

U. H. J. General Assembly the Judges of the Court of Appeals, and the Com-  
Liber No. 35 missioners of the Provincial and County Courts of this Province,  
May 9 for ascertaining the Allowances of the Clerks and other Officers  
of both Houses of Assembly, and securing the Independency of the  
said Deputies and Delegates, and other Purposes therein mentioned.

We did not think proper to lay by our Bill which you may see by the Title was so much better calculated for the good Purposes intended to make Way for yours', and therefore sent it up to your Honours; but we think ourselves obliged now in Order to put a Stop to your sending down to this House any more Bills relative to the imposing or altering Taxes, to let you know that if any such shall hereafter be sent to us they shall be rejected upon a View of the Title, as it is the undoubted Right of this House that all Bills relative to Taxes should take their Rise here.

Signed p. Order M Macnemara Cl. Lo. Ho.

The several Paper Bills the Originals of which have passed both Houses this Session are sent to the Lower House by Col: Henry  
Adjourned 'till to Morrow Morning 10. o' Clock

May 10 Wednesday Morning 10. May 1758.

p. 350[a] This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as Yesterday

Read the Petition of the Acadians now being in the City of Annapolis praying Relief and ordered to lye on the Table.

Adjourned 'till three of the Clock in the Afternoon.

Eodem Die post Meridiem

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

His Excellency is pleased to send to this House the following Message.

Gentlemen of the Upper House of Assembly.

Inclosed is a Copy of a Message that I sent to the Gentlemen of the Lower House yesterday in the Afternoon upon their sending two Members to tell me that the Lower House had no Business before them, also an Address which the Gentlemen of the Lower House were just now pleased to present to me by way of Answer to the Message abovementioned, I submit them both to your Consideration entertaining the most sanguine Hopes that you will not hesitate or delay to take such Measures as you may judge expedient or necessary to bring about the Passage of a Supply Bill at this critical Juncture and that I shall not find myself under a Necessity of putting an End to this Session before we have complied with