

L. H. J. The Same is sent up to the Hoñble Council by Capt Charles Ballard and M<sup>r</sup> John Purnell.

They return and say they delivered the same

Col<sup>o</sup> Thomas Greenfield, John Hall Esq<sup>r</sup> and Col<sup>o</sup> William Whittington from the Hoñble Council deliver M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the following Message Viz.

By his Excy the Governor and Council in Assembly  
May the 9<sup>th</sup> 1715.

Gent.

We cannot omit remarking to your House that this Sessions of Assembly has now set near fifteen Days in which Time very little of the publick Business is compleated therefore we must desire you will not take it in ill part we put you in Mind of that Clause of his Excy's Speech at the Opening of this Session intimating the great Burthen the Province sustains by frequent and long Sessions of Assembly

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Council.

Col<sup>o</sup> William Whittington from the Hoñble Council delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill for supplying a Defect in John Parramore's Will with the following Indorsement Viz.

By the Council in Assembly  
May the 9<sup>th</sup> 1715

Upon reading the Affidavit to the Bill annexed it does not appear to this Board that Judicial Notice was given the Possessor of the Land and the Hoñble Col<sup>o</sup> Whittington is desired to lay an original Letter directed to him from Thomas Parramore before the Delegates.

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Council.

The said Letter is as follows.

February the 21<sup>st</sup> 1714-15

Col<sup>o</sup> Whittington,  
Sir,

After my humble Service to You this comes to desire you to send Word by my Coz. Diamond how my Cause stands about my Land for I am informed unless somebody appears for me that Judgment will pass ag<sup>t</sup> me next Court therefore I beg you to mind that Point also. I desire you to send me