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Members that many of the Inhabitants of this Province are upon the Encouragement of the Said Act making considerable preparations for Tanning, The said Act Prohibiting the Exportation of Hides &^t be not repealed but stand and be in force according to the Purport and intent of the said Act hoping that the Insolency Complained of by the Upper house of some particular Tanners will in no wise impede the good Intent and Designe of the said Act, which they are Confident (Notwithstanding Some present Inconveniencies of the Same) will Soon turn to the generall good of the Province and Answer the reasons and Designs for which it was made
Signed p^r Order p^r C Boteler Cl Ass^t of the Lower house of Assembly

Adjourn for half an hour

Upper house mett again present as before.

The Secretary having Delivered the Message of this house according to the Vote of this house Yesterday returns again and Signifies the Same to this house

Then read a Petition from Diverse the Inhabitants above the head of Wicocomoco River and Divers other parts of this Province Praying an Act of Assembly for Building houses Convenient by the Water Side for Sheltering Tobaccos of the Forresters either at the Charge of the Forresters or owners of the Land, by a Iury to be Asscertained at what rates

A Letter also to M^r Carvile one of the Members of the Lower house to speak to the Same Subscribed by James Bowling, Thomas Mudd, Richard LLoyd, William Boarman Iun^r, Iohn Dent, William Rosewell, Thomas Turner, Thomas Marshall, Abraham Coombes, and Thomas Grunwin

M^r Gerrard being called Declares that he had already received Sufficient Damage by the Forresters bringing their Tobaccos, by Seamen continually Lying at his house all the time of Shipping besides the Spoiling and throwing Down his Plantation and Fencing, that he had proposed unto them to Build them Houses Sufficient for Securing their Tobaccos, and be Answerable for the Same at ten pounds Tobacco p^r hh^d

Upper house of Assembly November the 5th 1681.

This house taking into their Serious Consideration that there are Several Writts of Error upon Several Iudgments in the Provincial Court now made returnable in this house and there still Depending undetermined and finding that those Writts of Error are not Legally brought before this house according to the Manner of bringing Writts of Error in Parlia-