

Which is ordered to be Considered of on Thursday next. L. H. J.

M^r Bordley from the Committee of laws delivers M^r Speaker a letter by that Com^{ee} prepared to Co^l Nath^a Blackiston the agent for this Province requesting him to preferr the address presented to his Ma^{ty} and the address presented to his Lordship the Lord Proprietary and thereupon the following Message was prepared and sent to the Upper house with the same (viz)

July 31st 1716

May It please y^r Hon^{rs}

In Compliance with your Message by the Hon^{ble} John Hall Esq^r wee have prepared a letter to the Hon^{ble} Co^l Nath^a Blackiston requesting him to present the addresses of the Upper and Lower houses of this present General Assembly to his Ma^{ty} and the Lord Prop^{ty} which is herewith sent for your perusal and amendm^t if you shall think proper.

Signed p order Tho Macnemara Cl: Lo: ho:

Sent up to the Up^r house by Co^l Hoskins and M^r Turbutt they return and say they delivered it.

Philemon Lloyd Esq^r from the Upper house delivers M^r ^{p. 186} Speaker the Letter prepared by the Com^{ee} of Laws to the Hon^{ble} Co^l Nath^a Blackiston which was ordered to be entred as follows (Viz)

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Wee herewith give you the trouble of two addresses the one to his Ma^{ty} the other to the Lord Proprietary and desire your Assistance in the haveing them presented as directed and that you will favour us with a line by way of remark on the manner of their Reception.

Wee think our selves under more obligations for your frequent good services than your Generosity would allow us to Compensate.

Wee must never the less yet desire a Continuance of your favourable Sollicitations and nothing in us shall be wanting, to demonstrate the grateful sense wee have of your good offices and that wee are

Your most obedient humble Ser^{ts}

Which letter was Signed by Co^l William Holland on behalf of the Upper house and by M^r Speaker on behalf of the Lower house.

Then the house adjourned till to morrow morning 8 a Clock