

Mr Speaker The Petition of the ~~King of~~ <sup>King of</sup> ~~St. Vincent's~~ <sup>Parish</sup> -  
thus Read viz: - 3311 the upper house of Parliament May 6<sup>th</sup> 1718  
this petition being Read as referred to the Consideration of y<sup>e</sup>  
lower house — " — signed P. Order John Read & others  
Which was read and thereupon ordered that the petition  
concerned appear this Afternoon —

And the petition of John Steele bringing leave to  
bring in a Bill to Quicken him for the executing Officers  
in this Province notwithstanding his not being here three years  
thus Read viz: —

3311 the upper house of Parliament May 6<sup>th</sup> 1718 —

Gentlemen

3311 The Bill being recommended to his Majesty's favour  
by Gent<sup>l</sup> of our the said House who by their Statute are  
in the Expectancy of doing particular Services to this Province  
at the time of any Emergency. His Majesty joins with this House  
in recommending the petition aforesaid: Ordered your Consider-  
ation upon his prayer for an Indulgence against the act of  
Parliament that obliges persons for the Injunct<sup>ed</sup> of any  
Office within this Province till they have been three Years —  
Read to wit: — signed P. Order John Read & others  
Which was read and leave given to bring in a Bill  
aforesaid — The petition of Mary Cough read and  
the Report of the Committee of the said House of Assembly  
and Reading —

The report of the Committee of Aggravances relating  
to Maurice Birkhead Esq was thus Read viz: —

3311 The lower house of Assembly May the 6<sup>th</sup> 1718 —

Mr Speaker

3311 The reading the written Report of the Committee of

your Aggravances...

Aggravances this House concurs therewith and desires  
your Honours Opinion whether the same or not  
be very great Aggravance and whether yous Honor  
will be pleased to join with us in a Bill to his Majesty  
for the preventing the like Aggravances for the future  
signed P. Order John Read & others