

Rec^d of Mr. Bladen by Bills

of Exchange

129^{..} 2^{..} 11

Ball due

103^{..} 8^{..} 9

£550^{..} 0^{..} 0

550^{..} 0^{..} 0

Memorandum

That I engage to make you five hundred and fifty pounds Sterling seven hundred and fifty pounds Current Money of this Province — John Hart

In Answer to which the following Message was prepared
By the Lower House of Assembly May 6th 1718.
May it please Your Hon^{rs}

His Excy. having represented to this House by his account that there still remains due to him the sum of one hundred and three pounds eight Shillings and nine pence that part of the five hundred and fifty pounds Sterling ordered to be expended in building a Magazine desires that the Treasurer may be ordered to pay him 5^l. Guinee — but for that the said Balance is to be paid out of the three pence 4th which the direction of the act of Assembly is to be disposed of as his Excy. & Your Honours shall direct

We therefore humbly desire that your Honours will be pleased to order the paymt. of the balance aforesaid to his Excy. in such manner as you shall think fit

Signed for order. Mr. Jenifer C^l. Sec^y Ho.

And sent to the upper house by Mr. James Boyd and Mr. Wainhope they return and say they delivered it

Edw. Love from the Upper house delivers Mr. Speaker the following Message —

By the Upper house of Assembly May the 6th 1718.
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On Reading your Message by Mr. Rob^t. Tyler and Mr. W. Stands we perceive you have made a computation of the value of the workmanship of the Magazine built by Tho^s. Cooke and that you have resolved that he shall have one hundred pounds Sterling more for finishing the same — this House desires you to acquaint them whether he made any propositions to you of what work yet remains unfinished & we may see whether it be agreeable to the Bargain already made; but if you have done nothing therein it remains in his Excellency to come to a positive determination wth him what further workmanship is yet to be performed for the finishing the S^d. Magazine before the money be ordered him

Signed for order. Mr. Brads C^l. Sec^y Ho.

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