

Alledged) too Short a time allowed for Persons Grieved to Seek their redress but desire it may be Extended to the Space of two years, for which reason only they left it out of the Act of Revivall not thinking fitt to revive it as it then stood for the reasons aforesaid Conceiving also the Surveyor General to fall within the Compass of the Act for Limitations of Actions within this Province—

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Touching the Act for the better Securing of Orphans Estates the Sense of the Lower house is that, that as it is now drawn, is Sufficient, it being in the Power of the County Courts to call to Account and the Lower house did Conceive they might be so discreet as not to call out of Season.

And for the other Act concerning Port Duties & Masters of Ships & they say that they think the Quality of the Ships or Vessells Intended by that Act is Sufficiently therein Expressed by the Words / properly belonging To this Province without any further or other Addition, and did Conceive ten Shillings a Sufficient fee for Entering or Clearing any Ship or Vessel, And as for the Kings Officers they knew not what fee was due to them upon that Acco<sup>t</sup> neither did they Concern themselves therewith—

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Mr Carvile and Mr Rousby having thus Delivered their Message return to their house—

The Opinion or Answer of this house to the Lower houses Advice to his Lordship in relation to the Indian Affair Sent by Captain Digges to the Lower house, he hath in Charge also to know of that house whether they will permitt the Attorneys to come and Argue the Errors in this house Depending all of them throughout or not—

Cap<sup>t</sup> Digges returns from the Lower house & reports that they will Send an Answer—

Mr Robert Carvile and Mr Kenelm Cheseldyne Sent from the Lower house to lett this house Know that their house had Sent them as Attorneys Concerned in the Errors Depending now to Argue the same Provided they may be Dispatched this Day for no longer may they be Spared by their house

In Answer to which this house return that they cannot Possibly Dispatch all this Day and are willing to go through with what they can if it might be convenient but do think they cannot Determine above two and then the parties concerned in the rest unheard will Complain of which they are desired to acquaint their house—They go accordingly and return with Answer that this Day and no Longer their house will Spare them

Put to the Vote in this house whether this house shall proceed to the hearing of Some of the Errors unless they can hear them all or not