Beddoe Clerk of the Land Office, by one Letter signed as before L.H.J. directed to Levin Gale Esqr who has the keeping of the Records of Lib. No. 46 the Land Office dated the 12th July 1739 with their respective Answers included in an Order of Council hereunto annext, dated the 1st day of August 1739 whereby we were refused the Copies applied for in pursuance of your Order, as by the said Order of Council will appear.

We further Represent, That in hopes of being able to comply with your Instructions we again applied for Authentick Copies of the necessary Records and Papers to be Transmitted to support the said Addresses, and offered Payment for the Copies and Authenticating the same, as may appear by a Letter directed to Mr William Ghiselin Deputy Clerk of the Provincial Court, dated the 6th day of October 1739, and Signed C. Carroll and Vachel Denton, and an Assumption of the same date, for the lawful Fees arising due thereon directed to the said Ghiselin, signed C. Carroll, and the said Ghiselins Answer, included in another Order of Council hereunto also annexed, dated the 11th October 1739 by which we were likewise refused the said Copies notwithstanding our Conformity to the Terms of the first denying Order of Council, dated the first of August 1739 in tendring Payment for the said Copies; by all which means and Denials we have hitherto been entirely prevented from complying with your Instructions and Orders, whereby the said Addresses remain unpresented

And that your Honourable House may be fully Satisfied of our dutiful Conduct and Demeanour to his Excellency the Governor, the said Officers and their under Clerks, we humbly pray that our Remonstrance to his Excellency, and several Letters incerted in the Orders of Council hereunto annexed may be Read and Approved or Disapproved as they deserve whereby we may be acquitted of any imputation of irregular Proceedings, ill Practices Opposition, Disobedience, or Undutifulness to Government, which are Attempted by the Order of Council hereunto annext to be laid to our Charge, All which is humbly submitted to the Consideration of your Honourable House

James Calder,

Edward Sprigg

John Magruder

C Carroll, V. Denton Turnor Wootton

Osborn Sprigg

Which was Read, and Ordered to lie on the Table, for Considera- p. 23 tion to morrow morning,

The House Adjourns to the Morrow Morning at nine of the Clock