

I Know no right of theirs that is Infringed and if any there be lett them make it appear (in the name of God) that they may have Justice done them And that this Province may no longer Labour under the Misapprehensions of their right under the Imputation of Severities against them. But if there be none such lett their Silence be taken as an Acknowledgment that their Pretensions are groundless and their Exclamations most Unreasonable

U. H. J.

I am the more Intent on this proceeding that I may have the Opportunity of Answering for you here and hereafter, the Better to prevent their Impositions on Strangers to their Case and on the Credulity of unguarded minds by their Amusements.

Gentlemen of the Lower House

I have sev<sup>ll</sup> other Matters proper for Your Consideration which shall be Comunicated to you by way of Message In <sup>p. 15</sup> the mean time I do Earnestly recomend to you unanimity and Dispatch in your pceedings, And I do not doubt (whatever vain hopes Others may have) you will make it Evident to Posterity that you are Good Subjects good Protestants and Lovers of your Country.

April the 6<sup>th</sup> 1720

John Hart.

Thereupon M<sup>r</sup> Speaker & the whole House withdraw.

Put to the Question whether the thanks of this house be returned to the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Sam<sup>l</sup> Skippon for his Discourse this day.

Resolved in the Affirmative nemine Contradicente. Likewise his Excy Desires his thanks to be returned

And Ordered that the Hon<sup>ble</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Holland Esq<sup>r</sup> & Tho<sup>s</sup> Bordley Esq<sup>r</sup> return the said Sam<sup>l</sup> Skippon thanks as above Resolved, And likewise doe the same for his Excy the Gov<sup>r</sup>

This House Adjourns untill the Afternoon

Post Meridiem

This House meet according to Adjournment

Present

His Excellency the Governour

Col Holland	Col Tilghman
Col Young	Esq <sup>r</sup> Lowe
Col Addison	Col. Ward
Phil Lloyd Esq <sup>r</sup>	Thomas Bordley Esq <sup>r</sup>