

By her Majesty's Council in Assembly Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1710

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This Board having had long and serious Consideration and Debate upon the House's Message relating to the Aggrievance offered by the Grand Jury and the redressing thereof some of us are of Opinion that the Enacting such a Law as desired would very much intrench upon her Majesty's Royal Prerogative in restraining her supreme Court of Common Law within this Province from taking Cognizance of Actions to be brought for the Sums proposed. But as to that Part of the Aggrievance relating to the suing of Drawers and Indorsers in seperate Actions if your House can find any expedient to remedy it we shall heartily join with you

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Co.

Which being read and debated Resolved it be answered as followeth.

By the House of Delegates Nov<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> 1710

In Answer to your Message by M<sup>r</sup> Young and three other Members of your Board this House do say that unless a Bill be brought this Session for restraining the Provincial Court's Jurisdiction their Meeting here has been only to burthen the Country; neither can they see wherein it will intrench upon her Majesty's Prerogative and are very sorry some particular Interests should obstruct a Bill so highly necessary for the Good and Welfore of the Province.

And have Resolved no other Expedient can relieve the Aggrievance. Neither can this House proceed on any other Business till such a Bill be assented to; and therefore pray your Honours Concurrence.

Signed p Order Rich<sup>d</sup> Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.

Sent up to the Honble Council by Major Gale, M<sup>r</sup> Worthington, M<sup>r</sup> Bowles, M<sup>r</sup> Greenfield, M<sup>r</sup> Pearce, M<sup>r</sup> Harris, M<sup>r</sup> Mariartee, M<sup>r</sup> Hill, M<sup>r</sup> Bordley, M<sup>r</sup> Dare, M<sup>r</sup> Mackall, M<sup>r</sup> Crabb, M<sup>r</sup> Storey, M<sup>r</sup> Maxwell, M<sup>r</sup> Philips, Col<sup>o</sup> Lowe, M<sup>r</sup> Ungle, M<sup>r</sup> Eccleston, M<sup>r</sup> Campbell, M<sup>r</sup> Vanderheyden, M<sup>r</sup> Tyler, M<sup>r</sup> Bradford, M<sup>r</sup> Salter and M<sup>r</sup> Hemsley.

They return and say they delivered the same

The House adjourned till to Morrow Morning Nine O'Clock

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 1710

The House met according to Adjournment. Being called were present as yesterday except M<sup>r</sup> Hunt who had Leave to be absent, M<sup>r</sup> Jowles sick, and M<sup>r</sup> Greenfield with him