

The Comm^{tee} taking under their consideration the request of providing the militia with powder and lead for the purpose of obtaining a full complement for that purpose from the ^{treasury} of this County, to a short piece of arms besides the powder that each Comm^{tee} member ^{ought to have} cheaply pay the sum of ten pounds to Owen Gray & Henry Taylor or either of them on or before the 1st day of May next for the purpose aforesaid

Resolved that Owen Gray & Henry Taylor do inform the absent members of the Comm^{tee} of the preceding resolution & request them to contribute the aforesaid sum of ten pounds. It is resolved that Owen Gray & Henry Taylor do so soon as they shall have received the money so subscribed or any other sums that may be voluntarily advanced for this purpose make application to the Committee appointed by the late Convention to procure ammunition for as much powder and lead as the money they may have received will amount to in the proportion of one pound of powder to four pounds of lead

On information & declaration made by John Henry and James Ingraham, who voluntarily appeared before this Comm^{tee} and acknowledged that they had been guilty of violating the 1st article of the association by gathering at the said Kirby's that they had been guilty of an error in so doing knowing well the consequences of it, and having given notice to refund all money by them thus advanced having agreed this Comm^{tee} of them future strict compliance with the first compliance with the second article of the association of the Continental Congress. Therefore therefore that the persons aforesaid have been guilty of violating the association. But on consideration of their ^{the Comm^{tee}} ^{behaviors} before this board of the association & especially their behavior before this Comm^{tee} and of opinion of hope the public will not consider them as enemies to American liberty

Resolved that the powder & lead when procured shall be stored in such convenient place or places as shall be agreed on by this Committee & be liable to any further direction of the same

At the clerk of the town have sent a copy of the proceedings of this day to the printer W^m Dixon & under long them to publish the same

W^m Dixon

At a Comm^{tee} held for the county of Southampton the 1st of September 1775 agreed to do the whole of the association of the the general Congress

Present	Owen Gray & Henry Taylor	James Day	Richard
	Richard Killee	Benjamin	
	James Riddle	Benjamin	
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of the foregoing Congress, entitled an association for the purpose of raising and embodying a sufficient force for the defense and protection of this colony being read and approved resolved that we will proceed to carry the said ordinance into execution and exert ourselves to give the same full effect

Present Owen Gray Henry Taylor & Richard Killee are by the Comm^{tee} appointed to attend as members of the general Congress of the date of the 2nd of September 1775 and to attend the 3rd general Congress of the date of the 1st of October 1775 or any other accident preventing the attendance of the first named gentlemen on the 3rd general Congress

Whereas the resolution of the Convention of the Colony dated Aug^r 25 1775 was that the several members of this Comm^{tee} do proceed to take a list of the members of persons in this County in such district as to them shall seem convenient and depending thereon the age & sex & what or black & of the male whether they be above or under the age of 16

Resolved in pursuance of an order of the Convention dated August 20th 1775 that John Taylor, James Riddle, Benjamin Riddle & Benjamin Riddle or any 3 of them do examine & make report of the said martial at all the houses accounts & make report to the next Comm^{tee}

Richard Killee is by this Comm^{tee} nominated to be the next Comm^{tee} of the County

James Riddle is by this Comm^{tee} nominated to be the next Comm^{tee} of the County