

President & Council relating to the Ships not being
without enquiry in the name of this

His Honor the President acquaints the Board that
pursuant thereto he had ordered the Officers of the Customs in
this Province not to clear any Ships until further Order

The Lord Cornburys Letter and the last Council papers
read and considered and Ordered that the 1st Letter be sent
to his Lordship viz

Maryland June 23 1703

May it please your Lordship

We had the honour of your Lordships Letter
of the 25th of May last from the hands of his Excellency
Colonel Nicholson upon receipt whereof the Council were in-
formed & upon due regard had to & consideration of your
Lordships desire that we should transmit the three hundred
Pounds voted by our Assembly for the assistance of New York
to your Lordship by Bills of Exc^e though for our selves we
were willing & shall upon all Occasions be ready to forward
your Lordship of the Due respect we have as well to her Majesty
Service as of your Lordships person & noble Character yet
I beg Leave to acquaint your Lordship that this Province has
formerly been at great Charge on the like occasion of remitting
moneys to your Government our Assembly have resolved
that the money voted should be paid by the Treasurer to
Such persons as should be sent from your Government who
might give a Receipt therefore which by our former Letter
we intimated to your Lordship and assure you that when
your Lordship shall be pleased to send for the same it will
be readily paid to your Lordships Order for the Assistance
of her Majestys Province under your Lordships Government
according to his late Majestys Directions and that