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At a vestry held for St. Ann's Parish the 14th day of March Anno Dom. 1712.

Present

The reverend Mr. Edwd. Butler
Saml. Young Esqr.
Thos. Bardley Esqr.
Mr. Jno. Gresham
Mr. Evan Jones.

The reverend Mr. Edwd. Butler produced to the vestry the following Instrumt. viz.

Maryld. ss.

Edwd. Lloyd Esqr. Presidt. of her Majesty's Honrable Council within this Province.
To the vestry of St. Ann's Parish in Ann Ardle. County greeting.
Whereas the reverend Mr. Edwd. Butler as Orthodox minister of the Church of Engld. is recommended to me as such from the Rt. Honrable & right Reverend Father in God Henry by Divine permission Lord Bishop of London Ordinary Diocesan of this Province.
I doe hereby appoint the sd. Mr. Edward Butler to be Rector of the Parish and direct yo. to pay him the forty p poll therein arisseing allotted for the Support of the Clergy dated at the Citty of Annapolis the 7th day of March 17 12/3

Edwd. Lloyd.

Wch. being produced & read is ordered to be Entred as above and the sd. Mr. Butler is admitted in to the Rectory of the Parish according to the tenor thereof.

Ordered tht. Mr. Richd. Martin be admitted as Clerk of the vestry by takeing the oaths according to Law.