By his Ex^{ncy} the Gov^r & Councill in Assembly Ap¹¹ 4th 1706.

Original Journal.

His Exney thinks fitt to acquaint You that Sr Thomas Laurence has made his Complaint to her Matye agt the late Law for Regulating of Ordinarys, Copye of wh Complaint is herewth sent You that you may assert your Reasons for that p. 14 Law; otherwise You cannot expect her Matys Royall Assent thereto.

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl Counl.

Colonel Holland acquainting his Exncy and the Board that his Wife lay dangerously ill, had leave to go home.

The Board adjourn'd for two hours.

Post Meridiem.

The Councill Sate present as before (Save Col Holland)
Mr Hays & Mr Jones bring the following Message from the
House.

By the house of Delegates Api 4th 1706

Upon that parte of his Ex^{ncys} Speech which dos relate to the greate Evill which happens to the People of this Province by Bills of Exch^a Protested for makeing some Provision of Reliefe therein this House does pray that they may be admitted to confer with her Ma^{tys} hon^{ble} Councill and that his Ex^{ncy} will be pleased to appoint the persons tyme & place of meeting accordingly. Signed p Ord^r W Taylard Cl h Del.

The Boarde adjourn'd untill eight of the Clock to morrow morning.

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The Councill Sate Present as yesterday

And ordered that Colonel Thomas Ennalls carry the following Answer to the houses message last night.

By the Council in Assembly April 5th 1706

In Answer to your Houses Message yesterday by M^r Hays & M^r Jones desiring a Conference with this Boarde in order to redress the greate Evil of protested Bills of Exch^a His Ex^{ncy} and the Councill are willing to have a Conference with the whole house in the Councill Chamber to morrow morning at ten of the Clock upon the Subject matter at present so pernicious to the Countrye.

Signed p order W Bladen Cl Council