

Liber B. Assembly ordered }  
 P. R. O. to sitt. } The which being considered by the Board  
 their Hon<sup>rs</sup> are of opinion his Ldp expected  
 this Letter would have come to hand time enough to have  
 Prorogued the Assembly before their meeting alsoe they think  
 itt absolutely necessary some more effectuall care be taken  
 about Townes the which and for the laying the Publick Leavy  
 is what their Hon<sup>rs</sup> intend to propose to the Assembly. Itt is  
 therefore resolved that the Assembly sitt according to the  
 Proclamation for the Prorogation of itt to this Day.

The same day an hour after mett again and

Present

The hon<sup>ble</sup> { Coll. Vincent Lowe  
 Coll. Henry Darnall  
 Coll. Will<sup>m</sup> Digges

The hon<sup>ble</sup> { Coll. Will<sup>m</sup> Burges  
 Maj: Nich<sup>o</sup> Sewall  
 Coll. Edward Pye.

Clk of Upper House of Assemb: }  
 considered. } Itt was then taken into consideration the  
 appointing the Clerk of the Upper House of  
 Assembly Coll: Darnall and Maj: Sewall pro-

Vide Lib: Ldp bearing date the 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1684 whereby  
 Consil they together with Coll: Digges and John Darnall  
 R R R. Esq: were authorized in case of remissness in Duty or

insolency in behaviour of the Clerk of the Councill, Assembly  
 or Lower House of Assembly to remove such Clerks and  
 others in their rooms appoint untill his Lordship's pleasure  
 therein should be further known and that for such occasions  
 M<sup>r</sup> Llewelin had been lately displaced from being Clerk of  
 the Councill the which to them are sufficient reasons to discon-

James Heath named Clerk of the As- sembly. }  
 fore by vertue of the said Instructions doe nominate  
 James Heath to be Clerk of the Upper House of  
 Assembly Whereupon Coll: Digges affirmed to this  
 Board that himself and Maj: Sewall had seen a letter  
 of the last yeares date from his Lordship to Robert

Lee his Clerk directed thereby ordering him to acquaint the  
 Deputy Governours that unless upon an extraordinary occasion  
 he would not have M<sup>r</sup> Llewelin displaced (which Letter Maj:  
 p. 65 Sewall owned to have seen) that by vertue of that Letter &  
 their Commission as Deputy Gov<sup>rs</sup> they had sufficient power to  
 continue the said Llewelin The said Instructions notwith-  
 standing The which being considered by the Board itt was by  
 Majority of Votes Resolved that this Board by vertue of the  
 said Letter and of their Commission of Deputy Gov<sup>rs</sup> had  
 sufficient power to continue M<sup>r</sup> Llewelin to be Clerk of the  
 Upper House of Assembly That they found noe occasion to  
 John Llewel- displace him That they beleved Heath att present