

By the House of Delegates April 19<sup>th</sup> 1706

Lib. 41.

Whereas it has been represented to this House that it is an Aggrievance to this Province that the County Court Commissioners are limited and restrained and with which this House do concur and do therefore pray that his Excellency and be pleased to enlarge the said Commissions &<sup>ta</sup>

Signed p Order W. Taylard Cl. Ho. Del.

They return and say they delivered their Message and the Bill

Kenelm Chesildine and William Coursey Esq<sup>rs</sup> enters the House & delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker a Letter to Col<sup>o</sup> Blackiston Agent for the Province which being read was by Order of the House

Signed by M<sup>r</sup> Speaker on Behalf of the whole House and sent up again to the Council by M<sup>r</sup> John Wells & M<sup>r</sup> Tho<sup>s</sup> Howe. They return and say they delivered the same

Col<sup>o</sup> Edward Lloyd enters the House and delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill for apportioning the publick Levy Indorsed April 19<sup>th</sup> 1706 Her Majesty's Ho<sup>n</sup>ble Council have read and assented hereto.

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Co.

And the following Message was brought into the House Viz.

By the Council in Assembly April 19<sup>th</sup> 1706.

Upon the Houses Representation by M<sup>r</sup> Stone to his Excy to enlarge the Jurisdiction of County Courts we have maturely considered the same and do think the County Courts have sufficient Jurisdiction. Therefore cannot advise his Excy to make any Enlargement.

Signed p Order  
W Bladen Cl. Co.

And likewise was again brought into the House the Ho<sup>n</sup>ble Rector and Governors &<sup>ta</sup> Reply with Indorsment thereon. Ordered to be entered Viz :

By the Ho<sup>n</sup>ble the Rector, Governor and Visitors of the Free School April 18<sup>th</sup> 1706.

In Reply to the House of Delegates Answer to our Proposal yesterday about the Rent of the Council Room or purchasing the whole House out and out we do hereby represent to the Ho<sup>n</sup>ble House that we cannot concur therewith in leasing the Council Room on the Terms proposed; and altho' we do not