

Deprived of the great Blessing of having the Gospell
preached among them for remedy whereof It is prayed
That it may be Enacted;

And be it Enacted by the Queens most Excellent
Majesty by and with the advice and Consent of her Ma-
jesty's Governour Councill and Assembly of this province
and the Authority of the Same That from and after the
first day of May One thousand Seven hundred and
six all that part of Cecil County lying on the north side
of Elk River being Bounded as followeth (That is to
say) Beginning at Turkey point on the North side
of Elk River aforesaid and running with the said river
to Smiths Mill at the head thereof then east to the Exte-
rior bounds of this province and with the Exterior bounds
of Province to Susquehanna River thence with the east side
of the said River and the bay of Chesapeake to the first
Beginning shall be and is by this Act constituted Erected and
made into a parish to be called by the name of North Elk
Parish seperated and Divided as aforesaid from the Parish
Already made in the said County & shall be and is hereby ad-
judged deemed and Taken to be a separate and distinct pa-
rish and shall have hold and Enjoy all priviledges and
Advantages that are held and Enjoyed by other parishes in
this province;

April the 18th 1706: Read & Assented to by the house of Delegates
Signed & Ord.^d William Taylard (House Deb

April the 8th 1706 Her Majesty's Hon.^{ble} Councill have read & for-
warded hereto; signed & Ord.^d W. Bladen Clerk Councill

Maryland April y^e 19th 1706

On behalf of her most sacred Majesty Queen Anne & I will this be a
Law Jo. Seymour.

Seals