

then of another made us do it. But we Ingeniously Confess that we thought you self would Reckon you self soe Intirely possesed of our Party affections and therefore doe secure ever from unworthy Conceptions of you self that you would have noe Reluctance to have that unhappy act repealed, which we humbly desire may soe be.

Signed by Order

Chas Gregory Clk. House of Debs.

Ordered that Mr. Wm Harris and Maj. Jm Whittington Carry the said Message to His Exc^{ty} and Council, who returne and say they do the same. Read over the Journall of the Committee of Acc^{ts} and approved by this House.

Ordered that Major Thomas Smith and Capt. Philip Hopkins Carry the same to His Exc^{ty} and Council, who returne and say they do the same. The Honble Thomas Jenck and Francis Jenkins Esq^r Enter the House and sent the following Message (viz)

By the Governour and Council in Assembly July 21th 1699.
Upon Reference had by this Board to the Journall of the Committee last Session for stating the Revenue you will find $\$$ Money Lodged in His Exc^{ty} Col^l. Nicholsons hands late Gov^r here which we suppose ready on all occasions.

Signed by Order

W Bladen Clk. Council.

By His Exc^{ty} the Gov^r and Council in Assembly July 21th 1699.
The Houses Message by Mr. Harris and Maj. Whittington being read at the Boards and considered we are willing the Law desired should be repealed.

Signed by Order, W Bladen Clk. Council.

By the Council in Assembly July 21th 1699.
Sents: Your Message by Capt. Hill and others has been read and considered and as to your Acknowledgm^{ts} to His Exc^{ty} we agree therewith and he will returne you Answer in due time.

As to your proposall of applying all the Money in Bank to defray the Publick Leavy - we can by noe means advise it considering the present Uncertainty of the Indians Resolution or what their designs may be and the necessity of keeping some visible force for the defence of the frontiers besides what accidents or Emergencies may happen at present unknowne.

Therefore this Board advise that 800^l of the same Money be reserved in Bank for the publick use upon any Emergencie and $\$$ Remains apply to defray the Publick Leavy as proposed to which this Board will assent.

Signed by Order

W Bladen Clk. Council.

A Bill for ascertaining the Laws of this Province read the first time.
The House adjourned till to Morrow Morning six of clock.
Die Saturnij July 22^o 1699.
The House met againe - and were called over