

him for the imprisonment of Hannah Lee, also Juice & Mary
Marler from the 17th June until the 10th October & for other Char-
ges by the said Prisoners incurred as for their conveying to St. Marys
& the sum of five thousand seven hundred & fifteen pounds of tob-
& Cash & for the Indian Prisoners with the Charge of conveying them
to St. Marys the sum of one thousand eight hundred seventy & five
pounds of Tobacco & Cash as of his Acc^t more at large may appear
and your Petitioner not having any knowledge of the time of
your laying the publick Levy that he might at that time have pre-
sented his account, your Petitioner did put in his Acc^t unto the
Court that was held in Charles County for the laying of the Levy
of the said County & was from thence referred to this Assembly
The Premises being taken into your serious Consideration your
Petitioner humbly craveth your Honours will be pleased to
grant him order for the said Charge

and he shall pray

After reading of which petition ordered that it be sent to the
Lower House for their Concurrence

The House Adjourned till Monday Morning nine of the Clock
On Monday Morning nine of the Clock The House met
Present all as before

Then came a member from the Lower House with the answer
to the Sheriff of Charles County's petition & acct. which is as follows

✓ Saturday 20th of April 1666 ✓

This House do judge that the first sum viz 5719th tob^o be paid
by the Inhabitants of Char^s County the Laws of this Province now
in force having sufficiently provided as to the payment of fees
due from Criminalls in such Cases. As to the latter sum being
1075th tob^o the Law made Anno 1662 doth provide that the
provincial Court take order where the Sheriff may repair for
satisfaction of his fees in that Case

W^m Bretton Clk.

Then came a member from the Lower House with this message
viz. The Lower House do humbly pray that the Lieuten^t Gen^l
would please to appoint a certain number of the Upper House to
join with a certain number of the Lower House to be a Committee
for the amendment of certain Laws now in force within the Pro-
vince & that they make report to both Houses what acts are ne-
cessary to be repealed & to renew the whole Body of Laws thereby
to expedite all Business this day if possible

W^m Bretton Clk.

Ordered by this House that Mr Coursey & Mr Lloyd be joined
in a Committee with any two of the Lower House whom the speaker