

Original Journal. will give such Instructions to the Committee for laying the publick Levy that they may allow the s^d Coll Blakiston Sallary of 120^l more w^{ch} will be due for his Agency 17th of 7ber next ensuing

Which Memoriall being read at the Board his Ex^{ty} & the Councill recomend it to the house of Dell to take effectuall Care therein The s^d Coll Blakiston being employed in buying & sending in the Arms & Ammunition for this pvince & other materiall things for the Service thereof.

p. 57 W^{ch} was sent to the house by Coll Lloyd & M^r Coursey
M^r Fowke brings from the house the following answer to the Message concerning gratifications made to persons employed in the publick Service viz^t

Viz^t By the house of Delegates
Aprill 18th, 1706

Upon reading this Message It is resolved M^r John Hall be allow'd now for those Services six hundred pounds tobacco & twenty shillings to the Indian that was with him

Signed p order W Taylard Cl h Dell

M^r Jones brings from the House a Bill for Erecting a Parish on the North side of Elke River which was read & assented to & sent to the house by M^r Sanders

Came M^r Tyler & M^r Mackall & bring up a Bill prohibiting the Exportation of European Comoditys out of this Province w^{ch} was read & Assented to & sent with the former by M^r Sanders

M^r Dollahide brings from the house a bill for Encouraging the making Hemp & Flax & that for suspending the Prosecution of Romish Priests &c both which were read & assented to & return'd to the house together with the two former by M^r Sanders.

The Bill ascertaining the Damage on protested bills of Exchange being read at the board It is Remarked that the bill is so clogg'd in Sev^{ll} Clauses that it will be complained of as most unjust & unreasonable and particularly In the first
p. 58 place the bill is not according to what was concerted at the Conference for that it was only intended that Persons already indebted should not be compell'd to give fresh bills of Exchange under 90 Days Sight but is Detrimentall to trade in that it Enacts psons both able & willing upon new Contracts shall not give bills of less than 90 Days sight.

2^{dly} All Persons having protested bills already returnd upon which perhaps they have laid out of their monyes for