

U. H. J. have of late been passed in this her Majesty's province relating to protested Bills of Exchange to the relief of poor Debtors & which Laws have been injurious to the Property of her Subjects residing in Great Britain and which for the Reasons laid before her Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lords Comm^{rs} of Trade & Plantations she thought fit to repeal

Her Majesty's will & Pleasure is that for the future I do not pass or give my assent to any Act of Assembly wherein the Property of her Majesty's Subjects residing in Great Britain shall be any ways Concerned Unless there be an express proviso in the said Law that the same shall not be in force in this Province till after the Expiration of Eighteen months in time of War and twelve months in Time of Peace

To the End her Majesty's pleasure may be known upon such a Law before it be put in Execution here

They were unanimously thought fit & Advised to be forthwith sent to the House which was done accordingly by Col Lloyd Col Holland Col Coursey Col Addison M^r Lloyd & M^r Tilghman who went and returned and said they had delivered their Message to the Speaker

M^r Tyler and M^r Hoskins brought from the House as followeth Viz.

By the House of Delegates

June the 22^d 1714

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This House wanting a Clerk to Supply the place of M^r Richard Dallam who since last Session of Assembly dyed make choice of Thomas Macnemara as Clerk of this House and humbly pray your Excellency's Approbation of him and that he may be qualified by taking the usual Oaths

Robert Ungle Speaker

Upon which his Excellency was pleased to ask the Board if they had any objections to the said Macnemara

They were not pleased to offer any Wherefore his Excellency directed L^t Col Tilghman to go down to the House of Delegates & acquaint them he approves their Choice & wills them to present their Clerk in order to be qualified

L^t Col Tilghman returns & says he has delivered his message

M^r Tyler & Col Hoskins came from the Delegates and presented M^r Thomas Macnemara to his Excellency to be qualified as Clerk of their House by taking the usual Oaths according to Law and making the requisite Subscriptions of the Test & Abjuration Oaths