

M^r Secretary Sewall returns having Delivered the Message
Major Weeks Cap^t Smith & M^r Ennalls from the Lower
house with this Message

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Upper house of Assembly 24th October 1683

Your Lordships most humble and Obedient Servants the Upper and Lower Houses of this present Generall Assembly with all Imaginable Gratitude acknowledging Your Lordships great Love and Affection to the Good People of this Province Expressed in your Lordships Speech made to your two houses at the opening of this Sessions and more particularly in Convening this Assembly and Appointing your Lordships Provincial Court to be held in this place so near the Center of your Lordships Province for the great Ease and General Conveniency of the Inhabitants thereof do with all Dutifull Affection hereby present to Your Lordship their most Humble and hearty thanks; And do further pray your Lordship to Signifie to both houses what place your Lordship Intends all future Assemblies Provincial Courts and Offices shall be held and kept at that they may take Speedy Course to make Provision of Buildings fitt for the reception thereof and this house desires the Concurrence of the Lower house therein

Signed p^r Order C Boteler Cl of the Lower house—

M^r Hatton and Major Long with this Message from the Lower house.

Lower house 24th October 1683

This house having taken into Consideration the Message sent from the Upper house the 20th of October Instant concerning giving thanks to and Acceptable present to M^r Duell Pead for preaching his Learned Sermon before the Two houses the 14th Instant, This house do Concurr with the Upper house, that thanks be thefore given unto him the said M^r Pead by M^r Speaker for and in the Name of the Lower house Butt cannot Concurr with the Upper house in giving any present according to the aforesaid Message.

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Signed p^r Order C Boteler Cl of the Lower house of Assembly

M^r Hutchins and M^r Green from the Lower house with this other Message Viz^t

Lower house 24th October 1683

This house understanding by the Paper Message this Day brought by the Honourble Major Sewall that their Bill for Lessening the Number and Bettering the Breed of Horses is Rejected by the Upper house, and this house having Con-