

Sessions and shall not be able to give any further Answer to the Bill relating to the Land Office

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Signed p^r Order p^r J LLewellin Cl of Assembly—

Sent to the Lower house by Coll: Darnall & he returns again to this house

A Petition preferred to this house by Garratt Vansweringen for further Allowances being cutt of great part of his Account thus Endorsed Viz^t

Upper house November the 10th 1681

This Petition is Recommended to the further Consideration of the Lower house, this house Judging it no ways honourable for a whole Country to receive a Mans goods and then Allow him what Rates they Please but do rather conceive it a fairer way first to Contract for the Rates or have them Settled by Order of both houses at first Meeting, So to be at a Certainty, then to make Such Defalcations at last without Consideration had to the Difference in Quality of Commodities Besides the Petitioner is no Ordinary keeper and may Sett what Rates he pleases upon his goods as Merchants use to Do

Signed p^r Order p^r Iohn LLewellin Cl of Assembly.

A Message from the Lower house p^r M^r Hosier, Captain Trippe, Cap^t Waterton, and M^r Garratt Viz^t

Lower house of Assembly Nov^r the 10th 1681

This house taking into their Consideration the last Message from the Upper house of the 10th Instant, as it stands in Relation to the Conference on the Eighth Instant and the Message of the Upper house and Our Answer thereon, on the 9th, Do say that this house had in Compliance with the Upper house Appointed a Committee to Compare the List of Temporary Laws Sent from the Upper house with the former Acts Ascertainning and Revivall of Laws, and to that End sent for the Book of Laws Yesterday and had Answer it should be Sent Presently, Sent another Message in the afternoon and had Answer the Clerk should bring it, upon which we waited till towards Night, and then seeing the Day spent the Book not brought, and Intimation given by Captain Digges that his Lordship intended this Day for the Day of Sessions made this house without reflecting the Delay resolve upon the Vote Sent yesterday which they conceive fully Answered the desires of the Upper house Expressed in the Conference and very little Short of what is Recommended in the Message Annexed to the List unless concurring in the Vote (that all other Laws of this Province contained in the Book of Laws &c^a should

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