U. II. Journal of the Laws made at the four last Sessions of Assembly have been Entered into the Book of Laws But that the same lye in the Office in Single Sheets much torn stained and Impaired This house desire the Upper house to Concurr with this house in Voting that the Secretarys of this Province Cause the said Laws to be Entered into the Book of Laws in a fair Sett hand Signed pr Order C Boteler Cl of the Lower house.

Mr Secretary Sewall Sent to the Lower house with this Message in Answer to the last of theirs--

Upper house 20th October 1683.

This house do readily Concurr with the last Message by M^r Hatton and Captain Hill; And the Secretaries have now Ordered the Acts not Transcribed be Immediately fairly Transcribed—

Signed pr Order Tho: Grunwin Cl of Assembly

Coll Digges goes to the Lower house from this house with this Ensuing Message Viz^t

Upper house 20 October 1683—

This house having taken into their Serious Consideration the Great Care and kindness of Our Sovereign Lord the King in giving in Charge to the Right Reverend Father in God the Bishop of London, To Supply this Place with able and Devout Ministers whereby the People may know their Duty To God and their Obedience to their Rulers do request the Lower house of this Assembly To Join with this house in giving Thanks to M^r Duell Pead for his Learned Sermon preached before these two houses the 14th Instant and that some Acceptable Present be given him for the same and this house is willing to Concurr with them therein

Signed pr Order Thomas Grunwin Cl of Assembly

He returns and Says he has Delivered the Same to the Lower house—

M^r Ennalls from the Lower house for the former Bill of the Lower house for Electing and Summoning Burgesses &c: The same Delivered unto him

The house Adjourned till Monday Morning 9 a Clock

Monday 22 October 1683 The house mett again
Present
(Coll: Coursey) Coll Burges

The honourable

Coll: Coursey Coll: Lowe Coll: Digges Coll Stephens

Coll Burges—Mr Secretary Sewall Major Trueman