

The Bill for Electing and summoning Delegates read and U. H. J. ordered to lye on the Table

The following Representation read at the Board and sent to the House by M^r Young Viz.

To the honble the General Assembly now sitting
Dec^r 9th 1708

William Bladen Attorney of the honble Col Nathaniel Blakiston Agent in England for this province humbly remonstrates that his Excell and the honble her Majesty's Council in April 1707 recommended to the honble the House of Delegates to take Care and give directions Col Blakiston's Sallary for one year due in Sept^r 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 Excell the Governour was assured by several of the worthy members of the House that they had taken Care & given directions therefore. But upon Inspection of the Journal of that Committee It appears they made Col Blakiston an Allowance for the year 1707 in full & wholly omitted the year 1706 which I humbly pray may be allowed him and also for this year 1708 And that directions may be given the publick Treasurers readily to pay the same

Your most Obed^t humble Serv^t
W Bladen

M^r Mariartee brings up a bill for appointing Court Days Read the first & second times in the House And a Bill confirming and Explaining the Charter to the City of Annapolis with several amendm^{ts} proposed by the Committee of Law^s which was ordered to lye on the Table until to morrow morning

The Council adjourned until ten of the Clock to morrow morning

Friday Dec^r 10th 1708

The Council Sate Present as yesterday

And the Petition of Rich^d Bickerdike Brick Layer being read was recommended to the Consideration of the House of Delegates p. 584

The Bill Confirming and Explaining the Charter to the City of Annapolis read the first & second Times and the Amendm^{ts} proposed agreed to and sent to the House with the above Petition by Col Holland & Col Coursey