Lib. 41. They return and say they delivered the Message.

The first Part of the Message this Day relating to the adding the Lot of the Vestry to the Lot laid out for a Minister. Read and put to the Question whether it shall be annexed to the Lot or not? Carried by Majority of Votes that the Lot of the Vestry be annexed to the Ministers Lot. And as to the latter Part of the Message relating to Provision for Reception of a Minister this House are unwilling to contribute & ca

The House adjourns till to Morrow Morning Eight O'Clock.

Wednesday April 10th 1706

The House met again and being called over were all present as yesterday.

Read what was done Yesterday. Message relating to Proposals for Money & referred till to Morrow Morning for Consideration.

The Gentlemen appointed to inspect the Land Records enter the House & deliver their Report to M' Speaker.

Ordered to be read and upon Reading thereof it was debated and referred for further Consideration till the Afternoon

Committee of Aggrievances enter the House and report as follows Viz.

Whereas divers Persons had Money allowed them by the Public for their several Services and Orders have been drawn therefor on the publick Treasurer who denies the Payment any otherways than by Pieces of Eight at six shillings a Piece (under Pretence of having no other Coin) which they cannot pass away at that Rate; it is represented as a great Aggrievance and prayed the same may be settled by an Act ascertaining at what Rates the several Sorts of Coin of late Current in this Province may pass for the future for the Ease & Advantage of the whole Province. Being read and debated this House resolves it is a Grievance and that a Bill be prepared and brought in to remedy the same by ascertaining the Value of such Coin.

The Honble John Hammond and Francis Jenkins from the Council enters the House and delivers Bill for several Counties indorsed. By the Council in Assembly April 9th 1706.

Queen Ann's County

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Council

That Bill together with Bill for writing New Port Hundred to William and Mary Parish in Charles County and Bill for Naturalization of John Baptist Tyler &ca Sent up to the Committee of Laws for Ingrossment