

Irregularities or Injustice and therefore heartily wish you would not omit to do what is so absolutely necessary for the Service of the Country which if you should we know not whom to write to that can or will be any Ways serviceable to us.

L. H. J.
Lib. 41.

Signed p Order W. Bladen Cl. Co.

Which being read Ordered it be answered as followeth

By the House of Delegates November 4th 1710

This House have considered your Message this Morning relating to having an Agent &^{ca} but since no Act has passed this Session wherein it can be prejudicial to Trade we can't think the Merchants will make any Interest against their being assented to and as for any Person in this Country doing it against the Act for relieving Aggrievances since your Honours don't think fit to let that Bill pass but for so short a Time as two Years, we presume it will expire before we can have any Notice of it's Assent and then our Money will be thrown away to no Purpose so can't concur with your Request to employ an Agent Signed p Order Richard Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.

Ingrossed Bill for Sale of Talbot County old Court House Read and indorsed 4th Nov. 1710 Read and assented to by the House of Delegates.

Signed p Order Rich^d Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.

The Message and Bill sent to the Council by M^r Worthington M^r Crabb, M^r Greenfield and M^r Paca. They return and say they delivered the same

The Honble Col^o Greenfield and M^r Hall enter the House and deliver M^r Speaker the following Message

By the Council in Assembly November 4th 1710

Gentl. We are sorry you cannot concur with our Request to employ an Agent and find by your Indifferency in supporting the Law for relieving Aggrievances you do not set so great a Value thereon as we imagined you did and the Consequence of that Law seems to deserve, or at least you have little Regard to what Censure may fall upon us for passing such an Act (tho' in itself just and reasonable and might be approved if backt by some discreet Person at Home) yet clashes with such Interests whose Study and Endeavours we may expect will not fail to oppose and defeat it

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Co.