For which Reasons we then Postpon'd our further Claims to U. H. J. this present Sessions in hopes you will now Agree to those Allowances which we take to be the Just right of the Council for Attending upon all such publick Occasions as the publick Weal of this Province should make their Advice necessary in to the Governour thereof All which seems to have been considered by the whole Legislature where they resolved that an 150 Pounds of Tobacco p diem should be paid to every member of the Council for their Attendance in Lieu of thirty Pounds Sterling p Annum out of the Impost duty on Liquors as appears in the Journals of the House Anno 1697 whereupon we Again Recommend to your Consideration the making of those allowances

Signed p Order Samuel Skippon Cl Up Ho.

Sent by Col^o Young.

Read the Message relating to the Stadt House and the following Answer prepared thereto Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly October 16th 1724. Gentlemen.

In answer to your Message yesterday by M^r Hopkins & M^r Dashiel this House does Appoint Benjamin Tasker Esq^r to join with Captain Nathaniel Hopkins Captain Joseph Harrison and M^r John Oldham to View the Stadt House and make p. 107 Report thereon that the necessary Repairs may be made

Sign'd p Order Samuel Skippon Cl Up Ho.

Sent by Benjamin Tasker Esq^r

Read the Message from the Lower House by Col^o Mackal and five Others of the 10th of October and the following Answer prepared thereto viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly October the 16th 1724 Gentlemen.

Upon consideration of your Message of October the 10th by Col^o Mackall and five Others we are of Opinion that whatever defects may have hapned in the forms of the Oaths to be administred to the Judges of the Provincial & County Courts by the frequent and careless transcribing of the Clerks ought to be Amended and whenever laid before our House we shall readily Concur therein

Signed p Order Samuel Skippon Cl Up Ho.

Sent by John Hall Esq^r

The petition of Margarett Jordan, John Jordan Martha