

this house do declare that the said Morecroft hath done nothing but what he might lawfully do and that therefore he be dismissed with Costs and Charges by him sustained by reason of this pretended Impeachment

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Ordered that Robert Morris pay to the Clerk of the Upper House for Fees the sum of fourteen hundred twenty two pounds of Tob^o. Then was appointed by the Governour Philip Calvert Esq^r Thos. Trueman Henry Coursey and William Calvert Committees to meet with the Committee of the Lower House in prosecution of the former Order

The House Adjourned till Thursday nine of the Clock

Wednesday April 21st 1669

At a Committee of both Houses appointed by both houses to be held this day Mett—

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| { | The honble Philip Calvert Esq ^e | Henry Coursey | } | |
| | Thomas Trueman | & William Calvert Esq ^e | } | |
| { | Col Nathaniel Utye | Cap ^t W ^m Burgess | Richard Preston | } |
| | Samuel Withers | Robert Slye | Thomas Taylor | } |
| | Joseph Weekes | Rich ^d Boughton | Of the Lower House | } |

Thursday Nine of the Clock The House mett

The Committee of this House reported to the House their Proceedings to the Committee of the Lower House

April the 21st 1669

The Answer of the Committee of the Upper House of Assembly to a paper preferred into the said House by the Speaker and whole Lower House of Assembly April 20th and now again brought to this Committee by a Committee of the Lower House Entituled The publick Grievances &c. p. 144

The first Article Entituled as above Aggrievance is thus penned viz.

That there is no Person authorised by the Lord Proprietary to confirm our Laws

To which We answer that since the Lord Proprietary hath but a subordinate power in making Laws he is tyed to the Rules given him by his Majesty in his pattent that if he should by himself or any other person empowered by him Consent to