

Second Time by special Order in the House of Delegates and will pass so indept.  
The same is sent up to the Honble Council by Mr. Parson & Mr. Chapman.—  
They return and say they delivered the same

Clo: William Cursey, & Lt. Col: Tilghman from the Honble Council deliver Mr. Speaker  
the two following Bills Vizt. A Bill for reconciling Differences in Relation to the  
Bounds of Land within this Province and for settling the Bounds thereof proposed by  
the House which is thus indepted Vizt. By the Council in Assembly May the 27<sup>th</sup> 1715  
The Bill being read is thought impracticable and the other of the same Title herewith  
sent is recommended to the Delegates Signed ff Order W Bladen the Council  
Also a Bill for ascertaining the Bounds of Land within this Province proposed by the  
Honble Council which is thus indepted Vizt. By the Council in Assembly May the 27<sup>th</sup>  
1715 Read in Council the first and second Times and recommended to the Consideration of  
the House of Delegates. Signed ff Order W Bladen the Council

The House adjourns till to morrow morning seven O'Clock —

Saturday Morning 28<sup>th</sup> May 1715

The House met according to Adjournment. Present as on Yesterday.

Then was read the Proceedings of this House on Yesterday.

A Bill proposed by his Excellency the Governor and Council brought down on Yesterday  
by Col: Cursey and Col: Tilghman for ascertaining the Bounds of Land within this Pro-  
vince was read the first and second Time and the following Message was prepared  
thereto Vizt. By the House of Delegates May the 28<sup>th</sup> 1715

May it please your Excellency & Honours,

We have read with great Satisfaction the  
Bill proposed by your Excellency and Honours for ascertaining the Bounds of Land  
within this Province the first and second Time, and as we find the same to be an  
excellent, well, and ingeniously devised Bill, and tending to the Good and Welfare of  
this Province, by reducing the same into Practice being particularly owing to your  
Excellency's Speech to the House of Delegates in October Assembly last, we hold  
ourselves bound to render your Excellency and Honours our most hearty Thanks for  
devising so useful a Law; as Nothing that is now can be perfect at its first  
Invention; We humbly propose the following Amendments which we hope your  
Excellency and Honours, on Consideration will find useful for putting the said Law in  
Practice with which the said Bill will pass Vizt Page 3. 10 Lire, or Part or Parcel  
of any Tract or Tracts of Land. Page 3. 21 Lire, any ways interested in such a Dispute.  
Page 7. 15 Lire, on each of. In the same Page 16<sup>th</sup> Line a Clause to be added for Sheriff's  
Coroners etc to pay due Obedience to the Commissioners as to the Provincial Court which  
is herewith Jnd. And a Proviso that where Bounds have been Settled or determined  
(beginning)