

L. H. J. Thereupon the following Message is sent to the Upper House by Cap<sup>t</sup> Hooper and Maj<sup>r</sup> Skinner viz.

By the Lower House of Assembly

July the 23<sup>d</sup> 1726

May it please your Hon<sup>rs</sup>

In answer to your Message of the 19<sup>th</sup> Instant by John Hall p. 30 Esq<sup>r</sup> and of the 23<sup>d</sup> Instant by Nicholas Lowe Esq<sup>r</sup> We are in hopes that by next Session of Assembly We shall better see the Effects of the Act made in October Assembly last relating to the runaway Negroes to the Shuano Town And as We hope this Session is near a Conclusion, We desire that the further Consideration thereof may be referr'd till next Session of Assembly and that your Honours will Concurr with us therein

Signd p Order M Jenifer Cl. lo. ho.

They return and Say they delivered it

A Bill for relief of Josias Sunderland was read the first & second Times by especiall Order & past which was so endorst and Sent to the Upper House by M<sup>r</sup> Benj<sup>a</sup> Mackall & Maj<sup>r</sup> Skinner.

They return & Say they delivered it

John Hall Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker The same Bill thus endorst viz.

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Read and will pass.

Signd p Order Geo: Plater Cl. up H<sup>o</sup>

Thereupon the same past for engrosing

The Journall of the Comittee of Accounts was read and Assented to & was so endorst and sent to the Upper House by the Gent of that Co<sup>m</sup>ittee.

They return and say they delivered it.

The House proceeds to tax the Fees on the following Bills viz.

On W <sup>m</sup> Bozman's Bill To the ho <sup>n</sup> ble Speaker	£1..—..-
To the Clerk	—..10..-
On Thomas Osborn's Bill To the ho <sup>n</sup> ble Speaker	1..—..-
To the Clerk	—..10..-