

to abhor the act which untill now hath been termed by all persons, those that were the Executioners only excepted, the most execrable of Murders.

That the Crime was not Maliciously perpetrated as to authority this House doth believe, but if it was done treacherously and that in it a great and unheard of wickedness was committed, by the Lower House cannot be denied, and whether by the action the Province will not be prejudiced and many English murdered, His L^{ty} and this House leaves to the further Consideration of the Lower House no way pressing them to Recede from their soe positive Vote only desiring them that they will take notice that what is now under eyes at their doors and not with us who are positive in this, that His L^{ty} and upper House dare not, and therefore Resolved not to proceed upon an act which onely beares y^e title of an act of Attainder.

This paper was sent to y^e Lower house by Sent: Coll^o: Tho: Tailor.

The paper touching the Ranging of Horsemen with y^e petition of the Inhabitants of the Freshes of Retewon River being read and it being put to the Vote whether the Troopers bee allowed y^e Tobacco (more Friday Sea or Noe, voted in y^e Affirmative. Signed &c.

In Answer to y^e Message Yesterday from the Lower House touching the bill Entituled an act prohibiting Ammunition to be sold, given or lent to the Indians, This House are of opinion y^e Noe English man in this Juncture will sell, y^e Indians, Armes or Ammunition and y^e to passe this act will but give the English an opportunity to tell y^e Indians we have prohibited the Sale of Armes &c to them by which we shall Create in them Jealousies to the prejudice of our present peace. and therefore lay the bill aside.

Signed &c:

Came here by Order of this house yesterday Mr. Edmundo and Mr. May Tilhman Plaintifes and Mr. Quigly Def^t in a writt of Error? here depending in this house and Recited hereabove and the said writt of Error together with the Records and proceedings allating thereunto as alsoe the Error assigned thereupon by y^e Def^t being read together with the demures of y^e Def^t thereto.

This house will advise upon y^e Judgment to be given, thereupon till tuesday next, on which day the parties on both sides are to attend this house.

The house is adjourned till 10 of the Clock on Tuesday Morning.

On Tuesday at 10 a clock, The house met.

Present The Honble: Chancell^r: Secretary, Survey^r: Gen^l: Coll^o: Sam^l: Chew, Coll^o: Jesse Wharton, Sent: Coll^o: Thomas Taylor.

The house is adjourned till 10 a clock on Wednesday Morning.

On Wednesday June y^e 7th. The house met.

Lower House
June 7th