

the Other Governments of America, & w<sup>th</sup> I find by the proceedings of Assembly was all that y<sup>e</sup> Lower house themselves pretended to contend for in the Late Governours times

and tho' I am very far from desiring any unjust Articles to be inserted or contended for in y<sup>e</sup> Levy Bill yet I must require you in y<sup>e</sup> most special Manner not suffer any of the Just fees & Perquisites of the Officers, or any of y<sup>e</sup> necessary Expence of y<sup>e</sup> Govern<sup>r</sup>, particularly in Relation to y<sup>e</sup> Indians, to be disallow<sup>d</sup> of by y<sup>e</sup> Lower house, but that you absolutely refuse to pass y<sup>e</sup> said Bill, unless fair & equal Justice be done to all Persons without Distinction.

and you are likewise to take Care that in all y<sup>e</sup> Penal parts of Laws, the Fines be Applied to the Support of Government as usual

As to my private Property, w<sup>ch</sup> is so much under y<sup>e</sup> Care both as Governour & Chancellor I desire nothing but Equal Justice w<sup>th</sup> my Tenants in all respects, and that, as you will always have it in y<sup>e</sup> View to do Justice to them, you may have y<sup>e</sup> same regard to my Just Rights of Property & be particularly careful that in all Acts relating to Land Officers, there be nothing inserted in them to my Prejudice, & I hope you will always take Care to consult w<sup>th</sup> my Agents in Every thing relating to my Interest, & have a due Regard to the Just Representations

and if any thing of Very Great Consequence comes under y<sup>e</sup> Consideration, that you suspend doing any thing therein, till you have Acquainted me w<sup>th</sup> it & received my Directions