

The regulating Ordinances and the Fines for Ordaining & Licence We find
that the preceding Ordinances have hitherto observed by us is that y^e
those fines were not as requisite to the Secretary of State to which
purpose We find that the General Assembly of this Province in
the year 1713 made these Fines the Order and Remonstrance
to her late Majesty Queen Anne &c. upon the then Secretary
claiming a right to those fines which therefore we are unwilling
to give up: and for as much as by his Lordships Instructions it seems
his Lordship claiming a right thereto by his Prorogation We are unwilling
to intermeddle therewith But that as a further advantage for his Lordship that
his Lordship will be favourably pleased that those fines be applied
to the use of the school: Within this Province (Which is now a school
for the Propagation of Learning) And we are your Excellency's favourable
concurrence &c. in that behalf — signed W. Pitt
Wm Pitt Secretary to the Board

They return and say they Dislike it — (A. P. Highman from
y^e Upper house Declines y^e 1710^o Speaker the Vice for the Adjournment &c

As also and in both Courts Courts thus proceed viz: By the upper
house of Assembly June 13: 1717 — Send a Bill to the lower
and will pass — Signed J. D. Board

Dec 2: & being put whether the bill is containing the
and in case of 1713 &c: shall be necessary as in
by the said body or Whether a Petition shall be granted & answered —

Resolved the Committee of Affairs Reported the bill —
Resolved the House Adjourn till Monday (next) in the
Afternoon — Done Mr. Reading the house

most according to Adjournment — The house