

Paid, still Provided that he have his remedy against Maullby for his whole Debt in such manner as if nothing had been allowed him on his said Petition

Signed J. Order Richard Boughton

Major Brook and Captain Boreman brought a Vote of the Lower house that a Message be sent to this House to desire them to Join two or more of their Members with the Committee of the Lower house to make a Committee of both Houses for the Drawing up of Laws and other Business to be done by the Votes of both Houses, the Names of the Committee of the Lower house are Mr. Robert Carville Mr. Philemon Lloyd Mr. Thomas Dent Captain William Burgess Mr. Richard Woolman Mr. Daniel Clerk Mr. William Berrie and Capt. Thomas Howell

This house do think fit to Resolve themselves into a Committee and Desire that the Lower house will give notice when their Members will be ready

Mr. Taylor and Mr. Truman sent to Desire the Lower house to Consider of the Dangerous Consequences which will of necessity happen by this House's Condescending that all Laws in England should be in force in this Province for the Tryall of Criminals without some Reservation to Consider of the Conveniencis of this Province, the Laws of England being in those Cases especially so Voluminous and often times are Repealed without our know- ledge; therefore this house Desires the Lower House to take into their serious Consideration how unsafe it will be for the Judges of this Province to Proceed against Criminals by any such uncertain Laws and therefore it is the Desire of this house that the Lower house will Consider of so many of the Laws of England for the Proceedings aforesaid that the Judges may be ascertained of such their Proceeding, Besides the Consideration of such Laws as may be in force which if unknown to this Province may be of Dangerous Consequence

Mr. Hatton and Mr. Bowles do signify to this house the Concurrence of the Lower house in the Proceeding Vote

Ordered that this house be Resolved into a Committee to Join with the Members appointed by the Lower house

Mr. Taylor Desired to signify to the Lower house the Concurrence of this house with them in their last Vote for Amending the Laws in Charles County and to Desire the Lower house to Prepare a Bill as they shall think fit

Voted by this house that no Rum, Molasses, Sugar, flower Malt, Wheate, Barley, Beer, Cyder, Perry, or Quince Drink be Imported from New England, New York or Virginia into this Province the said Vote sent down by Mr. Truman

The house Adjourned till the Afternoon

The house met, Present

The Governor, Baker Brooke Esq. & Jesse Wharton
The Honourable Chancellor Enters after the sitting of the House
The house is Adjourned till 9 of the Clock to Morrow Morning