley to y'
  Rev'd: Mr Blacknall 20/ 27112 Mr Charles Debnom
  10 p' C's of 19288 is 19283½ and Mr John Bllups
  6 p' C's on 7822 is 0469¼ Churchwardins

29510

(25)
Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish the 20" day of
October 1748

Gen't Men prejt Cap't George Dudley Mr: William Armistead
Mr. William Elliott Mr. John Bllups Mr. William Marlow Mr
John Hayes Mr Hugh Gwyn Cap't Kemp Plumer

To M'r: Ann Blacknall 814½ And Cask
To Cap't John Cleaton 0234
To Thomas Machen 0054
To Doc't John Symer 1:9:9 at 14 per': 0212
To Mr Robert Bllups 0500
To Mr Robert Reade 0500
To Mr: John Bllups 0060
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19221 20815

Mr. W= Elliott Elliott Collect’.

Mr. W=: Elliott and Mr. Hugh Gwyn Churchwardins this year

Test W= Brookes C

(26)

Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y’ 10th day of October 1749

Gen’, of the Vestry Present Cap’ George Dudley Mr. Wil-

To The Rev* M* John Dickson 3113 And Cask
To Tho* Dawjon Cleark 1200 And Cask
To Ann Palister 0300
To Cap* John Cleaton 0076½
To Thomas Machen 0027
To Thomas Dawjon 0150
To Joseph Davis 0114
To Avarila Bridge to be paid to Anthony Degge Jun*: 0300
To Avarila Cantrell Sexton 0300
To M* William Marlow for a Child of Tho* Plises And to Keepe the parrish Harmlesfs after 0500
To Aroham Rice for Keeping a parrish Child 0300
To Cap* Thomas Hayes of oner Powers 1000
To Elliner Hutts 0500
To Roje Michall 0500
To Lucy Sumers 0300
To Margrett Neithercut 0400
To John Hudgen for a parrish Child Keep from the 23* day of Sep* att 750th p* year
To Lanley Billups for a parish Child And to Keep the Parrish Harmlesfs 0500
To William Brable for a parrish Child 0600
W* Brable to have Next year 750
To Mary Longest 0370
To Cap* Tho* Hayes 0075
To Ann Lendall 0500
To William Brookes CC & Vestry 1700 and Cask

12825½
10 p' C' on 6013 is 601¾ 1340 Tithables
6 p' C' on 6812 is 408¾ Deposeter 236

13834½ 13835½

Cap' Thomas Hayes And M' William Marlow is Churchwardins
M'r: William Marlow Collect'
The Gen' of the Vistrey agread to Leve 3" of Tobacco per pole

Teft William Brookes CC

(27)
At a Vestry Hild at the Parrish of Kingston in the County of Glocester y' 24th of October 1749

Present

Thomas Hayes Churchwardins
William Marlow
George Dudley
John Hayes
Charles Debnom
William Elliott
Ambro's Dudley

It was agreed that y' Reve M' Richard Locke Should be Rec'd as minister of the afore Said Parrish

Teft William Brookes C V

Att a Vestry hild for Kingston Parrish the 26th day of June 1750

Gen'men present The Rever'd M' Richard Locke Minester
Cap' George Dudley M' W= Armstead M'. W= Marlow M' W= Ellio[ ] Cap' Tho*. Hayes M' John Hayes M' Charles Debnom Cap' Gwyn Reade M' Hugh Gwyn

It Was Orderd by the Above Said Gen't. that Robert Reade do Truely Repare the Gleabe houje not Disturbing the Rev'd M' Locke No more then he Cant Covenantley help

Teft W= Brookes C V
Att Vestry Hild for Kingstone Parrish yr first day of October 1750

Present The Revd Richard Lock Minester
Cap* Geo: Dudley Mr: William Armistead Cap* Tho* Hayes Mr John Billups Cap* Gwyn Reade Cap* Kemp Plumer Mr John Hayes

To the Revd Mr Lock Minester for his Ballance 9956 and Cask
To Cap* John Cleaton 0018
To Thomas Dawjon Cleark 1200 and Cask
To Ann Pallester Sexton 0400
To William Brable for Keeping a parish Child 0750
To John Hudgen for Keeping A parish Child 0750
To Mr Charles Blacknall By Acc* And Quitrents 0977
To Geo: Hudges for Jane Hunley Last years Ballance 0348
To Richard Hunley Junr 0060
To John Tompkins for Keeping a parish Child 0200
To Sarah Hunley for Keeping Rose Michall 0500
To Cap* Thomas Hayes for Oner Powers 1000
To Cap* Tho* Hayes for Last yers arears 0125
To Joseph King for work don to y* Church Lock 0033½
To Doc* Peter Whiting for Matthew Thomas 0717
To Lucy Somers 0300
To Charles Backer for Jane Hunley 0800
To Averilea Bridge 0300
To Abrahim Rice for a parrish Child 0300
To Elliner Hutts 0500
To Margret Neithercut 0400
To William Brookes 1700 and Cask
To Ann Lendal 0500
To John Gordin Sexton 0400
To Mary Longest 0300
To Markuss Deyonger 0200
To Alexander King for Keeping a
parrish Child 1000 1364 Tithables
To Joseph Sowell for Wine 0223 1/2 19 3/4 per pole
To the Rev'd Mr. Lock 0033 1/2 Dep’r 142 1/2
To William parkes Estate for a Booke 0167
To 10 p’ Cen’ on 12856 is 1285 1/2
To 6 p’ sent on 11297 is 677 3/4

26115 1/2

Mr. William Armistead And Capt. Thomas Hayes Churchwardins
Capt. Thomas Hayes Collect’:
Tejt W. Brookes Clea: Vestry

(29)
At A Vestry Hild for Kingston parish the ioth of Decemb’ 1750

Present
Mr. William armistead Mr. Gwyn Read
Mr. John Billups Mr. Charles Debnam
Capt George Dudley Capt Kemp Plummer
Mr. John Hayes Mr. Wm. Tabb
Mr. William Elliott

The Rev’d Mr. John Dixon is Rec’d as Minijter of Kingston
parish And his Time to go on from the 25th of Octob’ Last
Order’d That the Rev’d Mr. John Dixon have power to
Employ Workmen To fit up the out Houses at the Glebe and
to build A Stable 16 x 20 plank’d above and the Charge to be
submitted to the Vestry
Order'd that John Davis Shall Serve as Clerk of the old Church in Kingston Parish from the Laying the Parish Levy the first Day of October Last

Order'd that John Davis Receive the Vestry Book of Mr. Wm. Brooks

Sind John Dixon Jun'r Minist[ ]

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish this 8th Day of April 1751

Gen' pre' The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Mr. William Armistead Cap' George Dudley Mr. John Billups Mr. John Hayes Cap' Gwyn Read Mr. Wm. Tabb

Order'd that the Church Wardens have power to agree with workmen to make a thorough Repair of the Dwelling house at the Glebe and to add Such Conveniencies as they Shall think Necessary there and on the plantation

Ordered that John Davis Shall demand and Recieve all Books and other papers Relating to the parish affairs Now in possession of Wm. Brooks Late Clerk of the Vestry

Order'd that Mr. William Armistead Do Send to England for Church ornament Books &c. to the Value of fifty Pounds Sterling

Sind John Dixon Jun'r Minist[ ]

(30)

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish the 13th of May 1751

Present The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Cleg'.
Mr. Wm. Armistead Mr. John Hayes
Cap' George Dudley Cap' Gwyn Read
Mr. John Billups Cap' Kemp Plummer
Mr. Hugh Gwyn Mr. Wm. Tabb

Order'd that Mr. William Armistead Gen' Church War'd be impowr'd To take up fifty Pounds Currt. money on Interest and apply the Same to purchase Corn to be Distributed among the
At a Vicey held for Kingston, and the 15 of May 1731

Present: The Revd. Mr. John Dean Esq.

Mr. Wm. Kemmick, Mr. John Hayes

Capt. George Dudley, Capt. George Peake, Geo. man of Vicey

Mr. John Billings, Capt. John Plummer

Mr. Hugh Gignon, Mr. Wm. Adair

Ordered that Mr. William Kemmick, gent. Ch., shall be in person to take up fifty Pounds of money on Bird, and apply the same to purchase land to be distributed among the pay of this Vicey, in the discretion of the churchwardens.

John Dean, jun. Missionary.

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Signed: John Dean, jun. Missionary.

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poor of this Parish at the Discretion of the Church Wardens

John Dixon Junr. Minister

Kingstone At a Vestry held for this Parish this 14th of Parish Augt. 1751

The Rever'd Mr John Dixon Clerg'm.

Church Mr. William Armistead Mr. John Hayes
Wardens Capt. Thomas Hayes Mr. John Billups
Mr. George Dudley Mr. Cha' Debnam
Mr. Gwyn Read Mr. Wm. Elliott

Vestry men present

Ordered that Mr. Robt. Read be allow'd for A Kitchen £13|| 0||0
A Garden 400 foot @ /3
To a Little house 5|| 0||0
To boards & Shigles 2|| 5||0
To 34 Pains of Glass @ /9
for Glazing putty &c 0||10||0
To 34 pains glasses @ /4
for going to York 0||11||4
To White washing 0||12||6
To mending the Church Lock & hinges 1|| 5||6

£24|| 7||7

John Dixon Junr. Minister

(31)

Kingstone At a Vestry held for this Parish Parish Octob' 7th 1751

Gen'tl of the Vestry present

The Rever'd Mr. John Dixon Min: Capt. George Dudley
Capt. Thomas Hayes Capt. Gwyn Read
Mr. John Hayes Mr. Hugh Gwyn
Mr. John Billups Mr. William Tabb

Order'd

To the Rever'd Mr. John Dixon Min 1600 & Cask...640
To D* for wine 00450
To D* for quitrents 00128
To Cap* John Clayton 00090
To Mr* Thomas Boswell 00063
To the Estate of m* W* Marlow Dec'd 00218
To Thomas Dawson Clerk 01200 & cask 48
To Samuel Tompkins 00019½
To Charles Blacknall for Richard Brooks 00800
To John Davis Clerk 01700 & cask 68
To Ann Pallister Sexton 00400
To John Gordin Sexton 00400 756
To Lucy Summars 00300
To Ann Pallister for keeping two Orphan Children 00600
To Wm* brable for keeping a pijh Child & Due to Cap* Hayes1 00248
To John Hudgen for Keeping a pijh Child 00750
To Elisabeth Longest for keeping a pijh Child 00400
To Charles Baker for keeping Jane Hunley 00800
To Sarah Hunley for keeping Rose Michel 00500
To Cap* Thomas Hayes for keeping Oner powers 01000 1354 Tithables
To Averillo Bridge 00300
To Ellener Huts 00500 Depos' 33
To Ann Lendal 00500
To Richard Hunley for keeping Judah Cray 00500
To John Bridg 00200
To Elisabeth Evans widdow & four Children 01200
To be left in the Church wardens hands to be Sold To Discharge a bond of fifty pounds Currency on Inter* 08400
To be left in the Church wardens' hands to be Sold to pay the Ballance of John Peters's account £63||4||4 01114

To be left in the Church wardens' hands to be Sold to pay John Peters £56||15 for building the out houses on the glebe 09680 03411 Col's part

To 4 P C on 18900 allow'd for Cask Comes to 00756 61027

(32)

Order'd that the twelve pound nineteen Shillings and Seven pence in Mr William Armistead's hands be paid To John Peters on Demand

Mr William Armistead & Cap't Thomas Hayes appointed Church wardens for the year ensuing

Order'd that Cap't Thomas Hayes Do Stand Col' and that the S' Cap't Thomas Hayes Do Recieve of Each Tithable person within this S' parish 45¼ pounds of good tobacco To Satisfie the Several Creditors there is this year 1354 tithables in this parish

At a Vestry held for Kingston parish the 10th of Augst. 1752

Gent* Cap't Thomas Hayes
Present Mr John Billups Mr Hugh Gwyn
Mr John Hayes Cap't Kemp Plummer
Cap't Gwyn Read Mr William Tabb

Ordered that William Brownley the son of William Brownley be levy free

Ordered that Mr John Tompkins Junr do make a thorough repair of the Old Church and bring his Charge to the Vestry for laying our Next parish levy
(33)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston parish Octo'r 16th 1752

The rever'd M' John Dixon Minister
Present M' William Armistead M' John Billups
Cap't Thomas Hayes Cap't Gwyn Read
M' John Hayes Cap't Kemp Plummer
Gent= Vestry

Ordered that acct w'th Cap't Tho' Hayes be Setl'd
& y' Ballance be p't to the $fish from him

26143

Order'd

lb Tobacco 16000 & Cask
To D* 4 p' C* allow'd by Law 640
To Do. 4 p' C* Not levied last year 640
To D*. for quitrents 128
Cap't Thomas Hayes to pay y' rever'd M'
Dixon's acct £132
To Thomas Dawson Clerk 1200 & Cask
To John Davis 1700 & Cask
To Ann Palister Sexton 400
To Mary Gordin Sexton 400
To Cap't John Clayton 67½
That Cap't Tho' Hayes Do pay M' Cha*
Blacknals acct. £3044½
That Cap't Hayes do pay Rob' Hunleys
acct 15
To Richard Hunley for Judith Cray 300
To Mary Gordin for Keeping a Child of
Griffins 75
To Rob' Jervis for Keeping a Child for
D.* 100 1215 Tithables
To Mis's Elisabeth Green for a levy
overpaid 45½
To M' Richard bentley for a levy over-
paid 45½
To John Hugen for keeping a $fish
MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA, 1679-1796

Child & Richd Brooks 700
To the widdow Evans & four Children 1200
To Cap† Hayes for Seven pi'j levies overpaid 316¾
To Ann Palister for keeping two Children 600
To Elisabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hunley 400 Total 30557¾
To George Hudgen for Keeping Averillo Bridg 4 mon• 100 6 p' C t is 1833
To Averillo Bridg 200 4 p' C t
To Elenor Hutts 500 for cask 756
To John Bridg 200
To Lucy Summers 300 33146
To Roje Michel 500 28 p' Pole
To Ann Lendal 500 874 Depos'f
To Cap† Tho* Hayes for Keeping oner Powers 1000
To John Davis for keeping a bi'j Child 700
To Mary Longest 300
To Christian Owen 300
To Elisabeth Bridg widdow 300
To Sarah Worden for keeping Fran*. Bridges 400
To Elisabeth Dawson for keeping Chri* owen 300

(34)

Orderd that Sarah BAJsets Negroe woman be levy free
Cap† Thomas Hayes to pay the widow M*Mekins £3||5
Orderd that Cap† Kemp Plummer & M'r William Tabb Do stand Church wardens for the year Ensuing
That Cap† Kemp Plumer Do receive 28 pounds of tobacco of Each Tithable person in this Parish to Satisfie the Several Creditors

Sign'd by
the rever'd M'r John Dixon Minis'
Kingstone Parrish ʃs
At a Vesture held for this parih Octo' 22 1753
Present The Reverend Mr. John Dixon Minister Cap* Kemp
Plummer Mr. William Tabb, Chu* wardens Cap* George Dudley
Cap* Gwyn Reade Mr. John Billups Mr. John Hayes Cap*
Thomas Hayes M. Charles Debnam

Ordered that tobacco be levied as follows

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For Lucy Summers
For Ann Lendal

GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
OF UTAH

12598
For Cap' Thomas Hayes for Oner Powers 250
For Ann Lendal for D° 750
For George Hudgen for Keeping a Child 700
For Mary Longest 300
For Christian Owen 300
For Elisabeth Bridge 300
For the Church wardens to pay for Ornaments to be sent for By the Rever'd John Dixon if Not already sent for 10000
for Robert Parrot for a levy over p° 27½
For Sarah wooden for D° 27½
For the Church wardens to pay for two Vestry Houses 12 x 16 Fram'd & plaster'd and floored a Chimney & one window with Eight lights Rob° parot to build Tithables 1365 one @ £7 2240
For John Hudgen 500

43463 34¼ lb
4 p° Ct on 18900 756 Tobacco
6 p° Ct for Collecting 2653

Ordered That Mr° William Tabb & Cap° Kemp Plummer Be Continued Church Wardens And that Mr° William Tabb Do receive 34¼ pounds of Tobacco of Each Tithable Person in this Parish

Test John Dixon Jun° Minis°

Genealogical Society
Of the Church of Jesus Christ
Of Latter-Day Saints
to the which Payment well and truly to be made we bind our Selves & Each of us our Heirs Executors and administrators Jointly and Severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and Dated this 22d Day of Octo' 1753

Whereas the above bound William Tabb is appointed by the Vestry of the parish of Kingston in the County of Gloce's to Collect and receive the Levy of the Said parish as the Same is aʃsted on the 22d Day of Octo' 1753. Now if the Said William Tabb Will Duly Collect pay and satisfie unto the several parish Creditors all the Tobacco for them respectively Levied then this obligation to be Void otherwije to be in full Force

Sealed & Deliver'd
In the preʃents of
Francis Armistead
Hum'y Billups

Wm Tabb
John Dixon Junr

At a Vestry held for Kingston Pish y' 29 of May 1754
Pres' M' William Tabb Church warden, M' William Armistead, M' John Hayes M' Thomas Hayes M' Gwyn Reade, M' Charles Debnam M' Hugh Gwyn

Ordered that the Churchwardens Do pay m' William Armistead as much Tobacco as will pay his publick Dues to be deduced out of the Tobacco levied for Church ornaments

Order'd that the Church wardens have power to agree with workmen to repair the New Church as they think proper

Sign'd by M' William Tabb Chh: warden

Kingston Js At a Vestry held for this Parish Novr: 26. parish 1754

The Reverend M' John Dixon Minister
M' William Tabb Cap' Kemp Plummer Church Warden [ ]
Gen': Present M' William Armistead Cap' George Dudley
M' John Hayes M' Charles Debnam Cap' Gwyn Reade
Ordered that Tobacco be Levied as follows

To the Rever. Mr. John Dixon Minister 16000 & Cask
To D. for Shrinkage 4 p. C 640
To Ditto for Quitrents 128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk 1200
To John Davis Ditto & Clerk of Vestry 1700
To Ann Pallister Sexton 400
To Cap. John Clayton Clark of ye County 99
To Mary Gordin Sexton 400
To the widdow Evans & four Children 1200
To Ann Pallister for Keeping two Children 600
To Elisabeth Baker for keeping Jean Hundley 400
To Averilla Bridge 400
To Elenor Huts 500
To John Bridge 200
To Lucy Summers 300
To Elisabeth Thomas for Keeping Oner Powers 1000
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child 700
To Mary Longest widdow 500
To Christian Owen 400
To Elisabeth Bridge 300
To John Hudgen for Keeping a Child to be bound to him & his wife & to Clear the parish of it 1200
To Ann Pallister for Cleaning ye Church of the Whitewashing 100
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her mother 500
To Thomas Jarrett 500
To Henry Knight for tobacco over paid Last year 205½
To Antony Degge junr. junr. for tobacco over paid Last Levy 68½
To Mr. Rob. Dalgeibh for 1½ C to Mary Bolton (38)
To the Reverend Mr. Dixon the Ballance of his acc' 1588
To John Rispoj's for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett
seven months & half 0300
To Mr. William Tabb for a basson for the New Church 32
To Thomas forrest for Keeping a Child of Letitia Ashburys Seven weeks 150
To Richard Davis for two horse Blocks two horse racks a Door Case & Lintel & a Stand for Bason 1040
Robert Parret allow'd £1 more for building the Veftry Houfe at the New Church 160
To John Tompkins Junr for D* at the old Church 160
To 4 ¹⁄₄ C* on 18900 for Cask 756
To William Tompkins Senr for work on the New Church 1120

35067
6 ⁵⁄₄ C.t. on the whole for Collecting is 2104 2104

37171

1379 Tithables 62 Depos'

Ordered that Cap*. Gwyn Reade and Mr. Charles Blacknall Do Stand Church wardens for the Ensuing year and y* Cap*. Gwyn Reade Do Recieve of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 27 pounds of Tobacco to sattisfie several creditors

Mr. Charles Blacknall and Mr. John Armistead Chosen Veftry men in the room of Major Ambrose Dudley and Mr. John Billups Deceas'd

Order'd that Samuel Willis be Levy free

Mr. John Hayes this Day resigned his place of vestry man
Cap* George Dudley this Day resigned his place of vestry man

memorand* That Thomas Forrejt Keep the Child of Lettitia Ashburys till her return at the rate of 800lb of Tobacco ¹⁄₄ Annum

Sign'd by the revernd Mr.
John Dixon Minister
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish at the Old Church
July y. 18th 1755
The Rever’d Mr. John Dixon Minis’t
Pres’t. Cap’t Gwyn Reade Mr. Charles Blacknall
Cap’t Thomas Hayes Mr. Charles Debnam
Cap’t. Kemp Plummer Mr. William Tabb

Ordered That the Ballance in Mr. Wm. Tabbs hands of $27.6|4$ be paid to Mr. William Armistead for the Church ornaments &c and that the Acc’t be Settled at the Laying the Next Levy
Mem’t That there has been paid to Mr. Wm. Armistead $5411^{1/2}$ Toba’s to be accounted for at $12/3^{1/2} 29r. C’s

Ordered that the Church wardens have Power to agree with workmen to repair the old Church as they think proper
Order’d that the rever’d Mr. Dixon be Not Liable to Any Charge on acc’t of the Negroe boys running away that belongs to the parish

Testes John Dixon Junr. Minis’t

Kingston Sc At a Vestry held for this Pijh the 3d of Parrish
Novem’ 1755
Present
The Rever’d Mr. John Dixon Minis’t
Cap’t Gwyn Read Mr. Charles Blacknall
Cap’t Thomas Hayes Mr. John Hayes
Cap’t. Kemp Plummer Mr. Hugh Gwyn
Mr. Charles Debnam

Ordered That Toba’s be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rever’d Mr. Dixon Minister 16000 & cask
To D’s for Shrinkage .640
To D’s for Quitrents .128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk 1200 & cask
To John Davis D’s & Clerk of Vestry 1700 & cask
To Ann Pallister Sexton 400
To Capt* John Clayton Cl.k y* County 117
To Mary Gordin Sexton 400
To Mary Evans widdow and four Children 1200
To Ann Pallister for keeping two Children 600
To Elisabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Averilla Bridge 400
To Elenor Huts 500.
To John Bridge 400
To Lucy Summers 300
To George Hudgen for keeping a Child 700
To Mary Longest widdow 500.
To Christian owen 400
To Elizabeth Bridg 300
To Sarah Merchant for keeping her Mother 500
To Thomas Jarrett 500
To Mr Matthew Whiting for Levies overpaid 61
To John Rispsfs for keeping Dorothy Jarrett 500
To Robert Reeves for keeping Oner powers 1000
To Thomas Forrest for keeping a Child of Ajbberries 800
To the Sheriff 36
To Hannah fordom Widdow 300
To Mr Charles Blacknall 15
To John Callis 60

30057

(41)
Bro't over 30057
To Robert Hudgen Senier 258
To Robert Reade for Cloathing John Bolton 360
To Robert Dalgleish 56
To Robert Bridge 300
To John Huell for Levies over paid Last year 68½
To Mr William Armistead the Ballance of his acc't £22||11||9 @ 2½ % 2710½
To The Rever,nd Mr John Dixon for Acc't
To Doct' John Symmer in part of Boltons  
1161½
To Dr. for Henry Carter 15 @ 2 1800
To 4 2/3 C. on 18900 for Cask 756
To 6 2/3 C. on the whole for Collecting 2359
Ordered That M' Charles Blacknall And Cap' Gwyn Reade Continue Church Wardens 1426 Tithables for the ensuing year 24 Deputies.
Ordered That M' Charles Blacknall Do 29½ Each Recieve of Each Tithable person in this Parish Tithab[ ] 29½ Oxounds Tobacco to Satisfie The Several Creditors
Ordered that Ann Singletons Negro wench be Levy free John Dixon Rectr.
(42)
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish the 10th Day of May 1756
The reverend M' John Dixon Minis' Gentm. Pres'
Cap' Gwyn Reade
M' Charles Blacknall Churchwardens
M' John Hayes
M' Hugh Gwyn
Cap'. Kemp Plummer
M' William Tabb

Carried by a Majority that a Vestry man be Now Chosen in the room of M' William Armistead Deceas'd
Cap's William Plummer is Chosen to Succeed him as Vestryman
Agreed that the reverend M' Dixon May Saw into Plank or otherwise Dispoje of the trees felled on the Glebe for Necessary Clearing Provided he Sell No board Timber
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish the 22d of Novr in the year of our Lord 1756

Preft. The Reverend Mr. John Dixon Minister
Mr. Charles Blacknall Capt. Gwyn Church wardens
Mr. William Tabb, Mr. Charles Debnam Capt. Kemp
Plummer Mr. John Hayes

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows

To The revernd Mr. Dixon Minister 16000 & cask
To Dr. for Shrinkage 640
To Dr. for Quitrents 128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk 1200 & cask
To John Davis for Dr. & Clark of Vestry 1700 & cask
To Ann Pallister Sexton 400
To Mary Gordon Sexton 400
To Capt. John Clayton Clk. of ye County 454
To Mr. Charles Tomkies Sheriff 72
To Elizabeth Evans & Two Children 800
To Ann Pallister for Keeping Two Children 3 months 150
To Elizabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hundley 400
To Averilla Bridge 400
To Elenor Huts 500
To John Bridge 400
To Lucy Summers 300
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child 700
To Deborah Edwards for Keeping Christian Owen 400
To Elizabeth Bridge 300
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her Mother 500
To Thomas Jarrett for Keeping his father 400
To Lewis Peed for Keeping Onner Powers 1000
To John Hudgen for Keeping ye Child of Ash Berries 583
To Thomas Forrest for Keeping ye Said Child two Months 117
To Richard Davis for clearing the New Church yard 100
To Hannah Fordom Widdow 300
To Robert Bridge 300
To George Mullens for taking Thomas Longest a Child of Mary Longest off ye P,rjsh, & ye Child to be bound to him 800
To Izbél Parrett Widdow 300

Carried over 30194

(44)
To Accr Brought over 30194

For the reverend Mr. John Dixon his his Accr.
£10||12||2 to be paid in Tobae* at 15/ ³ Pr C* 1420
To Mr. Charles Blacknall for Accr. 277³/⁴

To Joseph King to be Lodged in the Church wardens hands till he has Complied with his agreemt. Viz £15||0||0 to be Deducted for an accr paid Mr. Jameson £9 Charles Blacknall £4||8||0³/² £10||11||1² 1408
To be Left in the Church wardens hands till ordered out by the Vestry for Repairs to the old Church 4000
6 p. C. on the whole for Collecting is 2283
4 p. C. on 18900 for Cask is 756 756

40338

Capr. Kemp Plummer & Mr. Hugh Gwyn Appointed Churchwardens for the Ensuing year

Order'd that Capr. Kemp Plummer Do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 28 pounds of Tobace To Satisfie The Several Creditors

Capr. William Plummer having Taken The Oaths according to law is admitted Vestryman

Ordered That the Church wardens Do Endeavour to Procure a Deed for Land Sufficient for a Church yard at Each
Church from the Proprietors of the Land adjoining the Churches
1451 Tithab[ ] 28th p Tith[ ] Depos' 290

Sign'd By John Dixon Jun'r Rect'

(45)

I A B do swear that I will be faithfull & bear true Allegiance to his Majesty King George the Second so help me god

I A B do swear that I do from my heart Abhor detest and abjure as Impious & heretickall that Damnable doctrine and Pofition that Princes excommunicated or deprived by the Pope or any Authority of the see of Rome may be deposed or Murthered by their Subjects or any other whatsoever & I do declare that no Forreign Prince Person Prelate state or Potentate hath or ought to have any Jurisdiction Power Superiorty Preminence or Authority Ecclesiastical or Spiritual in this Realm so help me God

I A B do truly and sincerely acknowledge Profejs testifie and declare in my conscience before God and the world that our Sovereign Lord King George the Second is Lawfull and Rightfull King of this Realm & of all other his Majesty's dominions and Countrys thereunto belonging and I do Solemnly & Sincerely declare that I do believe in my Conscience that the Person Pretended to be Prince of Wales during the life of the late King James and since his decease Pretending to be and taking upon himself the title and Title of King of England by the name of James the Third or of Scotland by the name of James the Eighth or the Stile & title of King of Great Britain hath not any right or title whatsoever to the Crown of this realm or any other the Dominions thereunto belonging & I do renounce refuse & Abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him and I do swear that I will bear faith and true Allegiance to his Majesty King George the Second & him will Defend to the Utmojt of my power agst all traiterous
according to the care and concern for the welfare of the Church and according to the command and instruction of the Lord. All those who are present agree to this recognition and acknowledge their agreement with the decision made.

Walter Blackman
1767 October 20
John Armstrong

We, the subscribers, will be conformable to the Doctrine and Disciplines of the Church of England as it is now by Law established.

The Hayns
Jr. Day
t
Wm. Cary
Jr. Armstrong
Thos. Smith
Thos. Whittinge

Wm. Armstrong
Wm. Hughes
Thos. Heyman
Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against his Person Crown & Dignity & I will do my Utmost Endeavour to disclose & make Known to his Majesty and his Successors all treasons and traitorous Conspiracies which I shall Know to be against him or any of them & I do faithfully promise to the Utmost of my power to Support Maintain & defend the succession of the Crown against him the s^t James and all other Persons whatsoever as the same by an act intituled an act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better Securing the rights and Liberties of the Subject is & stands Limited to the Prince's Sophia Electresses and Dutche's Dowager of Hannover & the heirs of her body being Protestants and all these things I do truly and Sincerely Acknowledge according to the Express words by me Spoken and (46) according to the Plain and Common sense & Understanding of the same words without any Equivocation mental evation or Secret reservation whatsoever and I do make this recognition Acknowledgement Abjuration renunciation & promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true faith of a Christian So help me God

We whose names are here under Written do declare that we do believe that there is not any transubstantiation in the Sacrament of the Lords Supper or in the Elements of bread & wine at or after the Consecration thereof by any Person whatsoever

William Plummer
1757 October 24th John Armistead

We the Subscribers will be conformable to y^e Doctrine & Discipline of the Church of England as it is now by Law established

Tho Hayes
Kemp Plummer
Charles Blacknall

Novr 29. 1760 W= Plummer
Jn^e Peyton
At a vestry Held for this parrijs the 11th Day of April 1757

The Reverend Mr. John Dixon Minijter

Cap* George Dudley M* William Tabb

Mr. Charles Debnam

Mr. John Hayes Mr. Charles Blacknall

This Day Mr. Jefferson Dunbar Laid an acc* before the Vestry of £68||1||3¼ it is agreed by the Said vestry That his work Materials &c. is worth No more than £40. which the Said vestry agreed to give him but he refused to take it

To End the Dispute the vestry and the Said Dunbar have agreed that Alexander Sanders Shall value the work and both Parties Shall abide by his Decision

John Dixon Ju'. Rec'

This day Mr. Sanders & Mr. Dunbarr met and Mr. Sanders Measured the work &c & agreed that the work &c as £51||12||7½

May 2th 1757

Cha*: Blacknall

At a Vestry Held for this parrijs Octob' 24th Pish 1757

Present The Reverend Mr. John Dixon Minister Mr. Hugh Gwyn Cap* George Dudley Cap* Gwyn Reade Mr. Charles Debnam Mr. William Tabb Mr. Charles Blacknall
Order’d Thatt Tobacco be Levied & paid as follows Viz.

To the rever’d Mr John Dixon Minis’ 16000 & cask
To D* for Shrinkage 640
To D* for Quitrents 128
To Thomas Dawson Clk 1200 & cask
To John Davis D* & Cl* of Vejtry 1700 & cask
To Ann Palister Sexton 400
To Mary Gordan Sexton 400
To Cap* Clayton Cl* County 48
To Elizabeth Evans & two Children 800
To Ann palisters heirs for keeping Jn* Morgan 250
To Elizabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hundley 400
To Elizabeth Baker for her Self 200
To Avarilla Bride 400
To Eleanor Huts 500
To John Bridge to be paid to Mr Charles Blacknall 400
To Lucy Summers 300
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child 700
To Christian Owen 400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widdow 300
To Sarah Merchant for her Mother 500
To Capt Thomas Hayes for Keeping Hon.
powers 1000
To John Davis for keeping Aʃhbury’s Child 450
To Hannah Fordam 300
To Robert Bridge 300
To Isabella Parrot 300
To Sarah White 500
To Mary Bridge Widdow 500
To Thomas Lewis Constable for services 258
To Sarah Parrot for keeping a bastard Child 5 months 167
To John Rispefs for keeping Dorothy Jarrett 400

(50) Brought over 29841
To John Davis for keeping Church Ornam* 200
To Easter Hundley for Ann Craufords Children 200
To Cap* Kemp Plummer for keeping a bastard Child 800
To the Churchwardens to Enable them to pay £24||12||7½ Being the Ballance Due to Jefferson Dunbar 4000
To the Rever'd Mr John Dixon for Wine and Land tax £3||4||6d 461
To D* for paling 500 foot @ 3d £6||5||o 892
To Thomas Dawson for keeping plate. &c. 200
To Ann craford for her Children 300

36894
To 4. p'. C. on 18900 is 756
37650
To 6 §§ C'. for collecting 2259
39909

Mr Hugh Gwyn & Cap*. Kemp Plummer continued Churchwardens
Ordered That Mr Hugh Gwyn Do recieve of Each Tithable person in this parish 27 lbs Tobac. the Number According to the List being 1481 78 Depos'.
Mr John Armistead took the oaths appointed By Law and is Admitted a Vestryman
Ordered That that the collector pay Cap* Thomas Hayes £1||5s for the Negro boy in tobacco @ 14/ which comes to 178½
Cap* John Peyton is appointed a Vestryman in the room of Mr William Elliott Deceas'd

John Dixon Jun' Rect'
(51)
Parish At a Vestry Held for this Parish Octob'. 23rd.
Kingston 1758
Present

The Reverend Mr. John Dixon Minister
Mr. Hugh Gwyn C. Kemp Plummer Churchwardens Mr. John Hayes Mr. Charles Debnam Capt. Thomas Hayes Mr. Charles Blacknall C. Gwyn Reade Mr. William Tabb Capt William Plummer Capt. John Peyton

Ordered that Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To the Revd Mr. John Dixon Minister 16000 & Cask
To Ditto for shrinkage 640
To Ditto for Quitrents 128
To Ditto for Wine and tax on the Glebe Land 502
To Mr. John Clayton Clk of the County 18
To Thomas Dawson Clk 1200 & cask
To John Davis for Ditto & Clk of Vestry 1700 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church 400
To Mary Gordon Sexton of the old Church 400
To Elizabeth Evans & two Children 800
To Catharine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Catharine Marwood for Keeping her Mother 200
To Avarilla Bridge 400
To Elenor Huts 500
To John Bridge 400
To Lucy Summers 300
To Hudgen for Keeping a Lame Child 700
To Chrjstian Owen 400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widdow 300
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her Mother to be paid to Mr. Charles Blacknall 500
To Capt. Thomas Hayes for Keeping Oner Powers 1000
To William Brounley for Keeping Joseph Ashbury 450
To Hannah Fordam Widdow 300
To John Bridge for Keeping & Burying His Father 300
To Mary Bridge Widdow 200
To John Rispais for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett 400
To John Davis for Keeping Church ornaments 200
To Wm Angel for Keeping a bastard Child to be paid to Mr. Cha. Blacknall 800
To Robert Parrett to take Gregory Crauford off the parish 1000
To Dr. for Keeping a Child of Ann Craufords 500

(52)
To Accompt Brought over 31038
To Sarah Bajset for her self 300
To Cap. Gwyn Reade for Cash & plank for Rob. Bridges Coffin 27
To William Chandler for Keeping a Bastard Child 8 months 400
To Mr. William Hayes for John Bolton his acct of 10154 to be paid in tobacco @ 2s 0d 1232
To Sarah Lovel 300
To 4 p. C'. on 18900 756

34053

To 6 p. C'. for Collecting 2043

36096

Ordered That Cap. William Plummer & Cap. John Peyton Do stand Church wardens for the ensuing year
Ordered That Cap. John Peyton Do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 25th Tobacco to Satisfie the several Creditors
Ordered that the Collector Do pay the Rever'd Mr. John Dixon five Shillings & four pence out of the Depos't & the Remains to Thomas Dawson

Mr. John Hayes Did this Day Resign his place of Vestryman
Ordered that Mr. William Hayes & Mr. Humphry Toye, Tabb is this Day Chosen vestrymen in the room of Cap. George Dudley Deceased & Mr. John Hayes Resign'd
(53)
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish The 5th Day of November in the year 1759

Present. The Rever'd Mr. John Dixon Minister
Capt. William Plummer, Capt. John Peyton Church wardens
Maj'r Kemp Plummer Mr. William Tabb Mr. Charles Blacknall
Mr. Charles Debnam Mr. William Hayes Capt. Thomas Hayes

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon 16000 & Caʃk
To Ditto for Shrinkage 640
To Ditto for Quitrents and Acco' 546
To Thomas Dawson Clerk 1200 & Caʃk
To John Davis Ditto & Clerk of Vestry 1700 & Caʃk
To Isabel Parrot Sexton of the New Church 400
To Mary Gordan Sexton of the old ditto 400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate 200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Averilla Bridge 400
To Eleanor Huts Widow 500
To John Bridge 400
To Lucy Summers 300
To Robert Hall for Keeping Hugh Brooks 600
To Christian Owen 400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 300
To Ann Brookes for Keeping Mary Bolton 500
To Thomas Hayes for keeping & Burying oner powers 783½
To William Brounley for Keeping Joseph Ashberry 450
To Hannah fordam Widow 300
To Mary Bridge Widow 200
To Robert Sadler for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett 300
To John Davis for Keeping Church Ornament 200
To William Angel for Keeping a bastard Child 400
To Mary Flippen for Keeping Ann Craufords Child 450
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<td>To Aaron Hudgen for Keeping a bastard Child</td>
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<td>To Wm Hayes for boarding John Bolton &amp; Curing his Sore foot</td>
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<td>To Sarah Lovel Widow</td>
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<td>To Tho Lewis Constable for sundry Services</td>
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<td>To Robert Hunley for a Coffin for Dorothy Jarrett</td>
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<td>To Charles Blacknall for sundry Lawyers fees</td>
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<td>To Josep King for taring and painting the Vestry House and making fires therein During the Winter season</td>
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<td>To Thomas Hayes for burying of Moses Owen and taking Care of his Widow in her sickness</td>
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<td>To Wm Plummer for two barryls Corn for Ann Owen</td>
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<td>To Wm Brounley for a Levy over paid last year</td>
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<td>To John Davis for making a fire in the vestry house at the Lower Church</td>
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<td>To Elizabeth Evens and two Children</td>
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<td>To Sujannah Sadler</td>
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<td>To Robert Sadler for Burying Dorothy Jarrett</td>
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<td>To Ann owen to be paid to Tho Hayes for Rent</td>
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<td>To Sujannah Driver and two Children</td>
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<td>To Thomas Peak for keeping a bastard Child 2 1/2 months at £7 1/2 Annnum</td>
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<td>To the Rever’d Mr Dixon for building a Quarter and Corn House on the Glebe</td>
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Ordered That Wm. Plummer and John Peyton Gent. be continued Churchwardens the ensuing year and that Wm. Plummer Gent. be appointed to collect of each Tithable Person in this Parish twenty six pounds & half of Tobacco to satisfy the several creditors.

Ordered That the Parish be divided into the usual precincts and that such Persons as the Church wardens name in each precinct be Processioners.

Ordered That John Peyton Gent. do pay to the Rev'd Mr. Dixon the balance which now remains in his hands of the Last Collection.

Ordered That a well built Quarter Twenty Feet long & sixteen feet wide; and a corn house Sixteen Feet long & twelve Feet wide be built at the Glebe by the Rev'd Mr. Dixon for which he is to be allow'd one Thousand five hundred pounds of Tobacco.

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov'r 29th 1760
Present The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister
Capt. William Plummer Capt John Peyton Church Wardens
Capt. Thomas Hayes, Maj'r Kemp Plummer M'r Charles Blacknall M'r William Hayes Gent. of the Vestry

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.
To the reverend Mr. John Dixon Minis' 16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage 640
To ditto for Quitrents and account for Wine 528
To Capt John Clayton Clerk of the County 18
To Tho. Dawson Clerk 1200 & cask
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry 1700 & cask
To Isabella Parrot Sexton of the New Church 400
To John Davis Ditto of the old Church 400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate 200
To Catharine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Averilla Bridge 400
To Judith Machen for Keeping Eleanor Huts 500
To Thomas Peak for John Bridge 400
To Richa Summers for Keeping his mother 2
months in sickness 150
To Rob* Reaves for keeping Lucy summers
some time & burying her 150
To Rob* Hall for keeping Hugh Brookes 600
To ChristIan owen 400
To Elizabeth Bride Widow 500
To Ann Brookes for keeping Mary Bolton 500
To William Brownley for Keeping Joseph
Ashbury 450
To Hannah Fordam widow 300
To John Davis for keeping Church orments 200
To Wm Angel for keeping a bastard Child,
To be paid to Langley Billups 400
To Mary Flippen for keeping Ann Craufords
Child 450
To Sarah Bajsett 300
To Sarah Lovel Widow 400
To IJabella Parrott for Keeping the upper
Vestry House in good order 100
To John Davis Keeping the Lower ditto in
good order 100
To Elizabeth Evans two Hundred & her son
to be bound out 200
To Sujannah Sadler for keeping Her lame
Daughter 300
To Ann owen to be paid to Capt. Thomas
Hayes for Rent 200

(57)
To Acc* brought over
To the Rev'd John Dixon a farther allowance
for the quarter 286
To accompt not levied last year for the Rev'd
Mr John Dixon 86
To Sujannah Driver for Keeping her two Children 300
To Rob* Hunley for making a Coffin for Eleanor Huts 60
To Rob* Hall for taking Hugh Brookes off the Parish 600
To 4 p* C* on 18900 allow'd for cafk 756

30574

To 6 p* C* for Collecting 1834

32408

Ordered that Capt, William Hayes and Capt, Thomas Hayes do stand Church wardens for the ensuing year.

Ordered That Cap* William Hayes do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 22½ pounds of Tobacco to Satisfy the Several creditors there being 1481 Tithables in the list there remaining 914 to be accounted for by the Collector.

This Day Capt Gwyn Read by Letter to the Gents of vestry Does resign his place of vestryman.

Ordered Cap* Thomas Smith Mr Kemp Whiting and Mr George Dudley be chosen vestrymen, in the room of Mr Charles Debnam Deceas'd Mr Humph* Toye Tabb Deceas'd and Capt Gwyn Reade Resign'd.

John Davis

(58)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novr 9th 1761

The Rev'd Mr John Dixon Minister, Cap* Thos* Hayes Church Warden Majr Kemp Plummer Mr Charles Blacknall, Mr Kemp Whiting Mr Wm Plummer Mr Thos* Smith Mr John Armistead

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.

To the Rev'd Mr John Dixon Minister 16000 & cafk
To ditto for Shrinkage 640
To ditto for quitrents & acc* 720
To Capε John Clayton Clε of the County 54
To John Davis Clε of the lower Church & vestry 1700 & caʃk
To Thoε Dawjon Clε of the upper Church 1200 & caʃk
To Iʃabella Parrett Sexton of the upper Church 400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church 400
To Thoε Dawjon for Keeping the Plate 200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Averilla Bridge 400
To John Owen for his Sister Christian Owen & burying her 400
To Elizabeth Bridge widow 500
To Mary Bolton 500
To William Brownley for keeping Joseph Ashbery 350
To Hannah Fordom Widow 300
To John Davis for Keeping Church ornaments 200
To Mary Flippen for Keeping Ann Craufords Child 400
To Sarah Basset 300
To John Davis for keeping the lower vestry House 100
To Thoε. Dawjon 48
To Iʃabella Parrett for keeping the upper vestry House 100
To Jufanna Sadler for keeping her lame Daughε. 300
To Ann Owen Widow to be paid to Capε Thomas Hayes 200
To Elizabeth Green widow 500
To Joanna Barnett widow & Children 300
To Mary Baxter widow 500
To Wε. Angel for keeping a bastard Child 400

(59)
To Henry Powel for looking after a sick man & burying him 300
To John Bush 250
To 4 1/2 Ct. on 1000 for cask 756
To be left in the hands of the Church wardens towards Repairing the Glebe house & building a room 16 x 20 with brick and a Brick Chimney 5000

To 6 1/2 Ct. on the whole for collecting 2029

Ordered That the Church wardens have Power to agree with workmen to build a gallery in the old Church
Ordered That Capt. Thomas Hayes & Capt. William Hayes Do Stand Church wardens for the ensuing year
Ordered that Capt. Thomas Hayes do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 24 1/2 lb Tobacco to satisfy the several Creditors there being 1486 tithables on the list
Memorandum That Mr. Hugh Gwyn By Message to the vestry Resigns his Place of vestryman which if he confirms under his hand Mr. Edward Hughes is agreed to be Chosen in his room
Witnesses John Davis Clk V.

(60)
At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novr 1st. 1762
Present, The Reverend Mr. John Dixon Minister Capt. Tho. Hayes Capt William Hayes Churchwardens, Maj' r Kemp Plummer Mr. William Tabb Capt. William Plummer, Capt. John Peyton Capt. Thomas Smith Mr. Kemp Whiting Mr. George Dudley

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.
To the Rever'd Mr. John Dixon Minister 16000 & cask
To D for Shrinkage 640
To D for Quitrents and acc 645
To Capt John Clayton Clk of the Court 18
To John Davis Clk of the Lower Church & Vestry 1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the upper Church 1200 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the upper Church 400
To John Davis sexton of the Lower Church 400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate 200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Averilla Bridge 400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 500
To Mary Bolton 600
To Hannah 400
To John Davis for Keeping Church ornam‘a
  Cushions &c 200
To Sarah Bajset Widow 300
To John Davis for making fires in the Lower
  vestry house 100
To Isabell Parrett for d° of the upper vestry
  house 100
To Ann Owen, to be paid to Capt. Tho• Hayes
  for rent 200
To Susanna Sadler for Keeping her lame
  Daughter 300
To Elizabeth Green Widow 500
To Joanna Barnet and Children 300
To Mary Baxter Widow 500
To William Angel for taking the Child off
  the Parish that he has formerly kept 200
To John Bush 250
To Susannah Sadler for keeping Tho• Thur-
  stons Child 200
To Rob• Hudgen 400

(61)
To Acc• Brought up 27053
To Maj• Kem Plummer for a levy over paid
  last year 24½
To Cap• W• Plummer for a levy over Charged 26½
To Matthew Gayle for two Levies over
charged

To Aaron Hudgen for keeping a Child 7 months 49
To Cap'. Wm Hayes to Ballance of His acc'. 350
To be left in the Churchwardens hands to pay Mr. Jefferson Dunbar for Building on the Glebe &c. and Gallery in the Church 676
To Augustine Degge for Levies over paid last year 10000
To 4 ³⁄₄ Ct. on 18900 allow'd for cask 1000
To 6 ³⁄₄ Ct. for Collecting 122½
To 4 ³⁄₄ Ct. on 18900 allow'd for cask 756

*39063½

To 6 ³⁄₄ Ct. for Collecting 2343

41406½

1424 Tithable[ ] 208 Depos[r] after J. Deg[ ] is paid 400 for Wm. Ange[ ]

Ordered That Cap'. Thomas Smith and Mr. Kemp Whiting do Stand Churchwardens for the ensuing year

Ordered That Cap'. Tho. Smith Do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish 29½ lb. of Tobacco to satisfy the several Creditors

Ordered That the collector Do pay Joseph Degge for Wm. Angel 400 lb Tobacco out of the Depos[r] and acc'[ ] for the rest at the laying of our next levy

Ordered that Mr. Edward Hughes & Mr. James Ranfone Be chosen Vestrymen in the room of Mr. Charles Blacknall and Mr. John Armistead Deceas'd

ordered That Moses Hudgen and Richard Machen be levy free

Witness

John Davis

* The original addition was 39063½. Later the two last digits were overwritten with a 5 and a 7 respectively, and the total then read 39057½; but no corresponding change was made in the final total, 41406½.—C. G. C.
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novr 28th 1763

Present, The Rever’d Mr John Dixon Minister

Capt. Thomas Smith, Mr Kemp Whiting Church wardens, Capt William Hayes, Capt. John Peyton, Majr Kemp Plummer, Mr William Tabb, Mr George Dudley, Capt Thomas Hayes, Mr James Ranfone.

Ordered That Toba* be Levied as follows Viz.

To the Rev’d Mr. John Dixon Minister 16000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage 640
To ditto for quitrence and acc’t 630
To Capt. John Clayton Cl* of ye County Court 18
To John Davis Cl* of the Lower Church & vestry 1700 & cask
To Thos Dawson d* of the New Church 1200 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church 400
To John Davis d* of the old Church 400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate 200
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Mary Bolton 600
To Hannah Fordom 400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornament &c 200
To Sarah Bajset 400
To Isabella Parrett for making fires in the upper vestry house 100
To John Davis for ditto of the lower vestry House 100
To Ann Owen to be paid to Capt. Thomas Hayes for Rent 200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 500
To Elizabeth Green widow and Small Children 500
To Joanna Barnett widow and small Children 300
To Mary Baxter 500
To Susannah Sadler for keeping Thos Thurston’s Child 200
To John Bush 250
MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA, 1679-1796

To Sujannah Sadler for keeping her Daugh' having fits & lame 500
To Langley Billups for 2 levies not receivd 49
To Doc' John Symmer for John Bushe's wife and Ann Burton 871½
To Ann Owen Allow'd to build her an house 400
To Capt. William Hayes on acc' of Ann Burton 432
To M' Rob' Dalgleish for Tho' Newburn on acc'. Averilla Bridge 200
To Rob' Hall to take Tho' Thurstons Child off the Parish 500

(63)
To Acc'. Bro'. over 28790
To be left in the Church wardens hand towards paying off M' Jefferson Dunbars acc' 4483
To be left in the Church wardens Hands towards repairing the old Church 2500
To Whenefred Longeist 500
To 4 pr'. Ct. on 18900 for Cask 756

37029
To 6 pr'. Ct for Collecting 2221

39250

Ordered That Capt. Thomas Smith and M' Kemp Whiting do Stand Church wardens for the ensuing year
Ordered That M'. Kemp Whiting do receive of each Tithable person in this Parish 25½" Toba to Satisfy the several Creditors

This day M' William Tabb Resign'd his place of vestryman
Ordered That M' Robt Tabb have notice that he is Chosen vestryman In the room of M' William Tabb Resign'd
Tiths for the year 1763 1552 Depos' 326
Test John Davis Clk
At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish augst. 15 1763
Present, The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister
Capt. Tho. Smith, Mr. Kemp Whiting, Churchwardens Capt. Tho. Hayes, Majr. Kemp Plummer, Mr. William Tabb Capt. William Hayes, Capt. John Peyton, Mr. George Dudley Mr. Edward Hughes, Mr. James Ranjone,

Ordered That the Church wardens get three Windows put into the Church and have the beam cut away and and get the Pews mended and any other small Repairs they Shall Think Necessary

Revolvd that Jefferson Dunbar has not compleated the plaijtering of the Gallery in a workmanlike manner

Tejt John Davis

(64)
At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novr. 19th in the year 1764
Present The rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minijr
Capt. Thomas Smith Mr. Kemp Whiting Church warden Capt. Tho. Hayes, Capt Wm. Hayes, C, John Peyton, Mr. George Dudley Mr. Edward Hughes Mr. James Ranjone Maj' Kemp Plummer

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.
To the rev'd Mr John Dixon Minijr 16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage 640
To ditto for Quitrence & accompt 700
To Capt. John Clayton Clk. 18
To John Davis Clk. of lower Church & vestry 1700 & cask
To Tho. Dawson Ditto of the New Church 1200 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church 400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church 400
To Tho. Dawson for Keeping the plate 200
To Catherine marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Mary Bolton 600
To Hannah Fordom 400
To John Davis for Keeping Church Ornaments Cushions &c 200
To Sarah Bajset 400
To Isabella Parrott for making fires in the upper Vestry House 100
To John Davis for d* of the lower vestry house 100
To Ann Owen for rent to be paid to C. Tho* Hayes 200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 600
To Elizabeth Green Widow 500
To Joannah Barnett and Small Children 300
To Mary Baxter 500
To Sujannah Sadler for keeping Daughter having fits and Lame 500
To John Ripley for 1 levy over paid last year 25½
To Tho* pool for one levy over paid last year & 1 this year 55
To M* Gabriel Hughes to finish Ann Owens House 366
To W* Blake to his Ballance 680
To The Rev'd M* John Dixon to pay Jefferson Dunbar 18||9||9 2464
[ ]** Mary Tabb for for Elizabeth Lovet 533

(65)
To acct* bro* up
To Elizabeth Turner and Small Children 500
To Thomas Newburn for a year to come Keeping Elizabeth Parrots Bastard 500
To 4. £9 C. on 18900 for cask 756
To 6. £9 C* for Collecting

Orererd That M*. Kemp Whiting do pay 11||7||1 out of the money in his hands to W* Blake and also 20||7||3 to Jefferson Dunbar

Ordered That James Howgate & Thomas Williams be Levy free
Ordered That Mr. George Dudley and Mr. Edward Hughes be appointed Church Wardens, and Mr. George Dudley is authorized to receive twenty three pounds of Tobacco for each Tithable person in this parish.

Ordered That two Dials presented to the parish by the Rev'd John Dixon be fixed up on Substantial and neat posts of Cedar Locust or Mulberry to be paid for out of the Tob left in the Collectors hands being 532 "bs.

Ordered. That what shall be left in the Collectors hands after putting up the Dials and also 326½ of Tob in Mr. Kemp Whiting's Hands be paid to Mr. Robert Billups for maintaining Elizabeth Hooks Bastard. But the Church wardens are Desired to bring suit against the father of the Child, and Prosecute the Woman, and all others who have Bastards for the Fine.

Test

John Davis.

(66)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Octob' 28th 1765
Present The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon. Minijter
Mr. George Dudley, Mr. Edward Hughes Church Wardens
Capt. William Hayes Capt, John Peyton Mr. Kemp Whiting
Mr. James Ranjone, Mr. Robert Tabb, Capt Tho', Hayes

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.
To The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minijter 16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage 640
To ditto for quitrents and acc' of 4½3 476
To Capt John Clayton Clerk of the County Court 265½
To John Davis Clerk of ye Lower Church & Vestry 1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the New Church 1200 & cask
To Jsabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church 400
To John Davis sexton of the old d' 400
To Thomas Dawson for keeping the plate 200
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Mary Bolton 600
To Hannah Fordom Widow 400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornaments 300
Cushions &c, & Making fires in the Vestry House
To IJsabella Parrett for making fires in the upper Vestry House 100
To Sarah Bajset Widow 400
To Ann Owen to be paid to Capt. Tho* Hayes for Rent 200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 600
To Elizabeth Green Widow 400
To Joanna Barnett Widow & Children 300
To Mary Baxter Widow 500
To Sujannah Sadler for Keeping her Lame Daughter 500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow & Children 500
To Judith Machen Widow 200
To George Mullins for taking James Lov* son of Elizabeth Lovet off the Parish 1200
To Richard Sumers for Burying Richard Bush 100

(67) 27981½
To Acc'. Brought over 27981½
To IJsabella Parrett to Enable her to keep Elizabeth Parrets Child the ensuing year 400
To Mr, Peter Bernard for Delinquents 230
To Mr. George Dudley for 3/9 Paid for Writs 18½
To Doc* Georg John*on to pay 3||15||11 Curing Whereford Longest's Leg 378
To Judith Miller Towards Building her house 500
To Jane Reaves 300
To Mr. Gabriel Hughes 37
To 4 ℔ C* on 18900 for cask 756

30601
To 6 ℔ C* for Collecting 1836

32437
Ordered That Mr. George Dudley and Mr. Edward Hughes Do stand Church wardens for the ensuing year

Ordered That Mr. Langley Billups Do receive of Each Tithable person in this Parish 22½ lb. Tobacco to satisfy the several Creditors

Ordered That Mr. Langley Billups do acc° for the remainder of 222 lbs Tobacco at the laying the Next Parish Levy

Witnesses

John Davis

(68)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novr. 18th. 1766

Present The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister

Mr. Edward Hughes, Mr. George Dudley, Church wardens

Capt Thomas Hayes, Capt William Hayes Cap't. Thomas Smith

Mr. James Ranjone, Mr. Robert Tabb, Maj' William Plummer

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz

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Ordered That Mr. Robert Tabb and Mr. James Ransone Act as Church wardens the ensuing year.

Ordered that Mr. Langley Billups be appointed Collector and that he receive of each titheable person in this Parish the sum of Twenty two Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several creditors above mentioned.

Sign'd by the Rev'd Mr. John Dixon

Witneses

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Sept' 28th 1767

Present The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister
Maj'r Kemp Plummer Maj'r William Plummer Capt. John Peyton Capt. Thomas Smith Capt. Wm. Hayes Mr. Kemp Whiting Mr. George Dudley Mr. Rob' Tabb

Ordered that Mr. William Armistead of Hejse be appointed vestry man in the Room of Mr. James Ransone Decea'd

Witneses

(70)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov' 23d 1767

Present The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister Capt. Tho. Hayes Maj'r. Kemp Plummer Capt. Wm. Hayes Capt. John Peyton Mr. George Dudley Mr. Kemp Whiting, Mr. Edward Hughes Capt. Thomas Smith

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To the Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister 16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage 640
To ditto for Quitrents and acc' £4 || 15 || 3 476
To be paid for Copy of the List of Tithables 18
To John Davis Clark of the Lower Church & Vestry 1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawjon Clk of the New Church 1200 & cask
To Isabella Parot Sexton of the New Church 400
To Jn* Davis ditto of the old Church 400
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Thomas Dawjon for keeping the Plate 200
To Mary Bolton 600
To Hannah Fordom Widow 400
To Jno. Davis for Keeping Church ornaments Cushions &c and making fires in the Lower Vestry House 300
To Sarah Bagset Widow 400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 600
To Ann Owen Widow 200
To Mary Baxter 500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children 300
To Judith Machen Widow 300
To Jane Reaves Widow 300
To Suzanna Sadler for keeping her Lame Daughter 500
To Richard Morgan and his Wife 300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children 400
To M's Ann Blacknall for keeping Ann Coleman’s Child 300
To Richard Longest for Keeping Dorothy Parrots Child the year last past; to be paid to the Rev’d John Dixon 600
To Joseph Tabor for Keeping the Child of Elizabeth Soles The year last past to be paid to M’s Langley Billups 600
(71)
Brought over 28034
To Suzannah Sadler 100
To Moses Hudgen for a Levy over paid last year 22
To James Huggate 200
To Joseph King 5’s 25
To Mr Robert Dalgie’sh 10’s 50
To 4 £ C’s. on 18900 for Cask 756
To Isabella Parrot for making fires in the Vestry House at the New Church 100
To Henry Hunley for 3 Levies over paid last year 66
To Wilkinjon Hunley for 10 ditto 220
To Deborah Edwards widow 300
To Mr Langley Billups for Tithables given him in the Last year that he cant receive Levies from 564

30437

To 6 ¾ C. for Collecting 1826

32263

Ordered That Mr Robert Tabb do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish 21 lb of Tobacco to Sattify the Several Creditors

Ordered That Cap' John Peyton do Stand Churchwarden for the ensuing year With Mr Robert Tabb

Signed by The Rev'd Mr John Dixon

Witneses John Davis

(72)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Dec 12th 1768 Present The Rev'd Mr John Dixon Minister Mr Rob' Tabb Cap' John Peyton, Churchwardens Cap' Wm Hayes Mr Kemp Whiting Mr George Dudley Mr Edward Hughes Cap' Thomas Smith

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.
To The Rev'd Mr John Dixon Minister 16000 & cask
To d' for Shrinkage 640
To Cap' John Clayton for Copy of List of Tithables 18

572 To The rev'd Mr John Dixon for Quitrents & wine £4||15'5' 572
To John Davis Clerk of y' old Church 1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawjon d' of the New Church 1200 & cask
To Isabella Parret sexton of the New Church 400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church 400
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Thomas Dawjon for keeping the plate 200
To Mary Bolton Widow to be paid to Robert Cully 600
To Hannah Fordam Widow 400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornaments &c 200
To John Davis for making fires in the Vestry House 100
To IJsabella Parrett for making fires in the upper ditto 100
To Sarah Basset Widow 400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 600
To Ann Owen Widow to be paid to Capt. Tho. Hayes 200
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children 300
To Judith Machen Widow & Children 300
To Jane Reaves Widow to be paid to William Ander 300
To Susanna Sadler for her Lame Daughter 500
To Richard Morgan and Wife 300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children 400
To Richard Longest for keeping Dorothy Paret's Child 500
To M' Mary Blacknall for keeping Ann Coleman's Child 400
To Joseph Tabor for keeping Elizabeth Soles's Child To be paid to Langley Billups 400
To James Hugget 200
To Deborah Edwards Widow 300

28030

(73)
To Acc't Bro't up 28030
To 4 2/3 Cts. on 18900 for Cask 756
To be left in the Church wardens Hands towards paying the Doctors for John Soper 1200
To Ann King Widow and Children 300
To Mr Richard Gregory for provision for Se
Ann King 250
To Joshua Bridge for a wreck Lying in and
board at his house seven weeks to be paid
to Fran. Miller 150
To M' John Billups for Corn for Elizabeth
Treacle 150
To M' Robert Tabb for 19 Tithables that he
cannot receive Levies from 399
To The Rev'd M' John Dixon for Building a
Quarter on the Glebe £40 4000
To ditto for an House for the Overseer
16 x 12 £5 500
To ditto for repairing the Vestry House at
the old Church 200

35935
To 6 20 C for Collecting 2156

38091

Ordered That M' Charles Tompikes Sheriff do Collect and
Receive of each Tithable person in this Parish 24½ lbs of
Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors.
Ordered That M' William Armistead stand Church warden
the ensuing year with Sir. John Peyton.
Ordered That Capt. Francis Armistead Have Notice That
he is chosen Vestryman in stead of M' Hugh Gwyn Resign'd
Teft John Davis

(74)
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Dec' 11th 1769
Present The Rev'd M' John Dixon Minister
Sir John Peyton William Armistead Gent Church Wardens
Capt. Willam Hayes, Capt. Tho. Smith, M' Edward Hughes,
M' Robert Tabb M' George Dudley

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Number of Tithables on the List from the from the office is with the addition of some more found out by the Vestry 1421 Levy ^r pole 25 lb Remainder 101 lb Toba^r

Ordered That William Armistead Gent^r and Sir John Peyton stand Church Wardens the ensuing year

Ordered that Mr Langley Billups do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish 25 lbs Tobacco to Satisfy the several Parish Creditors and to acc^t for the remainder at Laying the next Levy for this Parish

Ordered That Mr. John Willis have notice that the vestry have Chosen him vestryman in the room of Capt. Tho^t Hayes
who this day by note to the vestry resign'd his place of Vestryman.

It is the Opinion of the Vestry that the Church wardens ought to rectify any mistake that may happen in Laying the Levy.

Ordered That Thomas Rice be Levy free
Witnesses John Davis

(76)
At a Vestry Held for Kingstoun Parish at the gleab March 6th, 1770
Prent. The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister Capt Wm. Hayes, Capt Tho. Smith Coll. John Peyton Mr. George Dudley Mr. Edward Hughes Mr. Robert Tabb Mr. Kemp Whiting

It was agreed to and Signed by the above mentioned Gent's of Vestry, That the Rev'd Mr. John Dixon be absent Some Months and to receive the Rever'd Mr. Thomas Baker to officiate for him during his Absence and to receive the Said Rev'd Mr. John Dixon again if it is his desire to return.

Witnesses John Davis

At a Vestry Held for Kingstoun Parish Octob' 29th 1770
Present The rev'd Mr. John Dixon, The rev'd Mr. Thomas Baker, Sir John Peyton, Mr. William Armistead Churchw', Major Kemp Plummer, Capt' William Hayes, Mr. Kemp Whiting, Mr. Edward Hughes, Mr. Rob't Tabb, Capt' Fran' Armistead, Capt' Thomas Smith, & Mr. Geo. Dudley

This day The rev'd Mr. John Dixon Resign't the Parrish
It is Agreed to Allow The rev'd Mr. Thomas Baker the Salary or a Proportionable part of it for the time he shall Officiate as Minister of this Parrish and we Agree to Employ him if he Chuses to serve untel a Minister is chosen Allowing him the Use of the Gleab and all Other Emolumants the same as to a Rector

Carried up
(77)

The Gent* fore mentioned Order that Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz

To The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon 12000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage 480
To Ditto for Quitrents and Acc., £6||5 750
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy of the List Tithables 18
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry 1700 & cask
To Ditto Sexton of the Old Church 400
To Ditto for taking Care of Church Ornament* Cushiions &c 200
To Ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House 100
To Estate of Thos. Dawson Deceased and Ritches Wiatt Roystone Clerks of the New Church 1200 & cask
To The said Estate for keeping the plate 200
To Ann King Sexton of the New Church 400
To Ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House 100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Mary Bolton Widow 600
To Sarah Bajset Widow 400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow 600
To Ann Owen Widow for rent 200
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children 300
To Judith Machen Widow 300
To Jane Reaves Widow 300
To Susannah Sadler for keeping her lame Daugh* 500
To Richard Morgan and Wife 300
To be left in the Church Wardens hands for Richard Longe/f for keeping Dorothy Parrets Child 1000
To Martha Christian Widow & Children 400
To James Hugget 200
To Deborah Edwards Widow 300
To Mrs. Mary Blacknail for keeping & Colemans Child 400
To D* for ditto omitted Last year  400
To Ann King Widow & Children  300
To John Brownley  300
To John Sampjon  300
To Elizabeth Brownley Widow & Children  600
To Joanna Barnet Widow  300
To Elizabeth Treakle Widow & Children  400

Carried over  26348

(78)  Acc. Bro* over  26348
To The Rev'd Mr. Thomas Baker Minijter  4000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage  160
To Thomas Blake for acc. £7||12||6 for work on the Church  915
To Joseph King £4||2||6 for Horse Blocks Racks & Coffin  495
To Capt Shackleford for acc. £1||19||0½  234
To Mr. Robert Tabb for Injolvents  512
To Doc* Geo. Johnjon for acc*  500
To Mr. Langley Billups for Injolvents  700
To Peter Bell for Keeping Tho* Crawly hav­
ing fits  300
To Richard Morgan & his wife allow'd more  300
To Richard Parrett for one Levy over paid  25
To Susannah Sadler for her Self  300
To Thomas Newburn for Keeping a Child  100
To 4 ☼ C* on 18900 for Cask  756

35645

To 6 p* C* for Collecting  2138

37783

Ordered That Mr* William Smith Sheriff do Receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish Twenty six & ½ lbs To­bacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That Mr* John Willis and Capt. Francis Armistead be Church Wardens the Ensuing year
Ordered That the Church wardens do rectify any Mistake if any is
Ordered That Wm Bridge be levy free
Witnesses
John Davis.

(79)
At a VESTRY HELD for Kingston Parish Dec' 19th 1770

Sir John Peyton M' Robert Tabb
Capt. William Hayes M' William Armistead
M' George Dudley Capt. Francis Armistead
M' Edward Hughes M' John Willis
Gents of VESTRY

The Rev'd M' Thomas Baker, The Rev'd M' Thomas Field, The Rev'd M' Arthur Hamilton, and the Rev'd M' Archibald Avens offering themselves as Candidates for this Parish in the Room of the Rev'd M' Dixon Resigned, and by a Majority of the VESTRY the above M' Field was Chosen whose time will Commence from the fifth day of January 1771 The Rev'd M' Tho Baker having serv'd as Minister of this Parish according to a former Order of VESTRY three Months.

Test.

(80)
At a VESTRY HELD for Kingston Parish Nov' 25, 1771
Present, The Rev'd M' Tho Field Minister Sir John Peyton, Cap Tho Smith M' George Dudley M' Edward Hughes, M' William Armistead Cap Francis Armistead, M' John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.
To The Rev'd M' Tho Field Minister 13055½ & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage 0522
To The Rev'd M' Tho Baker 2944½ & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage 0117
To M' John Clayton 0018
To John Davis Cl of Church & VESTRY 1700 & cask
To ditto sexton of the old Church 400
To Richard Wiatt Royston Clerk of the New Ch

To John Davis for keeping Church Ornamen* Cushions &c

To Ditto for making fires in the Vejtry House

To Ann King sexton of ye New Church

To Ditto for making fires in the Vejtry House at the New Church

To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley

To Mary Bolton widow

To Sarah Bajset widow

To Elizabeth Bridge widow

To Ann Owen

To Judith Machen widow

To Jane Reaves widow

To Susannah Sadler for her lame Daughter

To Richard Morgan & wife

To Martha Chriftian widow

To James Hugget

To Deborah Edwards widow

To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children

To Joanna Barnet

(81)

To acc* Bro* over

To Elizabeth Treacle widow & Children

To Peter Bell for keeping Thomas Crawley the year past, to be paid to Wm Smith

To Susannah Sadler for self

To Ann Hudgen widow

To Sarah Lovet

To Robert Keeyes for acc* £1||3||6

To Margaret Wiatt widow

To Tho* Blake for work on the Glebe

To Tho* Flippen for removing a woman
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(82)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov' 25th 1771

Present, The Rev'd M' Tho* Feilde Minister
Sir John Peyton, Cap* Tho* Smith M' George Dudley M'
Edward Hughes, M' William Armistead Capt. Fran* Armis-
tead and M' John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied As follows

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<td>To M' John Clayton for Copy of the List</td>
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<td>To John Davis Clerk of the old Church &amp; Vestry</td>
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<td>To Ditto sexton of the old Church</td>
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To Judith Machen widow 300
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To Sussannah Sadler for her Lame Daugh't 500
To Richard Morgan and Wife 600
To Martha Christian widow 400
To James Hugget 300
To Deborah Edwards widow 300
To Ann King widow and Children 300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children 600
To Joanna Barnet widow 300
To Elizabeth trekle widow 400
To Peter Bell for Keeping Thomas Crauley to be paid to Wm Smith 500

(83)
To Acc't Brought up 27075
To Sussannah Sadler for self 300
To Ann Hudgen widow 300
To Sarah Lovet 300
To Robt Keys for Acc't 23/6 117½
To Margaret Wiatt 500
To Tho. Blake for work on the Glebe 8000
To Tho. Flippen for removing a Woman 100
To Mr. John Willis for acc't £5||2||4 512
To Rich't Longesp for keeping Dorothy parrets Child 500
To Robt Green for, 7, Levies overpaid 183½
To Sarah Sadler and Children 300
To Mildred for for keeping a bastard Child of Caty Ellis's 500
To 4 £9. C. 18900 for Cask 756

40326¼
To 6 £9 C. Collecting 2419

42745¼
Ordered That Cap' Francis Armistead and Mr. John Willis stand Church wardens the ensuing year.

Ordered That Mr. Wm Smith receive of each Tithable person in this parish thirty two Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors.

Ordered That Mr. Humphry Gwyn, Mr. Thos. Hayes, Mr. Geo. Wm. Plummer & Mr. Gab'. Hughes have Notice from the Clerk that they are Chosen Vestrymen, in the room of Cap'. Wm. Hayes deceased Mr. Kemp Whiting, Maj' Wm. Plummer resign'd & Maj' Kemp Plummer deceased.

Over

(84)

Ordered That Cap' Thomas Smith, Mr. John Willis, and Sir John Peyton at some convenient time meet at the Glebe and view the work done there by Thomas Blake, and order as much of the Tobacco in the Collector's hands to him as they shall think sufficient for the work there done.

Ordered That The Rev'd Mr. Feilde have Liberty to dispose or make use of such Timber as may be in the Lands if more than he can make use of on the Glebe and that the Church wardens acting inspect or look over the same.

Ordered That The depo' in the hands of the Collector be disposed of as the Church wardens may think convenient.

Ordered That the Gent. appointed to view the work done at the Glebe take a Bond of Thomas Blake for his Compleating the work now unfinished in a reasonable time.

Witnes's

John Davis

(85)

[ ] Kingsto[ ]

Nov 28th 1772

Gent. Pref' Sir John Peyton C Thomas Smith Mr. Edw'd Hughes, Mr. George Dudley, Mr. William Armistead Cap'. Francis Armistead, Mr. John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as followeth Viz.
To The Rev'd M. Tho. Feilde Minis' 16000 & Cask  
To ditto for shrinkage 640  
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy list 18  
To Richard. W. Royston Clk of the New Church 1200 & Cask  
To Ann King sexton of y' new Church 400  
To John Davis Clk of y' Old Church & Vestry 1700 & cask  
To ditto for sexton of the old Church 400  
To ditto for taking Care of C's ornament & Cusions 200  
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House at old C's 100  
To Ann King for ditto at the new C's 100  
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400  
To Mary Bolton widow 800  
To Sarah Bajset Widow 400  
To Ann Owen widow for Rent 200  
To Judith Machen widow 300  
To Jane Reaves widow 300  
To Susanna Sadler for her lame Da' 500  
To Rich'M Morgan & his wife 600  
To Martha Christian widow 400  
To Deborah Edwards widow 300  
To Ann King Widow and Children 300  
To Richard Morgan toward retrieving his lofs 200  
To Eliza'H Brownley widow and Children 500  
To Rob'H Hudgen for Keeping Tho' Crauly 500  
To susanah sadler for her self 300  
To Elizabeth Hudgen 300  
To Tho' Flippen for Clearing the Parish of Nancy Parret a Bastard Child 500  

27558

[86]

To Ballance on acc't of Mr John Willis 10/3 68  
To Sarah Sadler Widow & Children 500  
To Mildred Burton for keeping a Child of
Caty Ellis 500
To M'*. Mary Blacknall for Tho*. Coleman two years 800
To Eliz. Evans widow 300
To Mary Anderton Widow 600
To Ann Fletcher widow 300
To ditto the above 68th of M' willis 68
To Geo. Willis and his wife 400
To Moses Hudgen 200
To Dorothy Mullens for Keeping Elz. Snow Longejt 500
To Ann Longejt for Keeping Wm Longejt an Orphan Child 500
To Nicholas Wejcom for taking Nancy Longejt off the Parish 500
To Edmund Owen for taking Care of in sickness and Burying John Davis 100
Allow'd to purchase a Law book 250
To be left in the Collectors hands and apply'd as directed hereafter by the Vestry 6000
To Capt Francis Armistead for acc't for Wine £6 720
To 4 g. C*. on 18900 for Cask 756

40552
To 6 g. C*. for Collecting 2433

42985

old orders of Vestry

(87)

Remainder of orders at the vestry at the [ ] Church in the year of our Lord 1772 Bro [ ]
Ordered, That Cap' Tho* Hayes and M', Gab[ ] Hughes, stand Church Wardens the Enjueing y[ ]
Ordered That M' Benjamin Shackelford do Collect of each Tithable Person in this Parish Thirty fo[ ] and a Quarter
Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the sever[ ] Parish Creditors

By a Majority of the Vestry Present Mr. Walter Keeble, Cap. John Billups and Mr. Edmund Cus[tis were chosen Vestrymen for this Parish

This Day it appearing to the Vestry the Undersigned persons have not given their List of Tithables for the present year

Ordered That the Church wardens make Information against the s' persons, and all others that shall appear to them not to have Given in their Lists and that this be a standing Rule for the future

Agreed on that the same three Gent of Vestry Sir John Peyton Thomas Smith Esq' and Mr. John Willis with Mr. Edward Hughes Capt. Thomas Hayes and Mr. Gabi Hughes do meet at the Glebe or any three of them at some Convenient time and value the work done there by Thomas Blake and Examine his Acc't., Likewise Examine Likewise see what is to do there and have it done

The above Orders were Signed by the Rev'd Mr. Thomas Feilde Minister of the above S' Parish of Kingston

Revt

John Davis

(88)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish October 26, 1773

Present The Rev'd Mr. Thomas Feilde Minister Capt. Thomas Smith, Mr. George Dudly, Mr. Edward Hughes, Mr. William Armistead, Capt. Francis Armistead Capt. Thomas Hayes Mr. Gabriel Hughes & Capt. John Billups

To The Rev'd Mr. Tho' Feild Minister 16000
To ditto for Shrinkage 640 To ditto for Cask 640 1280
To Cap' John Clayton Clr of y' County for Copy lift of Tiths 18
To Thomas Hall Clerk of the New Church 1200
To ditto for Cask 48
To Ann King sexton of the new Church 400
To ditto for making Fires in the vestry House 100
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley 400
To Mary Bolton widow 800
To sarah Bajset widow 400
To Ann Owen widow 300
To Judith Machen Widow 300
To Jane Reaves widow 300
To Sujanna Sadler for her Da' being lame & havings fits 500
To Richard Morgan & his Wife 600
To Marth Christian widow 400
To Ann King widow & Children 300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children 500
To Robert Hudgen for Keeping Tho* Crauley 400
To Sujanna Sadler ¶¶ self 300
To Elizabeth Hudgen widow 300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children 500
To Elizabeth Evans widow 300
To Ann Willis Widow 400
To Moses Hudgen 300
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry 1700
To Ditto for Cask 68. To ditto sexton 400
To ditto for taking Care of C’s Ornam’t & Cushions 200
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House 100
To Mildred Burton for Keeping a Child of Caty Ellis 500
To John Anderton for Keeping an orphan of Mark Anderton 400
To Ann Sellers for two orphans of ditto 800
To Ann Flecher widow & Children 300
To Dorothy Mullins for keeping an orphan of Wm Longjt 500

(89)
To Acc’t. Bro* over 31[ ]
To Ann Longest for an Orphan of Wm Longest Deceas’d 4[ ]
To Peter Renals for Molly Bush 4[ ]
To be sold on the Parijh acc't 301
501

To 6 % C° for Collecting 2227

37131

39358

Ordered That Mr Gabriel Hughes & Cap Thomas Hayes Continue Church Wardens for the ensuing year

Ordered That Mr Gabriel Hughes or his Deputy do receive of each Tithable person in this Parijh twenty Eight pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several Parijh Creditors there being 1421 Tithables in the List

Ordered That the 5017 lb of Tobacco be Sold by the Collect on July Court day 1774 for this County, in order to Satisfy the Cash acc't as follows

To The Rev'd M' Thomas Feild's acc't for wine &c £8 || 18 || 8½

To The Church Wardens ditto 3 || 13 || 6

and for the intended repairs to the Churches and Glebe House

ordered That Mr Benj' Shackelford pay Tho' Blake the Ballance of his acc't and what remains in his hands to the Church Wardens to be applied to the Cash acc't

Ordered That Mr William Smith pay the Tobacco remaining in his Hands to Tho' Blake

ordered thirty yards of *Crocus for the Parlour at the Glebe

Correct in the above the No of Tithables there being only 1421

Witnesses

John Davis

(90)

[ ] a Vestry Held for Kingston Parijh Novr 9, 1774

Present The Rev'd M' Thomas Feilde Minister Sir John Peyton, Majr Thomas Smith, M' Edw'd Hughes M' George

*This word was difficult to decipher. Possibly it has been read wrong.—C. G. C.
Dudley, Capt. Thomas Hayes Mr. John Willis Mr. Gabriel Hughes Capt John Billups

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To The Rev'd Mr. Thomas Feilde Minister 16000
To ditto for Shrinkage 640  To ditto for Cask 640 1280
To the Clerk of the County for Copy List of Tithables 20
To Thomas Hall Clerk of the New Church 1200
To Ann King Sexton ditto 400
To Tho* Hall for Cask 48
To Ann King for Making Fires in the vestry House 100
To Mary Bolton Widow 800
To Sarah Bajset widow 400
To Ann Owen Widow 300
To Judith Machen widow 300
To Jane Reaves widow 300
To Susanna Sadler for her Da* being lame & having Fits 500
To Richard Morgan & Wife 600
To Martha Christan Widow 400
To Ann King widow & Child 300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children 500
To Susanna Sadler for self 300
To Sarah S[ ]dler Widow & Children 500
To Elizabeth Evans widow 300
To Ann Willis widow 400
To Moses Hudgen 500
To Jn* Davis C[ ] of Church & Ve[ ]try 1700
To ditto for Cask 68  To ditto for sexton 400 468
To ditto for taking Care of Church Ornament & Cushions 200
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House 100
To Ann Sellers for two Orphans of Mark Anderton 800
To Ann Flecher widow & Children 300
To Dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of Wm Longest 500
To Ann Longest for Keeping an Orphan of ditto 400
To Thomas Longest for keeping Molly Bujh 400
To Mary Hudgen Midwife for keeping Thomas Crauley 400
To William Owen 300
To John Purnall for keeping a Child of Caty Ellis 450
To Mildred Burton for keeping a Child of Letty
Walson 400
[ ] Elizabeth Green widow & 4 Children 600
[ ] Thomas Willis for a Child of Dorothy Stedar 400

32866

(91)
Brough up
To the ESTATE of Maj’ William Plumer Deceas’d for
6 levies overpaid in the year 1773 28 lb of Tobacco each 168
To Mr Ben Shackelford for Isovents this year 620
To Satisfy the Cash accompts 2000

35654

To 6 ^ C. for Collecting 2139

37793

To Ann Longest widow, to be paid out of the Tobacco arising from the Concealed tithables 300

ordered that Capt. John Billups & Maj’ Tho’ Smith stand Church Wardens the Ensuing year

Mr John Billups Jun’ do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish Twenty eight Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That the Churchwardens do make information against all those that have not given in their lists of Tithables, next Court Day

ordered That the 2000 lb of Tobacco levied to pay the Cash acc’ts be sold on July Court Day

ordered that Mr Edward Tabb, & Mr John Dixon have Notice That they are this day Chosen Vestrymen

ordered

At a vestry held for Kingston Parish Augt 14, 1775
Present Sir John Peyton, Maj’ Thomas Smith, Mr Edward
Hughes, Mr. William Armistead, Mr. Gabriel Hughes, Capt. Thomas Hayes, Capt. John Billups Capt. John Dixon

Agreed that the Church wardens desire Mr. Edward Tabb, Mr. Ben. Shackelford, Mr. Isaac Smith Mr. Wm. Smith Mr. Matthias James, & Mr. John Hunley, Or any three of them to Meet at the Glebe at some Convenient time to view what proportion of Land there appears to have Timbertrees Cut off

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish the 11th day of March 1776

Present The Rev'd Mr. Thomas Feilde Minis'r Sir John Peyton Maj'r Tho. Smith Mr. Edward Hughes Tho. Hayes Gab'r Hughes Mr. Wm. Armistead, & Capt. John Billups

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows
To The Rev'd Mr. Tho. Feilde Minister 16000
To ditto for shrinkage 640. To ditto for Cask 640 1280
To the County Clerk for the list 20
To Tho. Hall Clerk of the New Church 1200
To ditto for Cask 48
To Ann King sexton 400
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House 100
To Mary Bolton Widow 800
To Sarah Bajset Widow 400
To Ann Owen Widow 300
To Judith Machen Widow 300
To Jane Reaves Widow 300
To Susanna Sadler for her Daughr' being lame & having fits 500
To Richard Morgan & Wife 600
To Martha Christian Widow 400
To Ann King Widow 300
To Susanna Sadler for her self 300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children 300
To Elizabeth Evans widow 200
To Ann Willis widow 400
To Mojes Hudgin 500
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<td>To ditto for for taking Care of Church ornament &amp; Church</td>
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<td>To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House</td>
<td>100</td>
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<td>To Ann Flecher widow &amp; Children</td>
<td>300</td>
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<td>To Dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of Wm Longest</td>
<td>500</td>
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<td>To Mary Hudgen Midwife for Keeping Tho* Crawley</td>
<td>400</td>
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<td>To Wm Owen</td>
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<td>To Jn* Purnall for Keeping a Child of Caty Ellis</td>
<td>450</td>
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<td>To Elizabeth Green Widow &amp; 4 Children</td>
<td>600</td>
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<td>To Abra*m Glascock for Keeping Molly Bush this year</td>
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<td>To Elizabeth Hudgen for Keeping an Orphan of Mark Anderton</td>
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<td>To Rich<em>m Rijps</em> for 1 of ditto</td>
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<td>To sarah Westyn Widow</td>
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<td>To John Elliott for Keeping a bastard Child of Usley Davis</td>
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<td>To Ann Longest widow to pay her Rent</td>
<td>300</td>
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<td>To Jn* Billups Jun* Wine &amp; expence at Williamsburg &amp;c £3</td>
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<td>To Ann Longest for Keeping Mary Longest @ y* rate of 500* of Tob* a year</td>
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<td>To The Rev'd Mr. Tho* Feilde for 1 years sacram Wine &amp; 2 Locks £2</td>
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<td>To Ann Ruff Widow to Pay her Rent</td>
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To The Rev'd M'r Tho' Feilde for prising 17280 lb
of Tobac' at 2/6 £ Thouand £2||3||2

Ordered That the Church Wardens receive of the late
Collec' 929 lb' of Tobacco & the sum of four Pounds &
four Pence to be applied to the Credit' of the Parish
To be sold by the Church Wardens at July Glouce's Court
day to satisfy the several Cash acc's

To 4850 for Collecting @ 14 £ C'.

Ordered That Maj' Tho' Smith Collect of each Tithable
Person in this Parish 28 lbs of Tobacco to satisfy the several
Parish Creditors

Ordered That M'r Ben. Shackelford, M'r George Armistead,
M'r John Hayes & M'r Rob' Matthews Have notice that they
are this day Chosen Vestrymen for this Parish

The above Orders of Vestry were sign'd by the Rev'd M'r
Tho' Feilde Minister

Witnes' John Davis

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows
To The Rev'd M'r Tho' Feilde Minis' 18944
To Ditto for cask 640 To ditto for shrinkage 640
To which is added for 274 for service till Jan. 1. 1514
for the List of Tithables 2/6 to be paid to J. Davis C'
To Tho' Hall Clk of y' New Church 1200
To Ditto for Cask 48
To Ann King Sexton of the New Church 400
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry house 100
To Mary Bolton widow 800
To Sarah Basset widow 400
To Ann Owen widow 300
To Judith Machen widow 300

At Vestry held for Kingston Parish April 28th 1777.
Present Sir John Peyton Maj' Tho' Smith, M'r Edwar
Hughes M'r Gabriel Hughes, M'r William Armistead, Capt
John Billups Capt. John Dixon
To Jan Reaves widow 300
To Susanna Sadler for her daugh*r being Lame 500
To Rich*e Morgan & wife 800
To Martha Christain widow 400
To Ann King widow 300
To Susanna Sadler for her self 300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children 300
To Elizabeth Evans widow 200
To Ann Willis Widow 400
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Veftry 1700
To ditto for Cask 68
To ditto for taking Care of Church Ornament, & Custody 200
To ditto for sexton 400
To ditto for making Fires in the vestry house 100
To Ann Flecher widow & Children 300
To dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of W*r Longest 500
To John Purnall for keeping a Child of Caty Ellis 400
To Elizabeth Green widow & Children 600
To Elizabeth Hudgen for Keeping an Orphan of Mark Anderton 400
To Ann Longest to pay her Rent 300
To Ann Ruff widow for ditto 200
To Sarah weston widow 400
To John Elliott for Keeping a Child of Urjly Davis 150
To Dorothy Mullins widow toward paying her rent 200
To Elizabeth Baley 400
To Ann Sellers widow 400
To George Woodin for expence & trouble for Ann Sellers 200

(95)
Acc*r Brought up 34424
To James Peed for burying Deborah Edwards & expence 250
To Joseph King for repairing Windows in the New
Church 8/6
To John Davis serving as Clerk from Octobr to Jan. 617
To Tho* Hall Ditto for Two Months 208

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Ordered That Cap* Edward Hughes & M' John Dixon be Church Wardens this year.

Ordered That M' John Dixon do receive of each Tithable Person 26½ lbs of Tobacco To Satisfy the several Parísh Creditors and acc* for the Remainder at the next vestry ordered That M' Dudley Cary have notice that he is Chosen Vestryman for this Parísh

The afore said orders were sig'd by Sir John Peyton
Teft

(96)

At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Feb. 6, 1778

The Rev'd M' Robert Read & The Rev'd M' William Dunlop offering Themselves as Candidates for this Parísh in the room of the Rev'd M' Feilde *
and by a Majority of the Vestry the Rev'd M' R. Read was Chosen

Ordered That The CoUec pay to each Person the Several sums as follows
To John Davis for being Clerk, Sexton, Making Fires & Keeping Church Ornaments 30 || 17 || 0
To Tho* Hall Clerk of the New Church 6 Months 7 || 16 || 0

* In this space in the MS. there is an asterisk in pencil. At the bottom of page 97 of the MS. a pencilled asterisk occurs again and the words (also in pencil) “who resigned”.—C. G. C.
MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA, 1679-1796

To Ann King Sexton & Making Fires
To Mary Bolton
To Ann Owen
To Susanna Sadler for her lame Daugh't
To Richard Morgan & wife
To Ann King
To Susanna Sadler for her self
To Ann Willis
To Elizabeth Green Widow & Children
To Ann Longest for Keeping an orphan Child
  of Mark Anderton Dec'd
To Ann Flecher & Children
To Dorothy Mullins for Wm Longest's orphan
To John Purnal for Caty Ellis's Child
Ann Longest to pay her Rent
To Ann Ruff for Ditto
To John Elliott for John Davis's orphan
To Doroth Mullins to pay her rent
To Elizabeth Baley
To Ann sellers
To M' EdwHughes
To Philip Terrier for Board & Curing Fran* Davis Hand
To Ann Longest for Tho* Hilling
To John Brownley

£160 || 19 || 6

1778 The remainder of the order of Vestry for Feb 6th 1778
Brought up

Ordered That Capt Edward Hughes & Mr Robert Matthews
be Church Wardens the Present year and that Capt. Edward
Hughes Collect from Each Tithable person in The sum of Two Shillings & three pence to satisfy the several Creditors

Ordered That Mr. Thomas Peyton have notice from the Clerk of the Vestry that he is this Day Chosen Vestryman for this Parish

The above orders were Signed by Sir John Peyton

Tejt John Davis

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At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novemr 23. 1778

Present The Rev.d Mr. Tho* Reade
Sir John Peyton Mr. Edward Hughes Mr. Gab* Hughes Mr. William Armistead Mr. John Billups Mr. Thomas Hayes Mr. George Armistead Mr. Dudley Cary

ordered That the Collector pay to each person the several Sums as follows.

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Ordered To be entered That The Rev* M* Tho. Reade is chosen & received Minister of this Parish, & that his time began the 14 Day of Aug* 1778.

Ordered That Mr. Mordicai Throcmortain have notice that he is chosen Vestryman for this Parish

Ordered, That Mr. Rob* Matthews & Mr. Edw* Hughes be Church Wardens the ensuing year.

Ordered, That Mr. Rob* Matthews collect from each Tithable Person the sum of twelve Shillings

Thomas Reade

[The following four-line entry appears on a slip of paper pasted on, and near the bottom of, page 98 of the MS.—C. G. C.]
At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish April 10th 1779

Present. Sir John Peyton Maj'r Thos Smith Mr Edw Hughes, Mr Gab' Hughes Capt. John Billups Mr Geo. Armistead Capt Rob' Matthews

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At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish January 31 1780
Present the Rev'd Mr Thomas Read Minister Sir John Peyton, Capt. Edw Hughes Mr Robert Matthews Mr Gab' Hughes Capt Thos Hayes Capt. John Billups Mr Dudley Cary Capt. Mordecai Throckmorton

Ordered That the Collect' pay to each Person the several Sums following viz.

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<td>To John Davis Clerk of Church Vestry &amp;c</td>
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<td>To Ann King sexton making Fires &amp;c</td>
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<td>To Susanna Sadler for her lame Da'</td>
<td>£33.15.3</td>
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<td>To Richard Morgan &amp; Wife</td>
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<td>To John Elliott for Davis's orphan</td>
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<td>To Dorothy Mullins to pay her Rent</td>
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<td>To Elizabeth Baley</td>
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<td>To James Green to take a Child off the parish</td>
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To Susanna Bridges   37 || 10 || 0
To Agathy Powers   37 || 10 || 0
To Ann Willis   18 || 15 || 0
To Ann Atherton   45 || 0 || 0
To Elizabeth Brumill for services Done to
   Tho* Newburn & son & Dorothy Bernard   145 || 10 || 0
To Capt. Matthews for Wine    78 || 0 || 0
for Repairs to the Glebe £500.

Ordered That George Armistead & Mordicai Throckmorton
be appointed Church Wardens
Ordered That James Jones collect from each tithable per­
son the sum of twenty shillings to satisfy the several Creditors
as above
Ordered That Philip Tabb be chosen Vestry-Man in the
room of Cap* Tho* Hayes [ ] ho resigns, & Sam¹. Williams
in the room of Dudley Cary who resigns & that [ ]
notice thereof

Tho* Reade

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At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the old Church
the 26th Day of November 1783 Members present, Maj’r
Thomas Smith, M’ Edward Hughes, M’ Gabriel Hughes, Cap’r
John Billups, M’ George Armistead, M’ Samuel Williams, M’
Armistead Smith, & M’ Rob¹. Matthews

[ ]der’d Cash to be levi’d as follow’s Viz’.
To Thomas James for Clerk of old Church &
Vestry £ 15 || 0 || 0
To for Clerk of New Church   10 || 0 || 0
To for Sexton of old Church   2 || 0 || 0
To for Sexton of New Church   2 || 0 || 0
To Susanna Sadler for self & Daughter   5 || 0 || 0
To Richard Morgan   4 || 0 || 0
To Dorothy Mullins   1 || 10 || 0
To Elizabeth Bailey  
To John Brownley  
To Ann Owen  
To Susanna Terriel  
To Judith Mechan  
To Wm Basset Sen' for keeping his Sister Sarah  
To Dawson Iddens for keeping Humphry Flippins Child

[ ]der'd that 5 3/4 Cent be allow'd for Collecting the above, & that M' Armistead Smith Collect from Each Tithable Person one Shilling to Satisfy the Several Creditors as above

[ ]der'd that the Church Wardens give an Order to the Rev'd James M.Bride for ten Pounds of the Money they have now to Collect for Rents of The Glebe & hire of the Negroes belonging thereto

[ ]der'd that the Church Wardens Rent out the Glebe & hire out the Negroes belonging thereto for the ensuing Year to the highest Bidder

These above Orders were sign'd by Maj'r Tho. Smith  
Test
Thomas James

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At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the New Church the 28th day 1783, Members present, S' John Peyton M' William Armistead, M' Edward Hughes, M' Gabriel Hughes, Cap'n John Billups, M' George Armistead, Maj'r Mordecai Throckmorton M' Samuel Williams & M' Armistead Smith, Gent.

Order'd that M' Francis Hughes Collect from Each Tithable person 16½4 to Satisfy the Several Creditors, directed by Vestry held the 27th of January last

Order'd that he Collect from M' Hugh Hayse, M' Edward Jones, M' Thomas Gayle, & Maj' Mordecai Throckmorton
The Tob due to their Bonds, in the hands of Church Wa[...]
or the value thereof in Cash.

The above Orders were Sign'd by Sir Jn. Peyton

Test: Tho. James

Mr. Francis Hughes's & his Father Gabriel Hughes's Bond to the Vestry

Know all men by these presents that we Francis Hughes & Gabriel Hughes of Kingston Parish in Gloucester County, are held & firmly bound unto the Vestrymen of St. Parish in the just Sum of one Hundred & Eight Pounds Current money of Virginia, which money to be paid to St. Vestry or their Successors, to the which payment well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves our Heirs & Assigns, jointly & Severally firmly by these presents, Seal'd with our Seals & dated this 28th day of May one thousand seven hundred & eighty three

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Francis & Gabriel Hughes or either of them do well & truly Collect from each Tyth Person within this parish the Several Sums as order'd by Vestry, and pay the same into the hands of the Church Wardens according to Law, then this Obligation to be void Else remain in full force & Virtue

Francis Hughes (Seal)

Test

Thomas James Gabriel Hughes (Seal)

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At a meeting of [...] Church on monday the 27th January 1783 present, Tho. Smith Edward Hughes, Gabriel Hughes, John Billups, Geo. Armistead Samuel Williams, Armistead Smith, & Mordecai Throckmorton Gentlemen Vestrymen Order' that the Several Sums be paid to the following Persons
To Thomas James Clark of the Old Church & Vestry 14 || 3 || 4
To Richa Basset Clark of New Church 10 || 0 || 0
To George Woodin Sexton of the Old Church 2 || 10 || 0
To William Basset Sexton of New Church 1 || 13 || 0
To Susanna Sadler for Self & lame Daughter 5 || 0 || 0
To Richa Morgan 5 || 0 || 0
To Dorothy Mullins 1 || 10 || 0
To Elizabeth Bailey 1 || 10 || 0
To John Brounley 4 || 0 || 0
To Ann Owen 2 || 10 || 0
To Susanna Terriel 8 || 0 || 0
To Judith Machen 3 || 0 || 0
To Wm Basset Sen' for keeping his Sister Sarah 1 || 0 || 0

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Order, that Edw4 Hurst be exempt from paying Parish levy
To Dawson Idens for keeping Humphrey Flippens Child 1 || 10 || 0
To George Armistead for finding necessaries for Tho Newbourn & Child 1 || 15 || 0
Order, that Samuel Williams & Armistead Smith, Gentlemen be appointed Church Wardens
To be Deposited in Church Wardens hands 10 || 0 || 0
Order, that 5 ¾ Cent be allow, the Church Wardens for Collecting the above 3 || 13 || 0

76 || 14 || 8

Order, that Mr Samuel Williams Collect from Each Tithable person the Sum of Sixteen pence farthing to Satisfy the Several Creditors above
To Chr. Pryor for two Copies of Lists of Tithes 5/
Order, that the Church Wardens Collect the Money due for the Rent of the Glebe & Hire of the Negroes
The above Orders Sign'd by Maj' Tho* Smith
Teft
Tho* James

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Present Sir John Peyton Baronet, Major Thomas Smith, M' William Armistead, Capt John Billup[ ] M' Robert Matthews, M' George Armistead, & Maj Mordecai Throckmorton Gentlemen Vestrymen

Ordered that M' Sam' Williams have Notice that he is chosen a Vestryman
Ordered that M' Thomas Smith and Armistead Smith Ge[ ] have Notice that they are appointed Vestrymen
Ordered that the Rev'd John Matthews be chosen Minister of this parish in the Room of the Rev'd Thomas Reade resigne[ ]
Ordered that the Rev'd M' Fontaine be requested to prea[ ] once a Month until a Minister resides in the Parish

J Peyton

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At A Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the old Church August the 19th day 1784 Members present
Maj' Thomas Smith, M' W* Armistead. M' Edw* Hughes, M' Gabriel Hughes Capt* John Billups, M' Geo. Armistead, M' Rob* Matthews, M' Armistead Smith, Capt* Thomas Smith M' Samuel Williams Gen'

Ordered The precincts as was laid of in the Year 1780 to stand
Ordered That *Joseph Gayle & M' Sam' Buckner & M' John Elliot Jun' see the proces[ ]ion of all the Lands within the first precin[ ] perform'd & that †Jn* Flipping & Dunkin Glin & Joseph King [ ] see that the 2nd precinct be proces[ ]ion'd—That Dudley Cary and Rich* Gregory, proces[ ]ion the 3rd precinct—

* The words "Joseph Gayle &" scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.
† The words "Jn* Flipping &" scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.
That Tho' Hayes Jun' & Josiah Dean proceed the 4th precinct — That Holder Hudgin & Ezekiel Lane proceeds the 5th precinct — That Geo. Gayle, & Tho' Tabb proceed the 6th precinct That Rob', Billups & Henry Knight proceed the 7th precinct That Tho' Billups & Joseph Degge Sen' proceed the 8th precinct. — That James Hunley & Joseph Degge Jn' proceed the 9th precinct, That James Thomas & John Armistead proceed the 10th precinct, — That James Harper, & Joseph Miller, proceed the 11th precinct

Order'd that the Different proceedioners make a return of their performance according to Law.

Order'd, that the Church Wardens make application to the different Debtors for Rents of the Glebe & hire of the Negroes for a final Settlement, & that they make return thereof to the next Vestry.

Ordered that Mr. Thomas Tabb be appointed a Vestry Man & that the Church Wardens acquaint him thereof.

Order'd that the Rev'd, Thomas Hopkinson be receiv'd as Minister of this Parish, who is hereby authoriz'd to make use of the Gleb[ ] & other properties belonging to the Church upon Condition that h[ ] faithfully & punctually discharge the Sacred duties & Functions thereof, and abide by any future Determination respecting his *appointment Conduct as the Vestry shall enter into

Tho': Smith

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(107) At a meeting of the members of the protestant episcopal Church held on the 28th day of March 1785, it being Monday in Easter Week, I caused to be fairly & duely elected the twelve following Gentlemen, Viz John Peyton, Thomas Smith Sen' Edward Hughes, Gabriel Hughes, Robert Matthews, Thomas Smith Jun', Armistead Smith, James Jones, James Booker, Richard Billups, Josiah Deans, & Joel Foster, who are to act as vestrymen for the Parish of Kingston, agreeable to
an Act entitled an "Act for incorporating the protestant episcopal Church. Given under my hand the Day & date above-mentioned.

Armistead Smith

We the Subscribers, whose names are hereunto annexed, after having had it announced to us by the Churchwarden for the Time being, who conducted the Election agreeable to the abovementioned Act, that we were fairly & legally chosen Vestrymen under the same, do hereby solemnly declare that we will be comformable to the Doctrine, discipline & Worship of the protestant episcopal Church, as now incorporated by Law.

Thomas Smith Junr
Armistead Smith
James Jones
James Booker
Richard Billups
Josiah Deans
Joel Foster
Gabriel Hughes

At a meeting of the Vestry for this Parish on the 16th day of April 1785 were present Tho. Smith, Edw. Hughes, Tho. Smith Junr. Armistead Smith, James Jones, James Booker, Richard Billups, Josiah Deans, & Joel Foster, when the following Proceedings were had

Order'd that Tho. James be appointed as clerk for the upper & lower Churches & Vestry whose duty it shall be to attend as clerk, the Minister in the discharge of his duty such as reading Psalmody & Burials & also to keep the Vestry Books, & a fair Transcript of their proceedings

Orderd that
MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA, 1679-1796

Susannah Sadler & Daughter be allowed £ 9 || 0 || 0
Richard Morgan ditto 5 || 0 || 0
John Brownley ditto 5 || 0 || 0
Ann Owen ditto 1 || 10 || 0
Susannah Terrel ditto 10 || 0 || 0
Dawson Eddins for keeping Hump Flipping
Child 1 || 10 || 0
Richard Summons & Wife 5 || 0 || 0
Elizabeth Jarrot 4 || 0 || 0

Order'd that 5 £ be allowed £ 41 || 0 || 0
the Collector for Collecting the above 2 || 1 || 0

£ 43 || 1 || 0

Order'd that Sir John Peyton & Tho. Smith Jr. Gen. be appointed Deputies to meet the episcopal Clergy & Vestry in convention to regulate all religious Concerns of the Protestant episcopal Church its doctirs deciplin & Wor|ship and to institute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged necessary for the Prosperity & good Government therof

Order'd that Richard Billups & James Booker be app[ ]ted Church wardens for this Parrish & that Richard Billups collect Eight pence from each Tithable Person within the s^t Parrish & pay the severil [ ] Parrish Poor the sums levied for there Support respective [ ]

Tho*: Smith

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At a meeting of the Vestry held for Kingston Parish the 14th of November 1786. Present Maj. Thomas Smith, Mr. Gabriel Hughes, Mr. Edw. Hughes, Mr. Armis. Smith, Mr. James Booker, Mr. Joel Foster, & Capt. Rich. Billups

Ordered that Cap't Richard Billups apply the Money arising for the rent [ ] of the Glebe the year 1785 towards furnishing Glass for repairing the Church [ ] windows.

Ordered that the rev'd James McBride be received as Minister of this Parish, who is hereby authorize'd to make use of the Glebe & other properties belonging to the Church upon condition[ ] that he faithfully & punctually discharge the sacred duties & function thereof and abide by any future determination respecting his *appointment Conduct as the Vestry shall enter into.

Ordered possession of the Glebe be given the Rev'd James McBride on January the 1st. 1787.

Ordered that Sir John Peyton the Rev'd James McBride & Tho* Smith Junr Gent be appointed deputies to meet the episcopal Church Clergy & Vestry in the next convention to regulate all religious Concerns of the Protestant Episcopal Church, its doctrine disciplin and Worship and to institute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged necessary for the Prosperity & good Government thereof.

Tho* Smith

At a meeting of the Vestry held for Kingston Parish June 6 1787[ ]

Present, Majr Tho* Smith, Mr. Edw. Hughes, Mr. Tho* Smith jun Mr. James Booker, Mr. James Jones, Capt. Rich. Billups & Mr[ ] Josiah Dean Gen'. Vestrymen, The following proceeding[ ] were had. This Day the Rev* Mr. Thomas

* The word “appointment” is scratched through in the MS. and the word “Conduct” written above it.—C. G. C.
† The words “Sir John Peyton” are scratched through in the MS. and the words “the Rev'd James McBride” written above them.—C. G. C.
‡ This word is scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.
Hopkinson person[] came before the Vestry and made a formal Relinquishment & Re[ ]tion of Kingston Parish. —

Order[] that the Church Wardens [ ] out the Negro Woman Judah. & Rent the Glebe & Glebe Houses untill the first day of January next at publick Auction

Ordered That Mr. Samuel Williams & Mr. Armistead Smith, former Church Wardens be Summoned to make return to the next Vestry of the Debts due the Parish for Rents & Negro hires according to a former order dated August 19th 1784.

Tho: Smith

At a meeting of the members of the Protestant Episcopal Church held on the 17th of July 1787. I caused to be fairly and duly elected the twelve following Gen:., Viz, Sir John Peyton, Thomas Smith Armistead Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Junr. James Booker, Dudley Cary, James Jones, Edward Hughes, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, and Robert Cary, to be Vestry and Trustees of their property, agreeable to an Ordinance of Convention held in the city of Richmond on the 16th of May 1787.

James Booker, C. W.

We the subscribers whose names are hereunto annexed, after having it announced to us by the Church Warden for the time], being, who conducted the Election agreeable to the above []-tioned Ordinance, that we were fairly and legally cho[] Vestrymen, and Trustees under the same do hereby solemnly declare that we will be conformable to the do[ ]trine discipline and worship of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

July 24th 1787

Tho: Smith
Armistead Smith
Geo Armistead
Thomas Smith Junr.
James Booker
Ja: Jones
Edw: Hughes
At a meeting of the Vestry, and Trustees, for Kingston Parish had at the Glebe on the 24th of July 1787, were present Thomas Smith, Arm'd Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun'r, James Booker, James Jones, Edw'd Hughes, Joel Foster, and Robert Cary. The following proceedings were unanimously agreed to.

Ordered — That Thomas Smith and Edward Hughes be appointed Church Wardens.

Order'd, that the Church Wardens forthwith make application to Mr. Sam'l Williams, Mr. Arm'd Smith, Mr. Rich'd Billups former Church Wardens, and Mr. Francis Hughes Collector of this parish to account for the several Bonds taken and deposited in their hands for the rents of the Glebe or hire of Negro's.

Ord'd That the Church Wardens contract with any person or persons for the necessary repairs of the Churches and Glebe.

Ord'd That the said Church Wardens, apply such Bonds as they may receive, or the money arising therefrom or any part thereof towards making such repairs, and make return of their proceedings to the next Vestry.

It being suggested and represented that trespasses have bin made upon the Lands belonging to the Glebe and Churches, Ord'd that the Church Wardens do take such steps as they may deem most proper to prevent the said practice, by ascertaining the boundaries and quantity of said Glebe Lands; as well as the heretofore appropriated for the Churchyards & ing Grounds.

Ord'd That Thomas Smith Jun'r Gen'l be appoint[ ] a Deputy to meet the Episcopal Clergy and Laity in Convention.
to regulate all religious conc[ ] of the Protestant Episcopal Church, its doctrin[ ] discipline and Worship, and to institute suc[ ] rules and regulations as shall be judged necej[ ]ry for the prosperity and good government thereof

Tho*: Smith

At a meeting of the Vestry & Trustees for Kingston Parish, held at old Church June 19th 1788. Present Rev* James M*Bride, Thomas Sm[ ] Arm* Smith, George Armistead, James Booker, Edw* Hughes, Joel Fo[ ] Thomas Tabb & Rob* Cary, the following proceedings were agreed to

Ordered on report of the Church Wardens, that they have made application to the diff* Debtors for the sev[ ] sums due for Rents of Glebe & Hire of [ ] & that their Application proving unsuccejsfull, the repairs of Churches & Glebe hath not bin complyed with

Ord* That the sev[ ] Bonds due the Church be entered on the Book; [ ] are as follows

Doct* Edw* S Jones D*. a Bond given the 1st day of Jan* 1783 for 3500 T[ ] pay* on Dem* w* Int* from the date for Rent of Glebe 1782

To 1 years Rent for 1783 M* Sam* Williams C. W. £18.0.0 no Bond taken

To a Bond given for Rent of y* 1784—dated Dec* 16th 1783 pay* y* Ensuing [ ]

Dr* Maj* Mord. Throckmorton. To a Bond given for 1400 w* of Tob* date [ ] the 21st day of August 1784 pay* 20th Nov* follow*

Dr* Thomas Gayle To 2 Bonds given Jan* 1st. 1783 one for £6 ||10||0 the other for 750 * Tob* = To a Bond given Dec* 16th 1783 for 30 / pay* the ensuing year

Ant* Gautier D* To a Bond given June 20th. 1785 for £6 ||10||0 pay[ ] Jan* 1st 1786

To a Bond given Dec* 1st 1785 for £36 ||12||0 pay* Jan* 1st 1787 R[ ] Matthews & James Hunley Securities

Ord* that the Church Wardens make application for pay-
ment [ ] the above Bonds, & if not immediately discharg'd,
to Commence Suit

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that [ ] his Acc. for Repairs [ ] the Glebe amounting to £3||2||9 w/ Int* from the 26th
day of March 1787
[ ]rd that James Booker be appointed Treasurer.
[ ]d* That Thomas Smith Jun' Esq' be appointed a Deputy
to meet the Episcopal Clergy & Laity in Convention to reg­
ulate all religious concerns of the Protestant Episcopal Church,
its doctrine discipline & worship [ ] to institute such rules
& regulations as shall be judged necejsary for the prosperity
& good Government thereof

Ja* M*Bride

At a Meeting of the Vestry for Kingston Parish, held at
the Crofs Roads on the 19th Day of August 1792. When were
Present Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith
Jun', James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, & Robert Cary,
which appearing to be a Majority, the Vestry proceeded to
adopt the following Orders.

Ordered that M* Thomas Smith be authorized to act as
Clerk of the Vestry for the Day

This Day the Rev* Armistead Smith produced to the Vestry
Testimonials of his [ ]piscopal Ordination, which being deemed
proper & satisfactory; Ordered, that the s* Rev* Armistead
Smith be received into the Parish of Kingston, as their Pastor
[ ] Minister, that he be permitted to officiate therein as such,
& authorized to enjoy all [ ]he Rights, privileges & advantages,
which a Pastor can enjoy or exercise, under the Rules, &
Canons of the Protestant episcopal Church.

Ordered that the Rev* Armistead Smith be served with the
Order afores* & that he be requested to give his attendance
on the Vestry

Present the Rev* Armistead Smith

Ordered that M* Dudley Cary, M* Richard Gregory, M*
John Cary, Mr. Josiah Foster, & Mr. Milton L. Glajsock, be appointed Members of this Vestry, to act as such, until the next triennial Election, & that it be accord[ ]gly announced to the Gentlemen afores by the Clerk.

Ordered, that Mr. Richard Gregory be appointed a Church Warden in the Room of Mr. Edward Hughes dec'd & that it be announced to [ ]

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That they have a high Sense of his steady attachment to the true Interest of the protestant Episcopal Church[ ] of his Fitne[s] & Abilities to take upon himself the import[ ] Duties of his office; of the Integrity, the Industry, orderly & exemplary Conduct, with which he has discharged th[ ] & when the Orders of a Priest shall be conferred [ ] him, they hereby expre[s] their Willingne[s] to receive, [ ] & encourage him as their Pastor & Minister.

Ordered that the said Rev' Armis[ ] Smith be & he is hereby warmly recommended to [ ] Right Rev' James Madison Bishop of the Protesta[ ] Episcopal Church of Virginia, as a Person in their [ ]union capable in all Respects of his-charging the im[ ]tant & Sacred Duties of a Minister; that as such [ ] acquitted himself with Fidelity, Circum-spection, and [ ]nce; with undoubted Attachment to the Prosperity of the Church, of which he is Minister; & merits in the Opinion of the Vestry the Approbation & highest Reward of a grateful People in the Discharge of the many la-borious, interesting, & sacred Duties which are instan[ ] to his office.

John Cary Clk Ves[ ]

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* By mistake the leaf containing the pages of the MS. at present numbered 117 and 118 was, at some time when the MS. was rebound, inserted here. Obviously it should have been inserted after the leaf containing the pages now numbered 119 and 120.—C. G. C.
Ordered that the Rev'd Armistead Smith be requested to in[ ] M' Thomas James to return to our Parish, & act as Clerk to [ ] Churches; & that he assure him that the Vestry will exert the [ ] to promote his Interest as such, as well as in teaching Psal[ ] adjourned

Armis'd Smith

Test

Thomas Smith C. V.

*At a Meeting of a Vestry for Kingston Parish held at the New Church on t[ ] Day of Septem' 1792, when were present the Rev'd Armistead Smith, Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thom[ ] Smith Jun'r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, Rob't Cary, Rich'd Gregory

At a Meeting of a Vestry for Kingston Parish, held at the New Church on the 21st Day of Septem' 1792. when were Present the Rev'd Armistead Smith, Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun'r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, & Robert Cary which appearing to be a Majority, the following Proceedings were entered into.

This day M'r Richard Gregory, M'r John Cary, & M'r Milton L. Glasscock gave the [ ] attendance, & were duly qualified to act as Vestrymen until the next triennial Electi[ ]

Ordered That the Rev'd Armistead Smith be Put in Possession of the Glebe house & Lands on the 1st Day of Jan'y 1793 to be made use of & enjoyed by him as the Minister of this Parish.

Ordered, that the Churchwardens do furnish out of the Means now in their Hands, fine Holland[ ] for two Surprices for the use of their Minister.

The Vestry having nothing farther to delivered on, Ordered that it be now adjourned

Armis'd Smith

*This entry is half erased in the MS., but is still legible.—C. G. C.
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Meeting of the Vestry for Kingstone Parish held at [Roads on the 27th day of March 1793
When were present Thomas Smith Sen't Thomas Smith Jun'r George Armistead Robert Cary Richard Gregory Dudley Cary and John Cary which Appearing to be a Majority the Vestry Proceeded to Adopt the following Orders
Ordered That The Rev'd Armistead Smith and Dudley Cary Esquire be Appointed Deputys to meet the Episcopal Clergy & Laity in Convention to regulate all Religious concern of the Protestant Episcopal Church its doctrine discipline & Worship & to institute such rules & regulations as shall be judged necessary for the Prosperity & Good Government thereof
Ordered That Thomas James be appointed Clerk of the upper and Lower Church and that he have notice thereof as this day Elected by the Vestry and that it be recommended to him to send forward Subscriptions to enable him to do the duties thereof

Armistead Smith

At a Vestry held in Kingstone Parish in the County of Mathews on the 27th day of July 1793 When were present the following Members Viz The Rev'd Armistead Smith Thomas Smith Jun'r Robert Cary George Armistead Richard Gregory and John Cary
Ordered that it be announced to the Rev'd Armistead Smith by the Churchwardens of this Parish that the Vestry are duly impressed with a Recollection of the Singular Services, which he has Rendered both to the Church in its collective Capacity, as well as the Individuals of our Parish in the faithful Discharge of the sacred Functions of a probationary Minister in Deacons Orders;

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At a Meeting of the Vestry for the Parish of Kingst[ ] in the County of Mathews the 13th day of May 1796
When were present the following Members Viz The Rev[ ]
Armistead Smith Thomas Smith Sen'r Thomas Smith [ ]
Richard Gregory Francis Armistead John Patterson Ja[ ]
Van Bibber John Cary & Sands Smith We the under W[ ]
Vestrymen & Trustees do oblige ourselves to be conforma[ ]
to the doctrin disciplin and Worship of the Protest[ ]
Episcopal Church in the United States of America and to the
Orders & Cannons of the said Church in this [ ]

Armistead Smith Min.
Thomas Smith Sen[ ]
Thomas Smith Ju[ ]
R. Gregory
James V. Bibber
Francis Armistead[ ]
Sands Smith
John Cary

Ordered That Thomas James be appointed Clerk [ ]
Lower Church as also Clerk of the Vestry for this [ ]
Ordered that Thomas Smith Jun'r & John [ ] be Ap­
pointed Church Wardens for this Parish [ ] as such
till the next Trianual Election
Ordered that the Rev'd Armisted Smith & James V. [ ]
Esquire be Appointed Deputys to meet the Episcopal Cle[ ]
& laity in Convention to be holden at Richmond in [ ]
next to regulate all Religious concerns of the Protesta[ ]
Episcopal Church its Doctrin disciplin & Worship & to [ ]-

stutute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged neceJ[ ]
for the Prosperity & good Government thereof
Ordered that Thomas Smith Sen'r & Rich's Gregory Esq
fo[ ]mer Church Wardens of this Parish Meet the Next
Vestry [ ]Settle & Acc't. for all Money that may have come
into their hands for the use of the Churches
Ordered that John Patterson Esq'r be requested to purchase
a Record Book for the use of the Church & that Rich's Gregory
Esq' late Church Warden be requested to [ ] With him for the same

The Vestry being informed that John Patterson Esq' [ ] fuses to Subscribe as Vestryman agreable to his Election

Ordered that Rich'd Wiatt be appointed Vestryman [ ] this Parish in his stead & that the Clerk make known [ ] the said Wiatt his 4th Appointment

[ ]dered that Francis Armistead be Appointed Tresurer [ ] this Parish

Armistead Smith Minis.

John Cary Clk Protem

At a Court held for Gloucester County the 5. day of Febr 1784

Ordered that the Vestry of Kingston Parish in this County divide the said Parish into so many precincts as to them shall seem most convenient for processioning every persons Lands within the said Parish and appoint particular times between the last day of March next and the last day of September following when the processioning shall be made in every precinct and also appoint two intelligent Honest freeholders of every precinct to see the Processioning perform'd and to take and return to the 4th Vestry an Account of every persons land th[ ] procession and of the persons present at th[ ] and of what lands in their precinct they sha[ ] procession and of the particular reasons for [ ]

Copy. C. Pry[ ]

Note: The above entry—which sufficiently explains itself—was written upon a scrap of old laid paper, six by eight inches, which was later pasted upon a sheet of ordinary, modern white paper, six by ten inches. It was found lying in, but not attached to, the Kingston Parish Vestry Book.—C. G. C.
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APPENDIX

CLERGYMEN

The following list contains the names of the ministers (Incumbents of the Parish and temporary supply preachers), who served, or were elected to serve, Kingston Parish between 1680 and 1796. The numeral (in parentheses) preceding the clergyman's name indicates the number of the page on which the name first appears. The date (in parentheses) following the name indicates the year in which the clergyman's name is first mentioned in this book.

(2) Zyperus, Mychaell (1680)
(7) Boker, James (1690)
(23) Blacknall, John (1740)
(40) Dickson, John (1749)
(41) Locke, Richard (1749)
(43) Dixon, John (1750)
(91) Baker, Thomas (1770)
(94) Feilde, Thos. (1770)
(110) Read, Robert (1778)
(112) Reade, Thos. (1778)
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(118) Fontaine (1783-4)
(119) Hopkinson, Thomas (1784)
(122) McBride, James (1786-elected)
(126) Smith, Armistead (1792)

The following list contains the names of clergymen who offered themselves unsuccessfully as candidates for the Incumbency of Kingston Parish:

...
(94) Baker, Thomas (1770)
(94) Hamilton, Arthur (1770)
(94) Avens, Archibald (1770)
(110) Dunlop, William (1778)

CLERKS OF THE VESTRY

The following list contains the names of the Clerks of the Vestry of Kingston Parish between 1679 and 1796:

(2) Axe, George* (1679)
(13) Bolton, Henry (1701)
(24) Brookes, Wm. (1740)
(44) Davis, John (1750)
(114) James, Thos. (1783)
(126) Smith, Thos. (1792)
(127) Cary, John (1793)
(130) James, Thos. (1796)

PHYSICIANS

The following list contains the names of the physicians mentioned in this book:

(28) Roche (1742)
(29) Symmer, John (1743)
(42) Whiting, Peter (1750)
(50) Asselin (1753)
(81) Johnson, George (1765)
(90) Clayton, Thos. (1769)
(107) Jones, Edw. S. (1776)

*With regard to George Axe it is interesting to note that in 1671 a man of the same name was serving as "Reader" (Clerk) of Pyanckatancke Church in the neighboring Parish of Christ Church, Middlesex County, and that from this date until Nov. 5, 1678, he seems to have served as clerk in two or three other churches and chapels in the parish. After 1678 his name appears no more in the Christ Church Parish records. See The Vestry Book of Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia, 1663-1767.—C. G. C.
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