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The Lower howse humbly desyres th<sup>t</sup> there may bee a right understanding betwixt both howses, w<sup>ch</sup> they hope for the future will bee. And as to the words (shall not debate) was never intended to disgust the Vpper howse.; But shall for the future auoyd such expressions. This howse humbly desyres th<sup>t</sup> the Vpper howse would be pleased to lett them understand their reasons to suspect, th<sup>t</sup> businesses are not carryed in a due way in this howse, but managed by the artifi- howse being altogether ignorant th<sup>t</sup> affayres further that if any person hath infor- businesses are soe carryed on as afores<sup>d</sup> howse would bee pleased to signify may bee better able to uindicate

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Vpper howse Expected this

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That they were drawing it up.  
howse iudge it most requisite howse, they fully conclude howse, as to that of a Ces- of th<sup>t</sup> howse the , they , & there debate & proceede to the , according as is accustomed in this howse?

By the Maior Vote: To returne to their owne howse, & there only dcbate, & Votc as formerly.

Then M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Trueman Came from the Vpper howse, and presented this following paper to the Speaker.

To the paper sent by the Lower howse dat. 25<sup>th</sup> Aprill 1666 into the Vpper howse. Wee reply that wee are glad they are sensible of the miscarriage in sending th<sup>t</sup> paper first sent 24 instant. But there being a second paper sent the same day of the same complexion, & in the same Dialect endorsed uppon two Acts sent by the Vpper howse to them of noe lesse importance then the Ruine or wellfayre of the whole Prouince. To one of w<sup>ch</sup> they doe flattly say, that they will not consent uppon any tearmes but their owne: And after in the Close of all, That they are resolved to have noe further debate thereon. This howse haue iust cause to thinke affayre are not carryed in a due orderly way; It being impossible th<sup>t</sup> orderly proceeding should produce pers w<sup>th</sup>out any perticular reasons gyuen uince assisted by the Vpper howse of & the Vpper howse doe expect, th<sup>t</sup> come to them in p<sup>r</sup>sons, to Cleare ing & debating the Reasons inducing the sayd Act.

In ansuere to the paper last howse dat. 25<sup>th</sup> Aprill 1666. This appearance in the Vpper howse, sing An Act for a Cessaōn. B w<sup>th</sup> their Liberty & priuiledge But th<sup>t</sup> they returne to the amongst themselues.