prietary; which Year an Act of Assembly was again made U. H. J. which advanced the afd I Shill p hhd to 15 pence p hhd, three Pence of it to be Applied towd the support of a Magazine and the other 12 pence to be paid to the then Governor for his own proper use. Thus the one shilling p hhd was Applied Solely for the Support of a Governour and only thought sufficient for that purpose exclusive of any other Application But the L^d Proprietary after some time being dissattisfied that the Sallary of his Governour should be paid to himself independent of his Ldp and knowing the ill Consequences that might Ensue thereon, Directed his then Governour to Cause p. 111 his Revenue Bill to be again reenacted, and the One shilling p hhd directed to be paid to his Ldp for the Support of his Governour and for such other uses towd the Support of Government as his Ldp in his discretion shall think meet to apply the same; which was accordingly reenacted in the year 1717 and again reviv'd this present Sessions of Assembly. The Case being thus truly stated, we appeal to the Judgment of any Impartial Person whether the Council can Justly Claim any part of the aforesaid One shill p hhd for the Law made in the Year ninety two Repealed all the Former Laws for raising the aforesd one shills p hhd and Applied it to other uses exclusive of any Support for the Council, who were then provided for by another Law as aforesaid, and after the Dissent to that Law by an Annual Allowance in the Publick Levy ever since continued, and the Law in the year 1715 applied it solely to the use of the then Governour and the Law in 1717 to the L^d Proprietary for the support of a Governour and to such other uses in the Governmt as his Lordship should think meet, without ever mentioning or having any Regard to the Council, the L^d Proprietary Cannot be supposed to have any Knowledge that the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, at the Time of making the aforesaid Laws intended the Council should be supported out of the aforesaid one shill p hhd nor can your House have any reason to expect his Lord- p. 112 ship has made a better bargain with his present Governor than the whole Legislature of this Province did for him with his former Governor to whom they gave the whole one Shilling p hhd and if he has not there is nothing remaining to support his Council; but if he has, his Lordship may apply the remaining part to any other uses in Governm^t as he pleases, and it cannot be expected he should make any Reserve out of it for his Council when he is not Obliged to do it, nor does not know that it is expected from him.

We hope upon a further Consideration of the Justice of our Claims you will consent to make us such Allowances as we