

Mr Courts and the persons of their Ministers is
to the Lordships and also to acquaint you of the pro-
ceedings of the late Assembly was for the most part approved
by them

Their Lordships have thought fit, y: y: ac-
made in last Session, viz. tituled an act for the better
supporting of Magistrates in the Administration of
Justice, and for the disabling Thomas Macneanea to
practice the Law therein should be Decreed to be null
void and of no Effect

Their Lordships are pleas'd to Express
them selves on this particular - That they do think such
a Law very necessary but for as much as there is tacked to it
articles, against a particular Person, without hearing
the party which is the violation of the Right of Secrecy one of
his Majesties Subjects, for his reason, their Lordships on my
Good advice and Deliberation are oblig'd to dissent to y: said

SENT of the lower house
I am ignorant of the matter in hand -
you to pass the aforesaid bill, more than from the reasons
set forth therein, which in my Opinion are strong
and well Express'd and the Facts alledg'd such -
Honour tells us, that I doubted not you had taken all
Measures proper to y: Occasion - But should our
and Decree that the party nam'd in the bill, did not ap-
pear himself to the upper House, where, if he had cause he might
have been reliev'd nor to me as Governor, who had as
negative Voice on that Bill Tho' there was some time discuss-
the passing it in both Houses and my fearing the deal, & wanting
to it as said out

I shall send down to your House the Opinion
of Councils tenur'd in the shews of great behaviour
on the parties - & suspension of him his practice by
that act the Cases as they are stated to the Judges