

The Reasons of the Rev^d M^r Christopher Wilkinson ag^t the L. H. J. dividing that Parish thus endorst viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly

July the 15th 1726

Read & Recomendēd to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly

Signd p Order. Geo. Plater Cl. Up. Ho.

Thereupon the said pet^o was read again wth the above Reasons And It is the Opinion of this House that the said Parish ought to be divided But forasmuch as this House are not well apprized in what part of the said Parish the equallest Division can be made they think it proper that the hon^{ble} Richard Tilghman Esq^r M^r James Earle Sen^r Maj^r William Turbut M^r August^{ts} Thompson M^r Sol^o Clayton M^r Tho^s Hynson Wright Cap^t Andrew Price M^r Humphrey Wells M^r Benjamin Pemberton M^r John Chairs & M^r John Wright or the Major part of them be appointed to meet at such Times and places as to them shall seem meet And that they make their Report thereon to the next Assembly at the next Sessions thereof, of the most Convenient place for dividing the said Parish And ordered that a Message to the Upper House be prepared Accordingly desiring their Concurrence herein so as that an Ord^r of both Houses may be made out Accordingly.

Which message was prepard pursuant thereto And sent to the Upper House by M^r Edward Wright and the other three Members of Queen Ann's County.

They return and Say they delivered it.

The house adjourns till two of the Clock afternoon

Post Merediem.

The House meets.

Nicholas Lowe Esq^r from the Upper House delivers M^r Speaker the Petition of Thomas Manning thus endorst viz.

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The within Petition being read is referr'd to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly

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Which was read and Ordered that Provided Notice can p. 14 be given to the Parties Concern'd before Thursday next to