

May it please
your Honours

By the lower House of Assembly
Aug^r the 5th 1721

Your message by Esq^r ~~Wm~~ Lloyd this
House hath considered and altho' we are not
inclined to enter into Controversies neither are we
willing to burden the Country with an unnecessary
Charge as we take this to be the Privilege being
Obliged to remit them and no Law gives him an
allowance and its no Novelty for Officers to do
some thing Service by Virtue of their Office as to
the Copies sent to the several Counties they are p^d
for by each respective County for whose Service
they are sent as the Law directs and no burden to
the Publick Wherefore we cannot consent to the
payment of the Chancellor for transmitting such
Copies to great Britain

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