

carry the Rough Draught of the apportioning of the foresaid Eight Hundred pounds to his Excellency and Council and to inform his Excellency how the Same is divided.

They returne and say that they have delivered their Message, and Col^d. Thompson sent the foll^d. Message.

By his Excellency of Gov^r. and Council in Assembly Resolved that an Ordinance pass that the Treas^r. on of Eastern Shore pay unto the severall Persons on the Eastern Shore the severall Sums of Money now due and allowed them and that the Sents appointed to take the publick Revenue draw Ord^r. upon those persons in whose hands they shall finde of publick Stock to pay the severall persons on of Western Shore according to their respective allowances in the lists signed by his Excellency of Gov^r. and of hon^{ble}. of Speaker of the house of Delegates.

Signed of Order,

Gregory Cl^k. house Delegates

Ordered that Col^d. John Thompson, Major Thomas Smith, and Mr. In Seng carry the foll^d. Message to his Excellency the Gov^r. and Council.

By the house Delegates the 12th. Nov^r. 1698

Ordered that the Treas^r. of Eastern Shore pay unto the severall persons on the Eastern Shore the severall Sums of Money now due and allowed them in a certaine list signed by his Excellency the Gov^r. and the hon^{ble}. Speaker, and that the Committee for inspecting the publick Revenue give notice to the severall persons living on of Western Shore the severall Sums mentioned in said list where and in which hands as they shall finde the publick Money to be.

The hon^{ble}. Col^d. Henry Bowles Col^d. W. Addison and Thomas Brooks Esq^r. Enter of house and sent the following Message.

Gentlemen,

What you mention in your address concerning his Maty^{ty}. having been graciously pleased to remove me to the Govern^t. of Virg^{ia}. I am in duty and all humble Gratitude obliged to own as a singular Mark of his Royall favour and Countey Towards me, and I hope that Gods Almighty will enable me to discharge that Great Trust for his Glory his Maty^{ty}. Service and the Good of his Inhabitants of his ancient & Dominion, all which according to my duty I have Endeavour'd to performe ever since I have had the hon^r. to serve his most Sacred Maty^{ty}. in this his Province of Maryland and I shall be glad to add upon all occasions to doe his Maty^{ty}. Loyall and Dutifull Subjects, but particularly those whom I have ever found to be and are of the Church of England as by Law Established any act of Friendship or Service according to my power and Ability.

And Sents I most heartily and Earnestly recommend to you and all