

11.th It was thereby meant, that Plaintiffs should have the same Liberty, as heretofore, in entering Judgments, but that where by Consent or Agreement a Release of Penalty shall be entered the Sheriff shall not Levy nor Charge Commission on a larger Sum than the Terms of the Release shall require and in such Case also the Sheriff shall not be liable in any Action of Escape for a larger Sum than the Terms of the Release shall require, the Payment of, and Interest thereon.

12.th Adhered to.

14.th Adhered to except that the Time for payment of Money instead of the 10.th of April may be extended to the 10.th of June.

15.th Adhered to.

16.th From an Assurance that the Bill would not finally pass, in regard to the Clergy, on the general Alternative given by it, this proposition appeared to be expedient in order to prevent any possible disappointment on this Account. If however instead of leaving the Clergy altogether out of the Bill, on a Consideration of the Convenience to Farmers and others who do not make Tobacco, and effectually to prevent their Oppression, it should be thought proper to provide that the Clergys Dues may be discharged in the manner directed by the late Inspection Act, or that the Clergy should be included in the Bill with respect to the Farmers, and others not making Tobacco, and Subject to the Regulation of the said Act in that Behalf and with respect to the Planters be altogether excluded, the Upper House will make p. 576 no Objection in any of the above Cases.

The Conferees Adjourn until 5 oClock in the Afternoon

Post Meridiem

The Conferees met according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

The Conferees of the Lower House deliver to those of the Upper House the following.

After what passed between the two Houses at the last Session of Assembly, and the propositions that were then agreed upon relative to the Officers Lawyers and Clergy, We did not expect your Honours would have made Propositions so widely different at this Session on the same Subject. We are instructed not to agree to them. We esteem those Points the most material of any that remain unsettled; and altho we are extremely desirous of bringing about a Regulation of the Staple, and providing a handsome Support for the Officers and Clergy, yet if your Honours still decline a Conference on the New Table of Fees, which we consider as an Explanation and Correction of the Old Table, and