

the Proprietary Government was Restored they continued U. H. J.
the Like Impost to the Like uses, and still Assess'd the Inhabitants for support of the Council unto this Day The Case being so, we can have no Expectation that his Lordship will Support his Council now, when we have made no Provision for him so to do. If you doubt any of the Above Allegations, we desire a Conference with some of your members, that we may Evince the Truth of them; which when done, we cannot think you will be of Opinion that we ought to serve the Publick at our own Expence but rather that we should be allowed as usual.

Signed p Order Sam^l Skippon Cl Up. Ho.

And this Answer with the Original Bill N^o 16 was sent to the Lower House by Coll^o Holland and Col^o Young

Then the Board prepared the following Ans^r to the Message from the Lower House by Capt King and Captain Harrison (viz.)

By the Upper House of Assembly Oct^r the 16th 1723
Gentlemen

We concur with your House in your Message this Day by Captain King and Captain Harrison

Sign'd p order Sam^l Skippon Cl Up Ho.

Which Answer was sent to the Lower House by Col^o Addison

Two Ingrossed Bills from the Lower House by M^r Bozman & M^r Travers (viz.)

An Act to Punish Blasphemers Swearers Drunkards & Sabbath Breakers, and for repealing the Laws heretofore made for punishing such Offenders. p. 97

An Act directing the manner of the Recovery of Fines for not appearing at the clearing of the high ways.

Both Acts Assented to by the Lower House and thus Subscribed (viz)

October the 16. 1723

Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly and

Sign'd p Order M Jenifer Cl. Lo: Ho.

Which Bills being read are likewise Assented to by the Upper House, and thus Subscribed viz.

October the 16th 1723

Read and Assented to by the Upper House of Assembly and

Sign'd p Order. Sam^l Skippon Cl Up: Ho.