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THE VESTRY BOOK OF KING WILLIAM PARISH, VA., 1707-1750.

(continued)

Pierre Dep, 1  Abraham Sallee, 1
Pierre Malard, 1  Isaac Sallee,
Glaud Couris, 1  Bely Sallee,
Jean Kaspar Korner, 1  Pierre Sallee,
Pierre Chastain, (poire?) 6  Adam Vigne, Hygue & Maria,
& Jak & Maria, 1  Estiene Monford, Roland Thomas,
William Baton, 1  Katt,
Katt, 1  Jean Martin,
Barthelmy Dupuy, 3  Jean Lucadou, David Bernard,
Jean Jaque Dupuy, 1  Jhon Levinston,
Saray, negress, 1  Jacob Trabut,
Pierre Louy Soblet, 2  a negro, London, 3
Gideon Chambon, 1  Bety,
Monok, a negro, 1  Jhon Powele,
Evard Breyard, 2  Sum total, 105
Thomas Nille, 1
Jhon Nille, 2
Pierre Moriset, 1
Danielle Ford, 1
Jhon du Pree, 1
Pierre Perut, 2
William Hense, 1
Gille Below, 2
Jean Bernard, 1
Hanris Bylys, 1

Memorandum of books loaned to Mr. Mordock,* minister of St. Jeames, June 14, 1725: First, one volume of Dr. Tilson’s sermons; further, the Concordance of Cambridge, entire, amounting to seventeen volumes. Further, September 14, 1725, loaned to the same—†

February 2, 1725-8, Monsieur Barthelemis Dupuy rented the

*Rev. William Murdaugh, rector of St. James-Northam, Goochland county. Mr. Murdaugh, like other ministers of his parish, visited the neighboring French colony from time to time, and performed spiritual offices for the parish of King William. Christenings by Mr. Murdaugh in the years 1726 and 1727 are recorded in Brock, pp. 78 and 80. Cf. further regarding Mr. Murdaugh, Meade, I, 459.

† The rest of the memorandum is not filled in, although a blank space is left for doing so.
glebe for a year, for a barrel and one-half of wheat, payable at the next harvest.

Done at Menikintown the day and year above mentioned.

J. Soblet, Clerk.


The vestry assembled this day, July 23, 1726. Jean du Prée and Daniel Guerant took the oath as vestrymen in the presence of the church wardens, Pierre Chastain, Pierre Louy Soblet; (Vestry:) Jacob Amonet, Bartholmy Dupuy, Estien Chastain, Anthoine Rapine, Pierre David, Jean Chastain, Abraham Sallée.

J. Soblet, Clerk.

The vestry assembled this day, July 23, 1726. It was decreed by the vestry that a levy of one bushel and one-half of wheat per tithable be made for this year.

By the present vestry.

J. Soblet, Clerk.

The vestry assembled this day, July 23, 1726. Mr. Abraham Sallee and Mr. Anthoine Rapine rendered their account for the year 1722. They owe to the parish one pound, ten shillings and ninepence, which Mr. Abraham Sallé binds himself to pay to Mr. Pierre Chastain or to Mr. Pierre Louys Soblet, church wardens.

Church Wardens: Chastain, Pierre Louis Soblet.*


J. Soblet, Clerk.

It was decreed that the church wardens make a levy of ten

* The signatures are personal.
pro cent, according to the rule of the country. Done at Moni-
canthovn the day and date above.

J. SOBLET, Clerk.

The vestry assembled this day, July 23, 1726, to make a levy
of a bushel and one-half of wheat per tithable.

Church Wardens: Pierre Chastain, Pierre Louy Soblet.

(Vestry:) Estienne Chastain, Abraham Sallée, Jean Chastain,
Danielle Gueran, Jacob Amonet, Antoine Rapine, Barthelemy
Dupuy, Pierre David, Jean Duprée.

1726. List of Tithables of the Parish of King Wil-
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1726.

List of Tithables of the Parish of King Wil-
liam for the Year 1726.
Jean Jouanis, \(2\) | Claud Gouris, \(2\) | 3  
Jeanne, a negress, \(2\) | Robert Blakeley, \(2\) | 3  
Gideon Chambon, \(2\) | William Hond, \(2\) | 3  
Monock, a negro, \(2\) | Pierre Gurand, \(2\) | 3  
Pierre David, \(4\) | Nicolas Soulie, \(2\) | 3  
David le Suer, \(4\) | Jhon Varcup, \(2\) | 3  
Dannelle Fouguigon \(4\) | Anthoine Rapine, \(2\) | 3  
Pierre Fauset, \(1\) | Danielle Perot, \(2\) | 3  
Gorge Smithe, \(1\) | Estienne Malet, \(2\) | 3  
Roger Pratt, \(1\) | Nicholas du Crie, \(2\) | 3  
Jhon Penne, \(2\) | Pierre Faure, \(2\) | 3  
Joseph Bingley, \(1\) | Jaque Faure, \(2\) | 3  
Mathieu Agee, \(1\) | Thomas Lahane, \(2\) | 3  
Rogar Nill, \(1\) | Jean Chastain, \(2\) | 3  
Thomas Nill, \(3\) | Pierre Louy Soblet, \(2\) | 3  
Jhon Nealle, \(2\) | William Hanse, \(2\) | 3  
Danielle Guerand, p., \(1\) | Nicolas Rod, \(2\) | 3  
Isaac Parenteaux, \(1\) | Haris Bylys, \(2\) | 3  
William Lansdon, \(1\) | Sum total of tithables, \(108\) | 3  
Danielle Guerand, f., \(1\) |  
Pierre Chastain, p., \(1\) |  
Pierre Chastain, f., \(1\) |  
Jacob Trabue, \(1\) |  
William Botom, \(1\) |  
Jac, negro, \(8\) |  
Maria, negress, \(8\) |  
Katt, negress, \(8\) |  
London, negro, \(8\) |  

This day, September 21, 1726, Mr. Amonet and Monsieur Dupuy rendered account of their administration for the year

*Just below the tax-list occurs the following note in English, in handwriting apparently contemporaneous with the foregoing and following:

"Att a vestry held for king William parish the — day of —— for laying the Levy, present ——, ——, Church Wardens, —— —— —— ——, gent. of the Vestry.

"To the Rev'd —— for —— sermons, ——.

"To James Soblet for one year, ending ——.

"To the support of ——, a poor man ——.

"108 being the number of tythables of this parish, it is ordered that each tythable do pay —— of wheat and that the Church Wardens do collect & pay the same to the several persons to whom it is levyed."
1725. They are relieved in full. Mr. Amonet remains (due?)

fourteen bushels and three pecks.

**CHASTAIN.**

**PIERRE LOUIS SOBLET.**

Mr. Chastain and Louy Soblet rendered their account for what they received in the year 1726. Pierre Chastain received fifty-one and one(-half?) bushels of wheat; and paid out therefrom to Mr. Finy, the minister, thirty bushels, to Pierre du Puy one bushel two-thirds,* to Jaque Soblet ten bushels, to Mr. Chastain two-thirds of a bushel, to Jacob Capon thirteen bushels; in all fifty-five and one-half. Done the 2nd of September, 1727.

Louy Soblet received ninety-seven bushels of wheat. Paid to Jaque Soblet twenty-three bushels, to Mr. Martin for Mr. Finy,† the minister, forty-two bushels and one-half, to Mr. Capon ten bushels three pecks, to Mr. Martin six bushels; amounting to the sum of 82 (bushels) one (peck). Done the 2nd of September, 1727.

The Sieur Daniel Guerent and the Sieur Jean du Pree were elected by a plurality of votes as church wardens for the year 1727. Daniel Guerant took the oath of church warden September 2, 1727.

**JACQUE SOBLET, Clerk.**

This day, September 2, 1727, Mr. Gilles Allaigre was elected vestryman by a plurality of votes, and took the oath the 23d in the usual manner.

**J. SOBLET, Clerk.**

September 23, 1727. The Sieurs Jan Dupre and Daniel Guer-

and took the oaths as church wardens in the presence of the

vestry here assembled, the year and day as above, viz.: ‡ Jean

*Tierré.* The sum should of course read 55½.

† Mr. Finny's death occurred late in the spring of 1727. Cf. Note to entry of March 10, 1717-18 above. In addition to Mr. Murdaugh of St. James-Northam, mentioned above, the Rev. Zachariah Brooke of Han-

over county, baptized infants in the parish in 1727. Cf. Brock, p. 79.

‡ Jean Chastain served as clerk from this date until the close of the

The same day Jean Chastain was elected clerk of this church in the place of Mr. Jaques Soblet; and there were assigned to him five pounds, either in wheat at three shillings per bushel, or maize at eighteen pence per bushel, or in tobacco, according as the vestry shall judge proper to make the levy at ten shillings per hundred.

Jean du Pree,
Daniel Guerrand,
Church Wardens.

The same day there was levied by the vestry for the expenses of the parish seven pounds of tobacco * and three pecks of wheat per tithable.

Jean Chastain,
Clerk.

September 4, 1727. After the sermon the vestry agreed to give Mr. Nern† 120 bushels of wheat for twelve sermons, commencing September 4 of the present year.

October 14. Mr. Nern preached a sermon.

December 13. Mr. Nern preached a sermon and administered the communion.

February 26. Mr. Nern preached a sermon.
1728. April 1. Mr. Nairn preached a sermon.
April 17. Mr. Nairn preached a sermon and administered the communion.

register (1750) His entries are written in a fair, legible hand; but his French bears marks of having been learned in the colony.

* The first sporadic instance of a levy in tobacco. Cf. note to entry for Nov. 25, 1718. Later entries indicate, however, that the assessments were often paid in tobacco, though reckoned in wheat and maize.

† The name is spelt variously Nearne, Nern and Niern. Cf. Meade, Old Churches, I, 466. He served the parish until his departure for England in 1728. The vestry wrote him a very earnest farewell letter, urging his intercession with the Bishop on behalf of the maintenance of the French settlement as an individual parish. Cf. Brock, p. 112.
May 15. Mr. Nairn preached a sermon.

June 15, 1728. Mr. Nairn preached and administered the communion.

June 15, 1728, the vestry assembled. It was decreed by the vestry present that Edouard Brayr and Jean Nil for the county Danrico and David Leesur and Joseph Bingli for Gaug Land* county be named to take account of the tobacco.

August 10, 1728. The vestry having assembled, the Sieurs David Guerat and Jean Dupre rendered account of their administration as church wardens for the year 1727.

JEAN CHASTAIN.

1728. Daniel Guerand received from Mr. Abraham Salle two barrels of wheat, in part payment of amount due from his administration of the year 1723.

JEAN CHASTAIN.

August 10, 1728. The vestry assembled. The Sieurs Etienne Chastain and the Sieur Gille Alleagre were elected church wardens by a plurality of votes, in the presence of Antoine Rapine, Louis Soblet, Abraham Sale, Jean Dupre, Daniel Guerant, Pierre David, Jean Chastain, Clerk.

The levy for the present year, 1728, consists of a bushel and one-half of wheat, per tithable, payable to the church wardens.

August 10, 1728. The Sieur Gille Alleagre took the oath of church warden in the presence of the vestry.

February 20, 1728 | 9. Jean Jaque Dupuy rented the glebe for a year for a barrel and one-half of wheat, payable at the next harvest.


By a plurality of votes the vestry elected David Lesuar and Joseph Bingli to take account of the tobacco in that (Gooch-

*Henrico and Goochland. The parish lay in Henrico county until, with the cutting-off of Goochland in 1727, a part fell to the latter county. Meade, Old Churches, etc., I, 463.
land) parish, and Jacob Trabu and Jaque Marbain for the lower district (?) of the parish of King William.*

On the same day, by a plurality of votes, the Sieur Antoine Rapine and Abraham Sallee were elected church wardens for the present year, 1729.

June 16, 1729. By a majority of the votes of the vestry heretofore named, the Sieur Isac Salle was named as vestryman.

The same day Mr. Jean Chastain, in place of his father, and Mr. Louis Soblet rendered their accounts in full for the year 1726, and were discharged of their administration.


JEAN CHASTAIN, Clerk.

The vestry having assembled, the Sieur Estiene Chastain and Gille Allaigre rendered account of their administration for the year 1728, in the presence of Antoine Rapine, Abraham Salle, Pierre Louis Soblett, Pierre David, Daniel Guerand, Jean Dupre, Isac Salle, Estienne Chastain, Gille Allaigre.

JOHN CHASTAIN, Clerk.

The same day as above, the vestry having assembled, a levy was made of two bushels of wheat per tithable for the year 1729. Antoine Rapine, Estiene Chastain, Gill Allaigre, Daniel Gueran, Jean Dupre, Abraham Salle, Isaac Salle, Pierre David, Pierre Louis Soblett, Jean Chastain.

The same day as above the Sieur David rendered account of his administration for the year 1729, in the presence of the vestrymen named above.

July 24, 1729. The vestry of the parish of King William having assembled, the Sieur Pierre David was elected by a plurality of votes of those present to count the tobacco of the parish in the place of Joseph Bingli. Estienne Chastain, Gille Allaigre,

*Thus the register. The meaning seems to be that different commissioners were appointed for the sections of the county lying in Henrico and in Goochland county.
Antoine Rapine, Daniel Guerand, Jean Dupre, Isac Salle, Pierre David, Jean Chastain.*

December 27, 1729. The vestry assembled. Present: Barthelemy Dupui, Antoine Rapine, Gile Allaigre, Jean Dupre, Abraham Salle, Isac Salle, Daniel Guerand. The Sieur Allaigre and Mr. Rapine were chosen to present a new request to Mr. the Governor William Gooch. They were promised four shillings per day.†

Jean Chastain, Clerk.

This day, January 1, 1729-30, the glebe was leased to Edouard Scot for one year. He is to give twenty bushels and one-half of wheat rent for it for the present year. He is not permitted to cut wood from the other side of the swamp for any purpose.

February 26, 1729. The vestry, assembled as below, made an agreement with Monsieur Massom† for preaching in our church of the parish of King William at two pounds per sermon, payable in wheat, commencing this day, as above. Present: Gille Allaigre, Barthelemy Dupuy, Antoine Rapine, Pierre David, Abraham Salle, Isac Salle, Estienne Chastain, Jean Chastain.

July 18, 1730. The vestry assembled. Present: Jacob Amo-

*A slip of paper pinned beside the foregoing entry contains the following receipt:

"I, Jacob Capon, acknowledge receipt from Mons. Barthelemy Dupuy of 8 bushels for the levy of the parish; further, I acknowledge receipt from Mons. Dupuy of 7 bushels and one-half for rent of the glebe.

Monocanton, Sept. 22, 1729.

Jacob Capon."

† Immediately below stands the following entry, afterwards cancelled:

"The same day it was decreed that one church warden shall be elected each year, and that the second one shall remain a second year in order to finish receiving what remains due from the preceding year."

† Rev. David Mossom, who served as rector of the parish of New Kent forty years, Meade I, 386. He was born in London in 1690, and inducted into the New Kent parish in 1727, where a tablet bearing a long Latin epitaph afterwards stood in St. Peter's Church to commemorate his virtues, Meade II, 460. For an account of the effect of Mr. Mossom's preaching on a frivolous hearer, Cf. Meade I, 470.
net, Estiene Chastain, Antoine Rapine, Pierre David, Jean Du-
pre, Daniel Guerand, Pierre Louis Soblet, Abraham Salle, Isac
Salle, Jean Chastain. It was concluded to answer the letter of
Monsieur Rival.*

**LIST OF TITHABLES OF THE PARISH OF KING WILLIAM FOR**
**THE YEAR 1729.**

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* Not otherwise mentioned in the register.
August 16, 1730. The vestry assembled. Present: Mr. Antoine Rapine, Abrahom Salle, Barthelemy Dupuy, Pierre Louis Soblet, Isaac Salle, Giles Allegle, Estienne Chastin, Jean Dupre, and Jean Chastin. It was agreed with Mr. Marye,* minister, to give him twenty shillings per sermon, one to be preached every other Sunday, payable in wheat at three shillings per bushel, or in maize at eighteen pence per bushel, or oats also at eighteen cents per bushel, part to be delivered at his house and part at Warwick. There is due to-day to Mons. Marye, minister, six sermons, . . . . . 6 "o "o
JEAN CHASTAIN, Clerk.

August 29. The vestry assembled. Present: Messieurs Barthelemy Duptui, Antoine Rapine, Gille Allaire, Abraham Salle, Isac Sallee, Jean Chastain. The Siers Jean Jaque Dupui and Thommas Givodan were elected vestrymen in the place of Pierre David and Daniel Guerand, deceased.

JEAN CHASTAIN.

August 30, 1730. Monsieur Marye preached a sermon.

September 13. Monsieur Marye preached in English.


September 19. The levy for the present year, 1730, is one bushel of wheat per tithable, 10 (?) lb. of tobacco and a bushel of maize.

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* Rev. James Marye, of Rouen in Normandy, who came to the Virginia colony in 1729. His services in King William parish began in the spring of 1730. Cf. Brock, Register of Baptisms in Huguenot Emigration to Virginia, p. 84ff., and the above entry. The contract with Mr. Marye was renewed on June 1, 1734, and the last mention of him in this register occurs under September 20 of the same year. He was transferred to the parish of St. George, in Spotsylvania, October, 1735, where he probably gave George Washington his first religious instruction. Meade, II, 242. For an account of this distinguished ancestor of a distinguished Virginia family, Cf. Brock, p. 183ff.
The vestry, as above, appointed the Srs. Antoine Rapine, Louis Soblet, Isac Salle to make a contract for a church.

The same day Isac Salle took the oath of church warden in the place of Abraham Salle.

September 27. Monsieur Marye preached a sermon.

October 24. The vestry assembled. Present: Barthélemy Dupui, Estiene Chastain, Antoine Rapine, Isac Salle, Abraham Salle, Pierre Louis Soblet. It was agreed with François Jams that he build a church for the sum of twenty-one thousand, six hundred pounds of tobacco to be paid in three years, he to furnish the hogsheads and the press, the same here at Manikain-town. The church wardens and Louy Soblet and Estienne Chastain were appointed to make a contract with the carpenter next Saturday.

JOHN CHASTAIN.

November 6. Mr. Marye preached a sermon and celebrated the communion.

November 22. Mr. Marye preached a sermon.

December 6. Mr. Marye preached a sermon in English.

December 26. Mr. Marye preached a sermon.

January 2, 1730. Mr. Marye preached a sermon.

The 16. Mr. Marye preached a sermon and administered the communion.

February 18. Mr. Marye preached in English.

February 25. Mr. Marye preached in French.

28. Mr. Marye preached in French.

March 14, 1730. Mr. Marye preached in French.

March 28, 1731. Mr. Marye preached in English.

April 11. Mr. Marye preached in French.

The 18. Mr. Marye preached in French.

The 19. Mr. Marye preached in French and administered the communion.

May 9. Mr. Marye preached in English.

The 23. Mr. Marye preached in French.

June 5. Mr. Marye preached in French.

The 20. Mr. Marye preached in French.
July 4. Mr. Marye preached in English.
The 18. Mr. Marye preached in French.
August 1. Mr. Marve preached in French.
The 2. Mr. Marye preached in French and administered the communion.

LIST OF TITHABLES OF THE PARISH OF KING WILLIAM FOR THE PRESENT YEAR, 1730.

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*The omission of the number was probably an oversight.
†Pompey. The English names of the negroes in their naïve French form are not the least interesting thing about the quaint old register.
Antoine Rapine, Jean Pain, 
Dic, Sara, Peg, negro, Bilippain,*
Daniel Guerand, Nat. Battom, 
Glode Rouviere, James Soblet,
Pierre Guerand, Pierre Soblet s., 
Yama, Franc, Sam, Pierre Soblet,
Hanath, Robin, Mal, Jean Grifin,
Francoi Dupui, Jems Ford
Jean Pierre Bilbo, Rodrig Ivins
Sara, negress, Pierre Salle
Antoine Benain, Billi, Pierre Salle
Cofi, Jeni, Duch Couper, Francoi Farsi
Gideon Chanbon, Manac, Isac Salle,
Betii, Jeni, Jean Bernard,
Antoine Benain, Billi, Francoi Salle,
Cofi, Jeni, Duch Couper, Jean Bernard,
Gideon Chanbon, Manac, Betti, negro,
Jean Decars, William Nails, Guillaume Salle,
Jean Chapman Antoine Bernard,
Daniel Faure, a black, Gorg, negro,
Jean Dupre and his blacks, Pierre Faure,
Gille Alaigre and his blacks, Jean Faure,
Gorge Marchebench & Pierre Bioret,
Chester, Pierre Dep

For the most part they are easily recognized, Mal, Cofi and Sesar readily resolving themselves into Moll, Coffee and Ceasar. Others, such as Breches, Dlso, Hanri, Gorg, Hanath, Beti, etc., offer no difficulty. Yama, Limbo and Charo are perhaps African importations; Manac may be the name of an Indian.

* Billy Payne.
Monsieur Marye preached September 12, after the meeting of the vestry.

The 27th he preached in French.
October 1. Mr. Marye administered the communion.
October 24. Mr. Marye preached in English.
November 7. Mr. Marye preached in French.
December 5. Mr. Marye preached in French.
December 19. Mr. Marye preached in English.
December 25. Mr. Marye preached in French.
December 27. Mr. Marye preached in French.
January 9, 1731 | 2. Mr. Marye preached in French.
January 20. Mr. Marye preached in French.
February 13. Mr. Marye preached in English.
February 27. Mr. Marye preached in French.
March 13. Mr. Marye preached in French.
The 26, 1732. Mr. Marye preached in French.
April 9. Mr. Marye preached in English.
The 10. Mr. Marye preached in French and administered the communion.
The 25. Mr. Marye preached in French.
May 7. Mr. Marye preached in French.
The 25. Mr. Marye preached in French.
June 5. Mr. Marye preached in English.
The 20. Mr. Marye preached in French.
July 2. Mr. Marye preached in French.
The 16. Mr. Marye preached in French.
The 30. Mr. Marye preached in English.
August 12. Mr. Marye preached in French.
Do. 27. Mr. Marye preached in French.*

April 23, 1731. The vestry assembled. Present: Estiene Chastain, Gille Allaigre, Antoine Rapine, Pierre Louis Soblet, Jean Jaque Dupui, Jean Dupre, Jean Chastain. Mr. Barthelemi Dupui tendered his resignation and the vestry accepted it, the day and date above.

This day Jean Jaque Dupuy took the oath of church warden in the presence of the vestry named above, the day and date as above.


The present vestry, named above, agreed to pay five pounds in wheat and maize, viz.: the wheat at three shillings per bushel and the maize at a shilling and one-half per bushel, to Jean Okeley, who binds himself to transfer across the river and back all the parishioners of the parish of King William, from morning at the break of day to dusk; namely, men and women on foot and on horseback. Done the day and date above.

JEAN CHASTAIN.


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This day, as above, Guilleume Salle took the oath of vestryman, in accordance with the law, in the presence of the vestry named above.

JEAN CHASTAIN.

(to be continued)

*The record of Mr. Marye's sermons is continued to the bottom of the page of the register, without regard to the interruption in chronology resulting therefrom.