

U. H. Journal said Jacob pay his fees due to the Sheriff according to the Act  
1659-98 of Assembly

Signed p<sup>r</sup> Order C Boteler Cl of the Lower house—

Captain Hill and Major Long from the Lower house with this Message

Lower house of Assembly 2 November 1683

In the last line Except two of the first Sheet of the Act Ascertaining the true force and Validity of the Laws of this Province &<sup>t</sup> after the words Twenty Months lett there be Inserted the words following (after the End of such Sessions of Assembly in which such Law or Laws Act or Acts shall be made as aforesaid) The said Law or Laws as in the said Bill &<sup>t</sup>

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid that all and every Law and Laws Act and Acts of Assembly which at any time heretofore have passed the Upper and Lower houses of Assembly in this Province with the Assent and Approbation of your Lordships Lieutenant General Deputy Lieutenant or the Governor or Governors of this Province for that time being during your Lordships Absence out of this Province the same Laws are and shall be held Esteemed and taken and are hereby Declared to be good Valid most Absolute and Available in Law according to the true intent purport and Meaning of the Same (such Laws to which your Lordships Dissassent hath been already Signified & published to both Your houses of Assembly only Excepted—

If the Upper house think it Necessary that the Amendment above Mentioned be incerted into the Bill Ascertaining the true force and Validity of the Laws of this Province this house will forthwith pass the said Bill to Engrossment accordingly

Signed p<sup>r</sup> Order C Boteler Cl of the Lower house

The said Messengers bring with them the aforesaid Act for Ascertaining the Validity of the Laws & the Bill Concerning Levying of Warr &<sup>t</sup> past by the Lower house—

p. 536 Captain Smith and M<sup>r</sup> Hatton from the Lower house and bring M<sup>r</sup> Larkins Rates put Down in his Account the same Rates perused and Agreed to by this house and sent to the Lower house by M<sup>r</sup> Secretary Darnall—

The house Adjourned till to Morrow Morning 9 a Clock

Saturday 3<sup>d</sup> Novem<sup>r</sup> 1683 The house Sat again  
Present

The honourable

{	Coll Thomas Tailler	}	Coll William Stevens	}
{	Coll Henry Coursey	}	M <sup>r</sup> Secretary Darnall	}
{	Coll Vincent Lowe	}	Major Thomas Trueman	}
{	Coll Henry Darnall	}		}