

The report of the Conference brought into the House yesterday sent up to the Honble Council for their concurrence.

The Honble Col Holland, Col Greenberry, Col Addison and Col Tilghman enter the House and deliver M^{rs} Speaker the following Message,

By the Council in Assembly Novemb^r 4th 1752
In Answer to your Message by M^r James Lloyd and Six other of your Members wherein you express your surprize to find the Bill proposed for revising the Act relating the Inhabitants from some Aggravances &c Return'd with such an endorsement thereon from this Board we must Affirm that upon the most deliberate consideration we are induc'd to believe the said Law is not enacted by a sufficient Authority and therefore it would be altogether in vain to offer at the revising thereof

Altho your good opinion of our sincere intentions for the service of the Country shows more reflection than judgment and notwithstanding it merits a particular resentment, yett we shall so far consider the interest of the Province, to show you how essential we take it for its welfare we should cultivate a good understanding with you that at present we shall pass it by and not neglect any thing that may be reasonably proposed for the safe and benefit of her Majesty's Subjects And therefore since you think this Law so absolutely necessary at this juncture if you desire it we shall not refuse a Conference with you concerning it. This Board not having any objections to the passing the good people but being desirous to supply some deficiencies and obviate other inconveniences therein which we were unwilling to

enter upon this Session expecting the arrivall of a Govern^r in Chief ~~in a short time who will be able to advise us~~ ~~but oblige us to~~ ~~we~~ ~~will~~ instructed in her Majesty's good pleasure towards her Subjects how thin the Honble President at present is of which you must allow us to be more competent Judges than your House. — Signed & Order'd

W. Bladen & Council

Which being read and debated — Resolved the House will still insist upon the passing the Act, and that a conference be desired with the Honble Council and Order'd the following message be sent for that purpose —

By the House of Delegates 5th Novemb^r 1752 —
In reply to your Message this day by the Honble Col Holland and three other members of your Board, This House say they know of no objections or want of judgment in their Message and cannot recede from