

cautions as May be most Necessary to hinder any Danger that may U. H. J. Arise therefrom.

Signed ꝑ Order John Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

A Message from the lower House by Cap^t Gordon and M^r Knight.

By the Lower House of Assembly July 27th 1731

May it please Your Honours.

We cannot agree to Joyn with Your Honours in requesting His Excellency the Governour to Licence M^r Woodward to land his Salt from on Board the Charming Molly upon any other termes than those proposed in Our former Message.

Signed ꝑ Order W^m Cumming Cl. Lo. Ho.

Adjourned till to Morrow Morning Eight a Clock

Wednesday Morning 28th July 1731.

July 28

This House met again According to Adjournment.

Present as Yesterday

The following Message being prepared is Sent to the lower House by John Hall Esq^r

By the Upper House of Assembly 28th July 1731.

Gentlemen.

The Commissioners Appointed to receive runaway Slaves taken up beyond Monococy, & pay the takers up of such Slaves the Summe of five pounds Current Money directed by Act of Assembly, being gone off with what money has been advanced for that purpose And Whereas Flayl Pain an Inhabitant of those parts hath now brought a runaway Slave from beyond Monococy, We propose that the s^d Person be immediately paid out of the publick Stock the summe of five pounds Current Money, and also that a further Summe be ordered into such Commissioners hands as shall hereafter be Appointed for the purposes in the said Act mentioned

Signed ꝑ Order John Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

A Message from the lower House by M^r King and M^r Robins.

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By the lower House of Assembly July 28th 1731.

May it please Yo^r Honours

We agree with your Honours that Flayl Pain should immediately receive the reward due by Law for takeing up the Negroe mentioned in your Message and to that end have Ordered James Holladay Esq^r