

U. H. J.
Liber No. 35
May 11

given you any Reason to hope that we were inclined to agree to a general and free Conference with you on the whole Bill as you proposed by your Message of yesterday, this we apprehend to be inconsistent with our Rights, and it was always far from our Intention, and therefore we cannot accept your Proposal: however that nothing may be wanting on our Part that can be reasonably desired of us and that we may further manifest the earnest Desires we have so often repeated to promote to the utmost of our Power every Thing that might contribute at this important Crisis to bring about the Passage of a Bill, on which the Honour & Credit of the Province & the Safety and Tranquillity of the People so greatly depend, we shall agree to a Conference upon the Subject Matter of your Objections mentioned in your Message of 18.th April last, as was done in the Case of the £40,000: Bill, and that no Time may be lost we have named Col: Tilghman M.^r Matthew Tilghman, M.^r Murdock M.^r Lloyd, M.^r Carroll and M.^r Edward Dorsey to join such Members your Honors may be pleased to name for that Purpose.

Signed p. Order M Macnemara Cl Lo Ho

The following Message is sent to the Lower House by Col: Benj.ⁿ Tasker

By the Upper House of Assembly 11.th of May 1758.
Gentlemen

We have named Col: Benjamin Tasker, Col: Robert Jenkins Henry and Daniel Dulany Esq: to join the Gentlemen appointed by your House in a Conference upon the several Matters contained in our Message of the 18.th of April last who will be ready to attend immediately

Signed p. Order J Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

Adjourned 'till three o' the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die post Meridiem

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

A Message from the Lower House by Mess.^{rs} Lloyd and Murdock.

p. 355 By the Lower House of Assembly 11.th of May 1758.
May it please your Honours.

As you do not by your Message of this Afternoon agree to confer with us on the Terms we proposed in our Message of this Morning we must repeat that we are ready to confer with you upon the Subject Matter of our Objections mentioned in your Message of