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pleased to appoint a Committee of your Board to meet our Comm'ee thereon.

the 22d. Jany 1734.

By order of the House.

Paul Jenys Speaker.

Sent up by Col<sup>o</sup> Blake and M<sup>r</sup>. Cockran, who being returnd informd the House that they had delivered the message.

On motion that a message might be sent to his Ex'cy the Gov<sup>r</sup>. to desire him to issue a writ for the Election of three members for Port Royal and a Debate arising thereon the Question was put on the Motion

Carried in the Affirmative

And orderd that a message be prepared accordingly Then the House adjournd till two in the afternoon

## P. M. The House met according to Adjournment

Mr Cramahee the Master in Chancery brought down the Petition of John Durent and a verbal message from his Ma'ty's Hon'ble Council to acquaint this House that the Com'ee of their Board would meet the Com'ee of this House on the Public Treasurers Accounts to Morrow morning at ten of the Clock at the House of Mr. Will<sup>m</sup> Pinckney.

Read the petition of John Durent setting forth that an Indian man Slave of his was killed by the Seneca Indians, and Praying that he might have the usual allowance in such Cases, and a Debate arising thereon the Question was put whether the said Petition should be com'itted. Carried in the negative

And then another Question was put whether the same should be rejected. Carried in the Affirmative.

Pursuant to the Order of this Morning the following Message to his Excellency the Governour was drawn & orderd to be engrossed and signed by the Speaker viz<sup>t</sup>:

May it please y' Ex'cy,

We desire your Ex'cy will be pleased to issue a writ for the Election of three Members for the Parish of S<sup>t</sup> Helena Port Royal in the room of D<sup>r</sup> Thomas Cooper dec'd, M<sup>r</sup>. James Ferguson who was expelled this House and M<sup>r</sup>. James Græme who by a vote of this House is rendered incapable of sitting in the same

22d: Jany 1734.

By order of The House Paul Jenys Speaker