By his Exney and the upper house of Assembly July 19th 1716

His Exney and this board gladly Imbrace any opportunity of dispatching the publick Bussieness and doe approve of the times you have appointed to meet, and sett every day dureing this Session & assure you there shall be no delay from his Exney & his house Signed p order.

W Bladen C of the upper house of Assembly.

Col Addisson from the upper house delivers Mr Speaker the following Message Viz.

By the upper house of Assembly July 19th 1716

Upon reading the message from the Lower house by Mr Tyler and oyrs praying a Conferrence to be had relateing to the laws and the Style used when the Lord Propeys noble Ancestors had the Goverment of this Province Wee have resolved that the said Conference be granted and that the Honble Thos Brooke Esqr Col Wm Holland Col Thomas Addisson, Philemon Loyd Esqr Lt Col Richd Tilghman, and Col Thomas Smith be appointed to conferr with the Conferrees to be named by the Lower house at Six of the Clock this Evening at Mr Doolds house on that Subject. Signed p order

W Bladen C Upr ho:

Thereupon ordered that Mr Bordley, Col Mackall, John Rousby Esqr Col Scott, & Mgr James Harris, Col Hynson Mr James Lloyd, Mr Stoddert Mr Joseph Hill, Lt Col Jno Ward, Col Maxwell, and Mr Charles Wright be the Conferrees, and meet at the time and place appointed.

The house adjournes till to morrow morning 8 a Clock

Friday morning 20th of July 1716

The House was called over and mett present as Yisterday

On motion made that the Report of the Comed of accounts made the 18th May 1715 relateing to Edward Lloyd his Claiming and being allowed the Sallary of a Councellor dureing the time of his being President, on which report the house of Delegates then made a Resolution, that the said claime was unjust, and that in regard nothing further done may be now Considered, it was resolved the following Message be prepared.

By the Lower house of Assembly July 20th 1716

May It please your Exney & Honrs.

On Inspection into the Journalls of the house of Delegates dureing the time the honourable Edwd Loyd Esqr was president & Commander in chief in this province and by the testimony of Several members of this house wee find that the said Col Edwd Loyd on his allegations that he had not then Received nor had any certainty of receweing any benefit by his being President was allowed the Sallary & Itinerant charges of a Councellor amounting in the whole to 52 L 13s 6d and 29580 lb To be notwithstanding which allegations, wee find the said Col Edwd Loyd then had received part and Since received the full one half of the 9d p hhd and Sundry other perquisits Sufficient to answer his charge and attendance, and forasmuchas wee also find that none of those that Preceeded the said Col Edwd Loyd in the said Station ever was allowed Such a Sallary and charges and that by Her Matys Instructions he was Constituted a Body distinct from the rest of the Council —— Therefore resolved nemine Contradicente that the said allowances were Craved & received by him on his misinformation & that therefore the said Col Edwd Loyd ought to account for and pay the same to the publick wth which wee pray your Exney & Honrs concurrence. Signed p order Tho: Macnemara Cl Lo

Sent To the Upper house by Col Scott Col Hoskins, Mr Stoddert, Capt Mariate, Capt Dent, and Mr Tyler, they return and Say the delivered the Message