

(Colt Hammond from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the following Message  
By the Upper House of Assembly March 25<sup>th</sup> 1736  
Gentlemen

His Excellency having communicated to this House the papers here with Sent, by which it appears that notwithstanding the repeated amicable and reasonable proposals made by his Excellency to the Government of Pennsylvania for preventing any Disturbances on the Borders of the two Provinces; and notwithstanding the notice his most Sacred Majesty has been pleased to Take; and the Cognizance the High Court of Chancery of England now have of the Dispute between the Proprietaries relating to the Borders, yet several violent Attacks have been made on our Borders, and Inhabitants of this Province Imprisoned wherefore this House thinks it proper to Address his Lordship upon this Occasion, and Desires to know, if your House will Join in such Address

Signed Order  
Prof of Upper House

And Several Papers Relating to the purport thereof

Edmund Jennings Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill Entituled an Act, to Cut of the Entail of a Tract of Land containing one hundred and thirty Acres lying in Dorchester County being part of a Tract of Land called Goodridges Choice &c Indorsed, read the second time and will pass, the word Choice instead of Hope being inserted in the fourth line of the last page, which Bill here passed with Amendment for Engraving.

George Water Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill Entituled an Act, for the further assessment of 20,000 pounds of Tobacco on the Taxable Inhabitants of Durham Parish &c read the second time <sup>and</sup> Indorsed, in passed, which Bill here passed for Engraving.

Mich<sup>l</sup> Howard Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the paper Bill Entituled an act, reviving and Continuing an Act of Assembly of this Province Entituled an Act to prevent Cutting up Tobacco Plants &c The Bill, Entituled an Act, for the Building a Court House and Repository in Seaward Town in St Marys County and the Paper Bill Entituled an Act reviving and Continuing an Act, for the speedy Recovery of Small Debts, Severally Indorsed, The Engraved Bill whereof this is the Original is Read and Assented to.

The Following Message  
By the Lower House of Assembly Mar 25<sup>th</sup> 1736

May it please Your Honours

This House is Ready to Join with your Honours in Addressing our Lord Proprietary to the purpose mentioned in your Message of this Day by Colt Hammond and we most Gratefully Acknowledge his Excellencys Care for the Preservation of the Peace and Security of the Inhabitants of this Province  
Sent to the Upper House (with the Papers brought here by Colt Hammond) By M<sup>r</sup> Dulany and Col Gale

Signed Order  
Prof of Lower House