

any I must Declare such ought not to Lye at my Door that have so often Sollicated you to Secure yourselves and those you Represent; and if my Word may be taken it was for that reason you were at this time called together

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Your Loving friend C: Baltimore

To both Houses of Assembly

A Message from the Lower house p^r M^r Cheseldyne to inform this house that their house understands by this house with the Committee for Defence of the Province must then Adjourn whereby all Business between the two houses must be Stopt, they Desire therefore that this house will first take the Bills sent from the Lower house into their Consideration so as to Send them the Result of this house thereunto—

For Answere he hath that some of the Members of this house are already out upon the Committee of Accounts who must upon reading any Bills be called in and so their Business impeded, this house therefore desire to Expedite the Committee for Defence of the Province—He returns into the Lower house—

House Adjourns till Monday Morning 9 a Clock—

Upper house mett September 12th 1681

Present

The Honourable { The Chancellor }
 { The Secretary } Coll: Coursey }
 { The Sur General } Coll: Taylor }

Coll: Lowe in Obedience to his Lordships Commands goes to the Lower house and tenders to the Speaker thereof a Letter from Coll: Chandler concerning the Indians to be Communicated to the whole house and then returned again to his Lordship, which having done he returns again into this house—

They will Send the Paper by a Member of their own M^r Cheseldyne brings Coll: Chandlers Letter and desires to know whether the Members of this house appointed for the Committee of Accounts are ready—

He is Answered the Law for Regulating the Militia &^t is now drawn up and shall be read first in this house—

A Message from the Lower house by M^r Hatton and M^r Waterton being for the return of S^t Maries County Writt, which is Delivered them and they return—

Coll: Stevens Enters—

The Law for Ordering the Militia read and passed this house—

Coll: Coursey and Coll: Stevens go to the Committee of