

M^r Clark, M^r Bayne and M^r Ferry come from the Colon with the following Messages viz

By the Assembly October 16th 1694

Ordered that an Address be drawn to their Majestys concerning the Free School and Concerning such other Business as shall be Considered of by the House

Signed by Order

C. Thomas Ch. Assembly

Voted that there be several other Letters writt to several other Lord Bishops whom his Excellency shall think fit desiring their Assistance about Free Schools

Signed by Order

C. Thomas Ch. Assembly

By the Burgesses of Assembly October 12th 1694

Voted that a letter be written to the Lord Arch Bishop of Canterbury to Accept the patronage of the free School in this Province and that the same be signed by his Excellency and Sir Thomas Lawrence on the behalf of the Council and M^r Speaker on the behalf of the House

Voted that a letter be written to the Lord Bishop of London signifying unto him whereas we understand that he is Patron to the Colledge in Virginia humbly desires that he would be pleased to be our Advocate and Sollicite the Lord Arch Bishop of Canterbury to be Patron for the Free School to be erected in this Province and that he Pleas to do us all Favours to the Advancement and Good of the said Free School

Signed by Order

C. Thomas Ch. Assembly

The said Votes Agreed to by this Board as to the Substance but not as to the method

Ordered that a Division be made of the Gun Powder to be sent to each respective County pursuant to a former Order of this Board & that an Acc^t thereof be sent to the House of Burgesses to the end care may be taken to Convey and dispense the same

Accordingly Division made as follows viz

To Charles County	10	Brought over	28
To Baltimore County	10	To Kent County	3
To Cecil County	8	To Talbot County	7
Brought over	38	To Dorchester County	5