L. H. J. The Honble Col^o Greenberry and Col^o Whittington enter the House and deliver M^r Speaker the following Message.

By the Council in Assembly 9^{ber} 4th 1713

We cannot be of your Sentiments either that it should be very illconvenient a member of this Board should be a publick Treasurer, or that the present Treasurer of the Western Shore has bore himself so high upon his being a Councillor to deter any Person from Access to him or any wise thought himself above being accountable to your House but that the Inconveniencies hinted from his being so are barely imaginary. When the publick Stock is overdrawn in the Treasurers Hands scarce any will advance their own Money without some reasonable Consideration therefor We have no Objection to Mr Young's Integrity or Diligence yet if you are fully resolved to recommend new Treasurers upon your offering fit and proper Persons for that Trust we shall be ready to concur with you Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Council.

Which being Read and considered Resolved it be answered as follows

By the House of Delegates 4th November 1713.

Our Sentiments relating to the present Treasurers are not imaginary or groundless nor is it only when the publick Stock is overdrawn that Advance Money is required for prompt Paym^t But to shew your Honours we have no particular Grudge or ill Will against those Gentlemen notwithstanding the Complaints made to us we do again nominate and recommend the Honble Samuel Young Esq^r and Col^o Thomas Smithson to be Treasurers until this House with Concurrence of the Honble Council shall discharge them therefrom provided they give good Security to Account &ta as oft as called before this House and not to expect any Money for prompt Possible Possible

The Honble Col^o Addison and M^r Secretary Lloyd enter the House and deliver M^r Speaker the following Message.

By the Council in Assembly Nov^r 4th 1713

When you let us know what Members of your House you