

Original Journal. M<sup>r</sup> Richard Bennetts Petition read praying leave that a Bill might be brought in to ascertain the Bounds of Worton Mannor in Cecill County.

The Board do not thinke fitt to pass a Bill therefore ; for that they are of Opinion the Lord Proprietors Grant will be Sufficient to that End.

p. 40 M<sup>r</sup> Grey and M<sup>r</sup> Ennalls bring up the Bill for preventing fornication by white Women Serv<sup>ts</sup> Working in the Ground which was ordered to lye on the Table.

They also brought up M<sup>r</sup> Carrolls memoriall endorsed.

By the House of Delegates Apr<sup>ll</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> 1706

This house designing to end this Session with what expedition they can do resolve not to enter into any debate about that matter. Therefore referr the Same to the Consid<sup>r</sup>ation of the next Session of Assembly

Signed p ord<sup>r</sup> W Taylard Cl h Del.

{ The Board adjourn'd untill 8 }  
{ of the Clock to mor. mor. }

Fryday Aprill 12th 1706

The Councill Sate present as yesterday.

Colonel Thomas Ennalls upon urgent Business had the Leave of his Ex<sup>ncy</sup> & this Boarde to go home.

Then were sent downe to the house The Act of Parliament prohibiting Commerce with France and that for Encouragement of Navall Stores to be Imported from these her Majestys Plantations by Coll Jenkins together with the following Message Viz.

By his Ex<sup>ncy</sup> the Governour & Councill in Assembly  
Aprill 12th 1706.

p. 41 Some Persons having been presented by the Provinciall & Ann Arundell County Courts for Bigamy & for suffering a Quaker Conventicle to be kept in their house, The Justices & officers of those Courts are at a Stand in the Prosecution the laws of England providing against those offences seeming to them to be wholly restrained to her Majestys Subjects residing within the Kingdom of England so that for want of Law in this Country those offenders expect to escape unpunishd according to the old saying, Where there is no Law there is no Offence.