

By the House of Delegates July 2^d 1715

We are concerned that your Honours do mind so much for inserting a Clause relating to Attorneys Fees in the Bill for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggravances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law since it passed your Board with some Amendments as your Honours may see by your Journal of the 30th June wherein you never mentioned the said Clause— This House is desirous to avoid Multiplicity of Messages as tending very much to the Delay of Business and therefore desire your Honours to assent to the said Bill being now before your Board

Signed of Order Tho. Maunomara C. Ho. Del.

They return and say they delivered the same.
The following Message was prepared to his Excellency

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This House intended to take into Consideration that Part of her Majesty's Instructions relating to a House or Rent Paid before this House the 25th June— But finding the Shortness of the Time will not admit of effecting what we desire and being assured your Excellency is willing to bring this Session to a speedy Conclusion by Reason of the unseasonable Time of the Year and of our pressing Occasions to return to our Habitations have refused the further Consideration thereof till the next Session of Assembly and then hope to do therein what will be to your Excellency Satisfaction and pray your Excellency's Concomence thereto. Signed of Order, Tho. Maunomara C. Ho. Del.

An ingrossed Bill for laying an Imposition of 3. p^{ct} on Tolls for defraying the publick Charge of the Province being read and assented to by the House of Delegates was ordered to be thus indorsed viz^t

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Read and assented to by the House of Delegates & signed of Order
Tho. Maunomara C. Ho. Del.

Sent up with the Message by Mr. Stoddart, Mr. Robins, Capt. Downie, Mr. Price, Major Woolford, and Mr. Sondall. They return and say they delivered the same to Col^o Coursoy and Col^o Greenfield from the Honble Council unto the House and desire Mr. Speaker the ingrossed Bill for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggravances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law with the said Message viz^t

By the Council in Assembly July 2^d 1715

We do own that the Multiplicity of Messages tends very much to the Delay of Business. We are sorry we have any Occasion thereof which would have been prevented had you taken Notice of the Recommendation sent you in Favour of the Attorneys practising in the Court.