

Att a Conference held at the house of M^r John Dodd on U. H. J. Thursday June 6th 1717 In relation to An Act to be made for Regulating Ordinaries &c.

The Conferrees appointed are

The Honble	{	Col W ^m Coursey Phil Loyd Esq ^r & Col Ric ^d Tilghman	}	Of the Uper House of Assembly	
The Honble	{	Col Jn ^o Mackall M ^r Robert Tyler Capt S ^t Leiger Codd	}	Col James Maxwell M ^r Jos. Hill & Cap ^t Rich Colegate	} of the lower house of Assembly

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The Committee Adjourns till six a Clock to morrow morning

Friday morning June 7th

The Conferrees meet According to Adjournment p^rsent as above

Whereupon the said Conferrees proceed to Consider the Subject matter of their meeting Concerning the Act af^d And upon due Consideration & debate thereof, the said Conferrees agreed that instead of the words mentioned in the preamble of the said Law, accept of those Fines &c. these words following be inserted Viz. Accept of our readiness in laying the fines proposed on the Ordinary Lycences. Which we humbly referr to the Consideration of the uper house.

Signed p Order Jn^o Beale Cl Conferrees

M^r John Rousby and three others with a bill ascertaining the Guage & Tare of Tob^o hh^{ds} And to prevent Cropping Cutting & defaceing Tobacco taken on board Ships or Vessels upon freight & for laying Impositions on Tobacco by the hogshead &c. Amended, With the following Message

By the lower house of Assembly June 7th 1717

May it please your Hon^{rs}

We have Considered your Hon^{rs} message by Philcmon Lloyd Esq^r of yesterday with the method proposed as a regulation of the Law relateing to his Lordship's revenue And by that it seems their Lordships understand the giving up the quit rents and Alienation fines as an Inducement to the raising the whole duty of three shillings and three pence p hogshead which never was the sense of the Country but that the fifteen pence

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