

A Letter from Coll Sayer and a Petition of Charles Devonish craving letters and for being prest to attend Mr. Plowman to Newcastle being an officer sent by the King to New York the Petition thus Indorsed and sent to the Lower house

This house have read this Petition and the Letter annexed and are sensible that the Business in which the Persons were Employed was the Kings Business and was done for his immediate Service and therefore this house refer the Consideration thereof to the Lower house

Signed J. Order Thomas Grunwin C of Assembly

This and Charles Lanes Petition sent by Major Sewall who returns having Delivered the same

The house Adjourns till to Morrow Morning 4 a Clock

The 4th of December 1688 The Upper house sat again

Present

The honourable - { William Joseph Esq. & Major Nicholas Sewall }  
{ Coll Henry Darnall } { Clement Hill Esq. } -

The Bill for preservation of Orphans reall Estates read the second time and sent to the Lower house by Major Sewall with this Message viz

Upper house 4th December 1688

This house do send to the Lower house the Act for preservation of Orphans reall Estates the same is approved of in this house and this house will assent thereto when the same is fairly Engrosped

Signed J. Order Thomas Grunwin C of Assembly

He returns and says he has delivered the same

The house Adjourned for half an hour

The house sat again present as before

Mr. Jones from the Lower house and brings this Message

Lower house 4th December 1688

This house have appointed 4 members to Argue their Grievances and pitch upon to Morrow two a Clock in the afternoon for the same, If the honourable Deputy Governours will be then ready to hear them

Signed J. Order of the Lower house William Dent C

Mr. Dare from the Lower house with this Message

Lower house 4th December 1688

The Members of this house yesterday appointed to Join with the honourable Coll Pye to Consult of Reparations have attended this Day at the place last night agreed on But his honour doth not Come to them

This house desire to know the reason thereof and if the said Coll Pye bend in that house whether the Upper house will Join any other Member with them to proceed to finishing their Charge

Signed J. Order of the Lower house William Dent C

Mr. Jones from the Lower house with the act about a Town in Newcombes river

Mr. Clement Hill goes to the Lower house with this Message

Upper house of Assembly 4 December 1688

As to the message by Mr. Dare touching the Repairs of the Town in se