

Lower house of Assembly 18th October 1683

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This house cannot Concurr with the Upper house in the Message of this Day sent to this house by John Darnall Esq^r Concerning a Bill of Attainder against Jacob Young
Signed p^r Order C Boteler Cl of the Lower house.

The house Adjourned till to Morrow Morning 9 a Clock

Friday 19th October 1683

The house mett again upon further Consultation of Jacob Young and present the Same Persons that Sat upon his Tryall, and this Message thereupon sent to the Lower house by Major Thomas Trueman Viz^t

Upper house 19th October 1683

This house have Seriously Considered of the Tryall of Jacob Young and of the Evidences that have been Examined against him and all other Circumstances relating to the Same, Do find these things following very Clearly proved against him the said Jacob, That in the Year of Our Lord 1677 when Coll Henry Coursey was Empowered by Commission from the Honourable Thomas Notely Esq^r Deputy Governor of this Province and the rest of the Council to go to Fort Albany and so Negotiate a Peace with the Northern Indians and us his Majesties Subjects in this Province and for the Pisscattaway Indians at which time he the said Coll Coursey took along with him the said Jacob Young as Interpreter and when the said Coll Coursey after his coming to Albany told the said Jacob that his Commission was to Conclude a peace (if Possible) for the Good of this Province and also for the Pisscattaway Indians; That the said Jacob made Answer; That if he had known so much before he came thither that the Susquehannahs had not to have been Included in that Peace he had rather have given 20000 ^l Tobacco than have Come with him, proved by the Oath of Coll Coursey, and that in the Year 1682 when the Northern Indians Came and Besieged the Pisscattaway Fort Coll: Henry Coursey and Coll William Stevens were sent as Agents to the Northern Indians at which time Jacob went as Interpreter and the said Jacob being required by the Agents to ask the Northern Indians why they came down to Warr with the Pisscattaways Contrary to Articles of Peace Concluded with them in the year 1677 wherein the Pisscattaways were Included at which the said Jacob said Nothing for some small time But after made Answer that if he had thought he should have spoke of any such thing to the Northern