

By the upper house of Assembly August the 5. 1721  
 Gent. Had you concurred with us in our Message by Esq. Hall  
 in relation to the Indians it might have saved the time of making  
 an Act for that purpose but since you are of Opinion  
 that the Laws already made do not sufficiently give authority  
 to the Governours to grant a Commission to ascertain the bounds  
 of the Indians Lands and to decide any difference between  
 the English and Indians in Dorchester County we desire  
 you prepare a Bill for that purpose it being an affair  
 of the last consequence in order to preserve peace with  
 the Indians in generall

Signed J. Order John Beall Clk. Up. Ho.

Thereupon Ordered a Bill be prepared accordingly - the  
 following Message was prepared vizt

By the Lower House of Assembly Aug. the 5. 1721  
 May it please your Hon<sup>rs</sup> This House on due consideration  
 of the Law for regulating Officers fees do find the same per-  
 petual unless the arrivall of our Lord Propy (which God Grant  
 may soon happen) should prevent it and consequently no  
 occasion of a reviving bill therefore. Signed J. Order  
 M. Senifer Clk. Lower House

and sent to the upper house by Capt. Jones and W. Maughop -  
 they return and say they delivered it - Bill for ascertain-  
 ing the bounds of the Indians Land read the first and second  
 times by Especiall Order and will pass which was so Endorsed  
 and sent to the upper house by W. Benson and W. Edmondson.  
 They return and say they delivered it -

Coll. Ward from the upper house delivers Mr. Speaker the  
 following Message vizt

By the Upper house of Assembly Aug. 5. 1721  
 Gent. By your answer to our Message concerning the Chan-  
 cellors Copying the Laws we observe you have drawn your  
 conclusion from a mistaken principle for if Chancellor is  
 not obliged to remit (as you are pleased to term it) the Laws  
 that are made to his Lordship we take it the same publick  
 that makes Laws, Ought to pay the Charges of them and this  
 we Esteem a necessary one since our Lord Propy cannot judge  
 of nor assent to theirs without having them transmitted him  
 w<sup>ch</sup> is his right to have, and we think it strange you should  
 still insist in this matter nor can we guess at the reason of it  
 we desire your calm Consideration hereon and that if you  
 have any well grounded reasons to alter so long continued