

ffor Answ^r to the Last the Govern^r doth assure the Lower house th^t all Instructions directed from the Propriet^r to him Concerning Land for the future shall be Published according to their desires

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Signed by Ord^r

Ri. Boughton Clke.

The Peticōn of Jo. Lytchington exhibited to this house sent to the Lower house wth the Endorsement as followeth viz^t This house doth Conceave the Province is Obliged to Pay the Petition^r Lytchington the tobaccoe & moneys Recovered by him ag^t Maultby because there was noe Prison Provided in this Province for Securing Prison^{rs} for debt & therefore doe desire the Lower house to Concurr^e wth this house in Raising the s^d 20000^{ls} of tobaccoe & 120^{ls} Sterl by an Equall Assessm^t upon the People of the Province

Signed by ord^r

Ri. Boughton Clerke.

The debate touching Billingsleys Land againe Reassumed by the Lower house & Voted th^t 2000^{ls} of tobaccoe p^o annum for 5 yeares Provided the Indians stay on the Land soe long be Paid to Billingsleys Orphans & immediatelie after the Removall of the Indians from the s^d Land this Rent to Cease & the Indians to be turned of the s^d Land at ffive yeares end Provided the Orphans & the Indians shall not agree between themselves to the Contrarie

In Answ^r to the Vōte of the Lower house touching the Surveyor Gen^ls fees this House doth Concurr^e wth the Lower house therein

An Answ^r to the Last Vote touching Billingsleys Land was returned to the Lower house as followeth viz^t This house doth not thinke it Just nor Safe to force the Indians of from th^t Land being once permitted to take footing thereon & th^t therefore the Orphan ought to have 2000^{ls} of tobaccoe allowed him yearly by the Countrey till the Assembly shall thinke fitte to Purchase the Land of the Orphan

Captaine Boreman & Major Brookes doe Signifie to this House th^t the Lower house doe Conceave their former Answ^r sufficient Whereupon Resolved by this house th^t noe further notice be taken of the Votes touching the s^d Billingsleys Land

The House is Adjourned till ffriday
Morning 9. of the Clock

On ffriday the 29th of May the House met

Present as on Wednesday

This house Rec^d from the Lower house by the hands of M^r Dent a Paper Containing as followeth viz^t A motion made