

U. H. J. Upon due observation made of the af^d Lease & that his Excellency the Governour has given the Country Assurance of those Rents & Alienation Fines upon passing a Bill for an additional Duty of 6^d p hh^d to his Ldship

His Excellency is pleased to say that It is very hard Usage he receives, and that his Reputation is lessened and that he can never give any Credit to such a person as M^r Charles Low Who drew that Lease after such positive Letters to offer the bargain to the Country

Resolved that the Scheme proposed by M^r Carrol & the Lease now Cancelled be sent to the House with the following message Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly
July the 24th 1716

Gentlemen,

We herewith send you M^r Carrols Scheme relating to a compensation for extinguishing the Tob^o Rents and Alienation Fines & also a Lease made by his Lordship's noble Guardian to M^r Henry Darnal upon whose generous Declaration this day in this House that he would not interfere with the Interest of his Ldship & the Country & refusal to accept thereof M^r Carrol has cancelled the same so that tho his Excellency thinks He has been hardly dealt with in that such a Lease should have been made after the directions he had received to make this offer to the Country yet now the publick have it in their option to consider of this matter & scheme proposed And whether It may be for their Interest to accept the Bargain on the Terms of raising the whole Six pence p hh^d or otherwise paying his Ldship three hundred pounds Sterl p annum & the Tob^o in the Scheme mentioned to his several Officers. We desire you to observe that there is 110000 tob^o reserved in the Scheme beyond what is allotted his Ldship's standing Officers (mentioned in the Lease) & must be applied to the Charge of keeping his Ldship's Rent Roll

Signed p order W Bladen Cl Up Ho.

Sent to the Lower House by all the Members of his Lordship's Council

On which occasion the House Adjourned for a Quarter of an Hour & immediately Sat again

His Excellency was pleased by the honble Col Holland to send to the Speaker of the Lower House as followeth Viz.

M^r Speaker

I think my Reputation to be very much concerned that such