

hostility was displayed toward Eden personally, the rancor being concentrated on the members of the Upper House and the higher officials.

The contention was not now over the fees, but over the legality of the proclamation, and was carried on with great bitterness in the *Gazette*, Daniel Dulany and Charles Carroll distinguishing themselves on opposite sides of the question. No new bill was passed, and the Province continued under the old tariff until the Revolution.

The opinions of the English lawyers sustain Eden's action; and indeed it is hard to see how he could have acted otherwise.