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representatives of this Province, acquainting them with the Purport thereof, and requesting them to meet at this Place without delay, and accordingly they met here on Monday last, to the Number of Sixteen, being a large Majority of the Representatives of this Province, the Whole consisting of Twenty-five Persons; but his Excellency our Governor being applied to, did not think it expedient to call them together on the Occasion, which is the Reason of their not sending a Committee, as proposed by your House, for you may be assured, Sir, that no Representatives on this Continent, can more sincerely concur in the Measures proposed, than do the Representatives of this Province now met together, neither can any People, as Individuals, more warmly Espouse the Common Cause of the Colonies, than do the People of this Province.

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The Gentlemen now present, request it as a Favour, you'll be pleased to send me a Copy of such Representation as may be agreed upon by the several Committees at New-York, and acquaint me how, and in what Manner, the same is to be lain before the King and Parliament, whether by any Person particularly authorized for that Purpose, or by the Colony Agents. The General Assembly of this Province stands Prorogued to the 22<sup>d</sup> Day of October next, which is the Time it generally meets for the Dispatch of the Ordinary Business of the Province; and I doubt not, the Representatives of this Province, will then, in their Legislative Capacity, take under Consideration, the Grievances so justly complain'd of, and transmit their Sense of the same to Great-Britain, in such Way, as may seem best calculated to obtain Redress, and so as to convince the Sister Colonies of their inviolable Attachment to the Common Cause. I am, Sir,

To Samuel White, Esq; }  
Speaker of the House }  
of Representatives of }  
Massachusetts, &c. }

Your most obedient,  
And most humble Servant  
Alexander Willy.

New-Hampshire.

Mr. Speaker laid before the House, a Letter from the Honourable Speaker of the Honourable House of Representatives of the Province of the Massachusetts-Bay, to the Speaker of this Assembly, proposing a Meeting, of Committees, from the several Assemblies of the British Colonies on the Continent, at New-York, to consider of a general, united, dutiful, loyal, and humble Representation of our Circumstances, and for imploring his Majesty and the Parliament for Relief: Which being Read,

Resolved, That notwithstanding we are Sensible such Representation ought to be made, and approve of the proposed Method for obtaining thereof, yet the present Situation of our Governmental Affairs will not permit us to appoint a Committee, to attend such