

Veto of the Act entitled, The Charter of Liberties and Privileges for the Province of New-York.

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At the Committee of Trade and Plantations in the Council Chamber at Whitehall. Tuesday the 3^d of March 1684.

PRESENT — The KINGS MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

Lord Keeper	Earl of Peterborough
Lord Treasurer	Earl of Sunderland
Lord President	Earl of Middleton
L ^o Privie Seale	L ^d Viscount Falconberg
Duke of Beaufort	Lord Dartmouth
Earl of Huntington	Lord Godolphin
Earl of Bridgewater	M ^r Ch ^r of y ^e Exchq ^r

New York
Charter

Government.

Letter to Coll.
Dongan

The Charter of Incorporation of the Province of New York, is read, and the several powers and priviledges therein granted being considered His Majesty doth not think fitt to confirm the same. And as to the government of New York His Majesty is pleased to direct that it be assimilated to the Constitution that shall be agreed on for New England, to which it is adjoining. And in the mean time His Majesty orders a letter to be prepared for his Royal Signature directing Coll. Dongan Governor of New York to pursue such powers and Instructions as hee shall receive under His Majesties signet and sign manual, or by Order in Council until further Order.

It is also thought fitt that, a Conveyance offering by Captaine Baxter, another letter bee sent to Col. Dongan from the Lords of the Council directing him to proclaim His Majesty King James the Second, according to the form of a Proclamation of the 6th instant, for continuing officers of Government till His Majesty's pleasure bee further known.