

Was Read the second time pursuant to the Order of Tuesday last with paper

The same is sent up to the Hon^{ble} Council by Major Phillips C^ol^l Mansfield
Signed by Order the Marchmont C^ol^l Mansfield
Mr Wright and Mr Wainwright

They Returns and say they delivered the said Bill
C^ol^l Edward Lloyd and C^ol^l Ennalls from the Hon^{ble} Council Johnson & Speaker
A Copy of one of her late Majesty's Royall Instructions to her Excellency the Governor
You shall Reduce the Salary of the members of the Assembly to such a moderate
proportion as may be most agreeable to the Country, wherein nevertheless you
are to use your Discretion so as no Inconvenience may arise there by

By her Excellency for the Council in Assembly May 16th 1715
The above being a Copy of one of the Royall Instructions to her
Excellency the Gov^r is layd before your hon^{ors} and your Sentiments Desired
thereon
Signed by Order W. Bladen C^ol^l Com^o

The following Message being prepared is Ordered to be Entered and

By the House of Delegates May the 16th 1715
May it please your Excellency

On Consideration ^{had} of the 28th Article of the
Royall Instructions to your Excellency about a House or Hall Communicated
to the House of Delegates on the 24th June 1714 and by your Excellency's
Concurrence referred to the last Session and from that to this and well
knowing that since there is no House built for a Gov^r the want thereof
must be a Considerable Charge to your Excellency - the Act of which
was Desires your Excellency will Order to be layd before this House -
that our Committee of Accounts may proceed to allow the same -
As we can assure your Excellency the Circumstances of this Province
are as yet very Low, so we hope your Excellency will so far Continue
your tender Regard of this Province, as not to Insist at present on the
Building of a House, till the Province is Deservable to raise a fund
for that Purpose, and should be very glad your Excellency would be
pleas'd to propose to us something on that Subject

Signed by Order the Marchmont C^ol^l Mansfield

The same is sent up to her Excellency the Gov^r by Mr Cowley Mr
Amos Parson, Major W. Bladen, Mr Thomas Holdsworth Mr Geo Whiting
Capt.ripp Capt. God and Mr D. Stodd

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