

M^r Parker called in and to the Juris of this house as about makes -
answer that those persons named in the petition for the Petitioners Council
were never employed by him. So cannot prejudice him in that case, he only
leaves that the same may not come regularly in for this house, he is satisfied
the said petition was thus laid for byt -

Lower house 6th May 1682 -

This house have read the petition within written and do recommend the
same to the consideration of his Lordship and the Upper house that there be
Council assigned him to state his case in order to his hearing his Grievance
in the Assembly -

Signed for order This Governor (of the Lower house -
and thus answered byt - Upper house 8th May 1682 -

Let the Persons named in the petition for Council to be assigned the
petitioner state the case so as to make appear and satisfy this house how it may
properly and legally come before them, and then this house will take the same
into their consideration. Voted that M^r George Parker go with Col: Stovens
to the Lower house with this message, and that the Lower house be desired
to intimate to the house what time the state of the case may be prepared,
that M^r Parker may also have liberty to hear the same, and make his
Defense thereto. -

Signed for order by John Ker (of the Assembly)

Brought into this house by the Clerk the articles of Peace made
with the Spaniards anno 1666 and Confirmed 1670, and sent together with
the petition of Joseph Tilly to the Lower house by Col: Tucker Col: Stovens,
as also the articles last made with the Emperor of Austria and the States
These things being entered in the Council Book which Col: Stovens is
Ordered to read to the Lower house and bring back the Book with him -

A Message from the Lower house by Col: William Burgess and
Richard Wall they say that the Lower house is not well satisfied with the
Depositions sent them concerning their information against Wall
but humbly desire that the Ship may be searched and some of the articles
be made his Lordship would be pleased to require good Security to make
Good the Penalty in the Act provided in case any thing hereafter shall be
proved which they hope to Do, besides both the said Wall and his Doctor
and Beatorquine do acknowledge five Lines on Board which they say
is a breach of the Act -

In answer whereunto this house will Consider; they return to their
House - Upper house 8th 1682 -

The Lower house is desired to explain in writing to this house -
their last Message by Col: Burgess and M^r Richard Wall that this house
may regularly proceed in conformity with the request of the Lower house -