

that those articles should affect his Ex^{cy} but the whole Assem- Original
bly and Govern^t the which if true will prove of dangerous Journal.
consequences.

Therefore his Ex^{cy} is pleased to declare that he has power to comand any person in this Government in matters relating to his Matys imediate service and good of the Country as this is, and if nothing be done in Compliance thereto the house must expect that all the ill consequences and damages which may ensue for want of such answer will be Justly layd to your charge.

Signed p order.
Hen: Denton, Cłk: Councill.

Whereto Resolved the following Message be sent.

By the house of Delegates March the 31st 1698.

This house have considered of the Message relating to the four articles contened in M^r Slyes paper and do not think fitt to alter their former vote therein.

Signed p order.
W. Bladen Cłk: hos: Del:

Seeing the house are not willing that an ordinance should not pass against such persons as entice the people out of the province, this Board do acquitt themselves of all manner of inconvenience, and damage that shall happen to the Country thereby and must necessarily declare the reason thereof to p. 202
proceed from the houses dissent in passing such an Ordinance.

Signed p order
Hen: Denton Cłk: Councill.

By his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r and Council in Assembly
March the 30th 1698.

It is proposed that the house should give some answer whether they think it necessary to send to his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r of New York about the Indians and that if you are of the opinion the susquehannah Indians do not live within the Limitts of this Govern^t His Ex^{cy} will have nothing to do with them.

As to the Susquehannah Indians we have formerly given our opinion according to the best Informacōn we can gett, that they are not within the Limitts of this Govern^t And as to sending to the Gove^r of New York the house see no necessity thereof.