

L. H. J. 1707 recommended to the Honble House of Delegates to take Care and give Directions Col^o Blackiston's Salary for one Year due in September 1706 then last past and also for the succeeding Year 1707 should be allowed by the Committee who were appointed to apportion the Levy in October 1707 Upon which his Excellency the Governor was assured by several of the worthy Members of your House that they had taken Care and given Directions therefor but upon Inspection of Journal of the Committee it appears they made Col^o Blackiston Allowance for the Year 1707 in full and wholly omitted for the Year 1706 which I humbly pray may be allowed him and also for this Year 1708 and that Directions may be given to the publick Treasurer readily to pay the same

Your Most Obedient Humble Servant, W Bladen.

The which Representation had the following Indorsement

By the Council in Assembly December 9th 1708.

The within Representation read and recommended to the Consideration of the House of Delegates

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Co.

By the House of Delegates December 9th 1708

The within Representation read and referred to the Committee of the Accounts to search the Journals and report to the House whether Col^o Blackiston was allowed his Salary Anno 1706 or how that Mistake came

Signed p Order Richard Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.

By the Committee of Accounts Eodem Die We have inspected the Journals of Accounts and Levies and find no Allowance at all made for the above Service in the Year 1705 but
p. 188 in the year 1706 we find an Allowance of one hundred and twenty Pounds which seems to be allowed for the Salary of the Year 1705 there appearing no other Allowance for that Year And also in the Year 1707 we find only an Allowance of one Year's Salary exprest in the Journal to be allowed for this present Year so that we find there is a Year's Salary due to him in Arrear besides the present Year

Signed p Order Tho. Bordley Clk Com.

By the House of Delegates December 9th 1708

Ordered Col^o Blackiston be allowed the Arrears due to him to the End of the Year 1707 and no longer

Rich^d Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.