

afterwards To the Number of Thirty or forty and the Major examined them Concerning the mischeife th^t was done to M^r Hanson and others and if they knew what Jndians they were, and they told them it was the Seneca's dureing which discourse between the Major and them Came over Coll Wasshington Coll Mason and Major Alderton and they likewise Taxed them with the Murders done on their Side by them but they made the same reply as To Major Truman that it was none of them soe when they found they Could get nothing out of them Then they made it appeare th^t 3 of the Said Susquehannough Jndians were they that did the Murders on the other Side, On Munday morning early the Major Comanded M^r Cood and two or three Rankes of men Whereof himself was one To goe to the house of M^r Randolph Hanson to se if the Jndians had plundered it and if they found any amunition to bring it away which accordingly they did and after Retorne back to the forte the Depon^t Saw Six Indians guarded with the Mary Landers & Virginians and the Major with the Virginia Offic^{rs} Sitting upon a Tree Some distance from them and after Some While they all Rose and came Towards The Jndians and Caused them to be Bound, And after Some time they talked againe and the Virginia Offic^{rs} would have knocked them on the head in the place presently & perticularly Collon^t Wasshington Said what Should we keep them any longer let vs knock them on the head we shall get the Forte to day, But the Depon^t Saith th^t the major would not admit of it but was over swayed by the Virg^{ia} Officers and after further discourse the s^d Indians wer carryed forth from the place where they were bound & they knocked them on the head

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Coll Sam^t Chew and Coll Jesse Wharton [Sent] to desire the Lower howse to acquaint this [house] Whether they have drawne up a[n]y thing by way of Impeachm^t of Major Thom[as Truman] and th^t they Would please to Signifie [the Same] to this house by a Member of th[eir own] House

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Signed &c

Once Read Read in this house an Act Re[latin]g to [the] Seizure of Tobaccoe by the Sheriffe and Ordered to [be] Read the 2^d Time on Munday Morning

Read once Read in this house an Act for security of Merchants & others Tobaccoe after they have received it and ordered to be read the Second time on Munday morning

Lower house This house having things of a very high Nature
May 20 ag^t M^r Charles James, humbly desires his Lo^{pp} and
76 Upper house th^t the person of the Said Iames may be Secured and th^t if the Upper house have any thing to Communicate to this house in relacōn to any Misdemeano^{rs} of