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Present Rules and Methods settled and agreed on
by us the Rt hon^{ble} Rich^d Earle of Burlington
and the Rt Reverend father in God Henry Lord
Bishop of London for the disposition of the Rents
and profitts of the Mannor of Brofferton in the
County of York towards the ^oprogateing the Gospel
in Virginia in persuance of an authority to us given
in and by a decree in the high court of Chancery
beareing date the 8th day of Aug 1695 in a cause
wherein the Attorney gen^{ll}

Elizabeth Gerard Relict of

^{ll}
Sam^{ll} Gerard dec^d and

Thomas Owen Esqre

are plaintiffs

the s^[ai]d Richd Earle of Burlington Sir Henry
Ashurst John Warr are Defts

1. First All the yearly rents and profits of the
s^[ai]d Mannor of Brofferton as well as those incurred
due since the purchase thereof or which shall
hereafter grow due (after the deduction there out
of 90 l a year to the Colledg for propagateing the
Gospel in New Engl^[an]d and other necessary or
insidental charges) shall be by the present and
future Receiver of the rents thereof paid into the
hands of [^o] Agent in London for the President
and Masters of the Colledg of William and Mary in
Virginia and to all future Agent or Agents in
England for the said Colledge in order to transmitte
the same to Virginia to the President and Master of
the said Colledg for the time being for the purposes
hereafter mentioned, and such Agent or Agents receipts
or acquittances shall be suffittient discharge to
such Receiver or Receivers for ^[illegible] which shall
be soe paid

^o y^e in MS throughout. ^o Spae in ms

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 deducons 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 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* Medicines books and Educacion from the first begining of letters till they are ready to receive orders and be thought sufficient to ^xpreache^x be sent abroad to preach and convert the Indians at the rate of 14[£] per Annum for every such child as the yearly income of the premisses (subject to the deductions afors[ai]d) shall amount vnto.
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 thereof for the time being but yet subject therein (as they are for ^xall^x their othere trusts) to the visitation or Inspection of the Rector and Governor of the s[ai]d Colledg for the time being
6. That the s[ai]d President and master and his

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and their successors shall once every year transmitt
to the Earle of Burlington and the Lord Bishop of
London for the time being a particular accompt of
what summe or summes of mony they shall hereafter
receive by vertue of these presents or also lay
out or expend on all or any the matters afores^[ai]d
and the occasion~~h~~ or occasions thereof as also the
Number and Names of the Indian children that shall
be hereafter brought into the s^[ai]d colledg together
with their progress or proficiency in their studys
and of all other matters relateing thereto. of That
7. That ~~the-~~
the laying out the mony from time to time hereafter
to be remitted as also the Manner and Method of
educateing and instructing such children and all
other matters relateing to the Charity or the
Execucion of it shall be subject to such other Rules
and Methods as shall from time to time hereafter be
transmitted to the s^[ai]d President and Master and
his and their successors by the Earle of Burlington
and Lord Bishop of London for the time being and in
defalt thereof to such Rules and Methods as the
Rector and Governours of the s^[ai]d Colledg for the
time being shall make or appoint but until such
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^{ble} Robert Boyle of the City of
London deceased).

In wittenesse whereof we have hereunto