

We beg leave to defer the Consideration of the 27<sup>th</sup> Article of his Excellency's Instructions communicated to us till the Amount of the Provincial Treasures yearly falling in this Province is known Signed J. Beale

The same is sent to his Excellency the Governor and Council by Mr. Amos Garrett Captain Daniel Mariarte Major Woolford and Capt. Coak.

They return and say they delivered the said Message.

The following Report from the Committee of Aggravances delivered by Mr. Tyler on Saturday last and since that Time lying on the Table being read is ordered to be ordered viz<sup>t</sup>

By the Committee of Aggravances May the 12<sup>th</sup> 1715

It is humbly offered to this Committee as an Aggravance that the foreign Merchants have too great a Liberty by the Act for Encouragement of Tillage and Relief of poor Debtors which obliges all Inland Traders to pay foreign Merchants Sterling for any Money Debt due to them when by the Act aforesaid the Inland Merchants are obliged to take the several Commodities mentioned in the same Act for any Debt due to them which unless they stand upon the same Trust will be a great Discouragement to the Inland Traders—

It is further humbly offered to this Committee as an Aggravance that Negroes make it their Practice to gather together in Companies without Leave or Licence from their Masters for their so doing which if suffered may be of evil Consequence to the Province.

It is further humbly offered to this Committee as an Aggravance that the Commissions any General should have any Fees where the Estates do not amount to above thirty Pounds because the Fees that are now charged takes great Part of such small Estates away.

It is further humbly offered to this Committee as an Aggravance that any Court of Record within this Province should be admitted to suffer any Fine or Recovery to be made to cut off any Intails of Lands it being lately Endeavoured to be obtained in the Provincial Court. All which foregoing Aggravances are humbly offered by this Committee to this House for their Consideration thereof

Signed J. Beale for the Committee

The same are referred for Consideration till to Morrow Morning At  
John Samuel Young and John Hale Esquires from the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Council deliver  
Mr. Speaker the following Message viz<sup>t</sup>

By his Excellency the Governor and Council in Assembly May the 16<sup>th</sup> 1715  
(Cont<sup>d</sup>)