

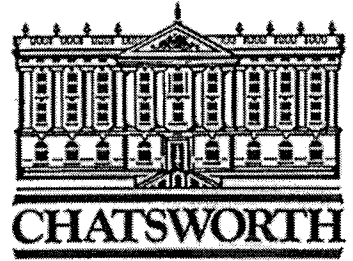
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7th October 1993

Our Ref. PD/Q/583

Dear Professor Johnson,

Thank you for your letter and enclosure of the 14th September. We were very interested to receive the copy of the transcript of the document you were sent in 1968 by the late Professor Potter, but our present archivist, Mr. Tom Askey, has unfortunately been unable to trace the original, despite a lengthy search. We think it may be bundled with other documents without a specific reference of its own. Did Professor Potter perhaps provide any clues as to its location or series number ?

If you are able to send us any further information to help us trace this document we would be very grateful and we would, of course, be happy then to provide the photocopy you would like.

In the meantime you are welcome to publish the transcript and the acknowledgment should be to the Duke of Devonshire and the Trustees of the Chatsworth Settlement.

Yours sincerely,

P. Day  
Keeper of Collections

Professor Ludwell H. Johnson, III,  
The College of William & Mary,  
Department of History,  
P.O. Box 8795,  
Williamsburg,  
Virginia 23187-8705

Oct. 12, 1993

(Your Ref. PD/Q/583)

Dear Mr. Day,

Thank you very much for your letter of October 7, which has just come to hand, regarding the copy of the document sent to me some years ago by Professor Potter. Professor Potter did not give any information as to the location of the document.

Your permission to publish is much appreciated. Inasmuch as the original is not readily available, it might be a good idea to do so. Since writing you, I have learned that our library has a MS version of the document - no doubt a copy. I will now have the opportunity of comparing Professor Potter's typescript of the original with our MS copy.

Sincerely yours,



Ludwell H. Johnson, III  
Prof. Hist. Em.



2. Secondly All Summe and Summes of mony already and that shall be hereafter rec[eive]d out of the s[ai]d manner (subject to the deducions afors[ai]d) shall be hereafter remitted to the President and Masters of the said Colledg for the time being
3. The said President and masters and his and their successors shall thereout expend soe much as shall be necessary toward fitting and furnishing lodgings<sup>er</sup> and Rooms for such Indian children as shall be hereafter brought unto the s[ai]d Colledg as also for buying or procureing such children
4. The said President and Masters and his and their successors shall keep at the s[ai]d colledg soe many Indian children in sickness and healthe, in meat drink washing lodging Cloathes<sup>es</sup> Medicines<sup>es</sup> books and Educacion from the first begining of letters till they are ready to receive orders and be thought sufficient to <sup>x</sup>preache<sup>x</sup> be sent abroad<sup>on</sup> to preach and convert the Indians at the rate of 14<sup>£</sup> per Annum for every such child as the yearly income of the premisses (subject to the deductions afores[ai]d) shall amount vnto. <sup>in</sup>
5. That the care Instruction and education of such children as shall be hereafter placed in the said colledg shall be left to the President and master<sup>be</sup> thereof for the time being but yet subject therein (as they are for <sup>x</sup>all<sup>x</sup> their other trusts) to the<sup>t</sup> visitation or Inspection of the Rector and Governor<sup>ne</sup> of the s[ai]d Colledg for the time being <sup>of</sup>
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*Dr. Isaac Wall to Johnson III  
Chambers  
Department of History  
College of William and Mary*

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other and further Rules be made the Rules and dir-  
ections hereby given are to take place.

8. And that the name of the benefactor may not be  
forgotten wee the s[ai]d Earle of Burlington and  
Lord Bishop of London doe direct and appoint that  
the s[ai]d Charity shall be hereafter called (The  
Charity of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Robert Boyle of the City of  
London deceased).

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Rules and Methods agreed on for  
the Settlement of Mr. Boyles Charity  
in Virginia.

Mr. Boyle's Statutes

(Bishop Gibson's hand)

Present Rules and Methods settled and agreed on by us  
Richard Earle of Burlington and Henry Lord Bishop of London,  
for the disposicon of the Rents and profitts of the Mannor  
of Brafferton in the County of York towards the Propagateing  
the Gospell in Virginia in persuance of an Authority to us  
given in and by a Decree in the High Court of Chancery bear-  
ing date the Eighth day of August one thousand six hundred  
ninety five in a Cause wherein the Attorney Generall Dame  
Elizabeth Gerrard and Thomas Owen Esquire are Plaintiffs the  
said Richard Earle of Burlington Sir Henry Ashurst and John  
Warr are defendants:/

- (1) First All the yearly Rents and profitts of the said Mannor of Brafferton as well  
those incurred due since the purchase thereof as which shall hereafter grow due  
(after the deduccon thereof of ninety pounds a yeare to the Colledge for propagate-  
ing the Gospell in New England and other necessary and incident charges) shall be  
by the present and future Receivors of the Rents thereof paid into the Hands of  
Micajah Perry of London Merchant Agent in London for the President and Masters of  
the Colledge of William and Mary in Virginia and to all future Agent or Agents in  
England for the said Colledge in Order to Transmitt the same to Virginia to the  
President and Masters of the said Colledge for the time being for the purposes here-  
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- (2) Secondly all Summe and Summs of money already and that shall hereafter be received  
out of the said Mannor (Subject to deduccons aforesaid) shall be hereafter remitted  
to the President and Masters of the said Colledge for the time being
- (3) The said President and Masters and his and their Successors shall thereout expend  
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- (6) That the Said President and Masters and his and their Successors shall once every yeare transmitt to the Earle of Burlington and the Lord Bishopp of London for the time being a perticular accompt of what Summe or Summes of money they shall hereafter receive by vertue of these presents as alsoe lay out or expend on all or any the matters aforesaid and the occasion or occasions thereof as alsoe the number and names of the Indian Children that shall be hereafter brought into the said Colledge together with their Progresse or proficiency in their Studies and of all other matters relateing thereto: /
- (7) That the laying out the money from time to time hereafter to be remitted as alsoe the manner and Method of Educateing and instructing Such Children and all other matters Relateing to this Charity or the Execution of it shall be Subject to Such other Rules and Methods as shall from time to time hereafter be transmitted to the sd. President and Masters and his and their Successors by the Earle of Burlington and the Lord Bishopp of London for the time being and in default thereof to such Rules and Methods as the Rector and Governors of the said Colledge for the time being shall make or appoint but untill such other and further Rules be made the Rules and direccions hereby given are to take place: /

(8) And that the name of Benefactor may not be forgotten wee the sd. Earle of Burlington and Lord Bishopp of London doe direct and appoint that the said Charity Shall be hereafter called the Charity of the Honble. Robert Boyle of the City of London deceased: In witness whereof wee have hereunto sett our hands and Seales the one and twentieth day of December Anno Dom one thousand six hundred ninety seven: /

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PROFESSOR G. R. POTTER

DEPARTMENT OF MEDIEVAL AND MODERN HISTORY  
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SHEFFIELD 10

November 1, 1968

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8 October 1968

The Chairman  
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*My personal file*

November 1, 1968

VIA AIRMAIL

Mr. George R. Potter  
The University  
Sheffield, 10  
United Kingdom

Dear Mr. Potter:

I deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness in sending me a typescript copy of the document concerning the endowment of the old Indian school at William and Mary. I have submitted it to the College archivist, Mr. Herbert L. Ganter, for comparison with such published versions as may exist. In the meantime I would very much appreciate his Grace's permission to publish this document if it seems appropriate to

Most sincerely yours,

Ludwell H. Johnson, III, Chairman  
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as no one has experienced more than I myself.

Yours sincerely

*George Potter*  
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