

Gent^l / Ann Arundell in Maryland May 18th 1695

The Council of Maryland
to the Council of New York
York: answer

His Ex^{cy} has been pleased to communicate to us your Letter to him
(from no place) of the first of March 1695th wherein you take
Notice that his Ex^{cy} your Govern^r. Received a Lett^r. Supposed
to be from his Ex^{cy} our present Govern^r. though not signed
by him, which if so, was occasioned by Mistake and not
Designed: We therefore send you now here inclosed a Duplicate
thereof, as also of the two papers then sent therewith to his
Ex^{cy} your Govern^r. - Your Lett^r. With an Acct. of Govern^r -
Copleys Protested Bill & Damages amounting to the sume of
453^l. Sterd were sent to the House of Burgesses and their answer
thereto is likewise inclosed. - As to his their Mat^{ty} Govern^r of
Maryland being indebted to their Mat^{ty} Province of New York
touching the Bills of Exchange the late Govern^r. Copley made and
remitted to your Govern^r. We find Nothing Entered in the Journals
of the Councils relating to that Affaire, and therefore look upon
it as Govern^r. Copleys Private Act, - But whensoever their
Royal Mat^{ty}. are pleased to Comand our Assistance in defence of
their Province of New York against the French or others their
Mat^{ty}. Enemies, all ready and due Obedience shall be given by

Whitehall

Your humble Servants

Ann

May it please your Hon^r / Ann Arundell in Maryland May 23th 1695

The Council of New York
to the Council of Maryland

A Letter of the Eighteenth instant, being directed from their Mat^{ty} Council of
this Province unto your Hon^r. wherein it is said your Lett^r. wth an Acct. of
Govern^r. Copleys Protested Bill and Damages amounting to the sume
of 453^l. Sterd. were sent to the House of Burgesses and their answer
thereto inclosed; this comes to signify to your Hon^r. that (by my
inadvertency or neglect to whom the care of making up that packet
was committed) I forgot to inclose the said answer, but have hereto
sent it, hoping your Hon^r. will be pleased to pardon this Error committed
therein I shall always wth thankfull Remembrance acknowledge the favour
done to ~~me~~ Your Hon^r's Most Obedged & Humble Servants

Wm Denton