

The same is referred to the ~~Committee~~ of next yeares and the several persons concerned are to have notice.

It desired that no petitions for private Bills shall be read after this day in this house during this yeares of Assembly.

Mr. Stoddard, Mr. Small, Mr. G. Young & Mr. T. Highman from the 1st house desire Mr. Speaker the following message with the draught of the address drawn by this house to the said Prop^{ty} by writ.

By the 1st house July 30 1716.

Gen^l. We have perused the Draught of the two Addresses intended from both houses to the Q^{ty}. Gen^l. He the said Prop^{ty} and his Guardian are desirous of the same drawn by your house and sent us by Mr. Mackall and five others of your members which one desire may be freely transcribed and signed this night in order to be dispatched by Capt. Sarrac. South with said on Wednesday morning & signed by order Mr. Maden Prop^{ty} Gen^l.

These were read the said address & Engrossed accordingly.

Mr. Boreley from the Committee of Laws. Moves Mr. Speaker a bill for repairing the damages already sustained in the Records of the said Secretaries (under and Family Court officers and for the security of the same records for the future) which was read the first time and ordered a second reading on Wednesday morning.

Mr. Wallington from the 2nd house delivers Mr. Speaker the following message.

By the apts house of Assembly July 30 1716.

Upon reading the answer of Mr. Stoddard Esq^r the President of the 1st house Council in this Province herewith sent to your House.

We find that your charge ag^t him is general which he has done, and altho^{tho} Mr. Lloyd as we take it being one of her Maj^{ties} Hon^{ble} Council all the while he acted as President in this Province and took the advantage of the act of Assembly for ascertaining Salaries to the Councillors and Delegates of Assembly which we think would have been more generous in him to have foregone yet since that five several Acts of Assembly have been yearly made to sanction those allowances made him and now Complained off we can't but think it will be of ill consequence to attempt to unswear the said Laws but for the future hope that care may be taken to let the Penalty of the like charge signed by order Mr. Maden Prop^{ty} be. And also delivers Mr. Speaker the said Mr. Edward Lloyd's answer which was ordered to be read as follows.

To his Excellency John West Esq^r Cap^t general and Governour in Chief in and over this Province and the apts house of Assembly now sitting.

The answer of Edward Lloyd Esq^r President of her Maj^{ties} Councils Council to the Charge Imputed ag^t him by the apts house of Assembly the 20th day of July 1716.

In answer to the charge of the apts house of Assembly that during the time he did Edward Lloyd was President and Governour in Chief of this Province they found by the testimony of several members of that house that on his allegations he