Lib. W. H. very thoughts of Division, and as by both houses a Committee of Accounts have been Appointed and the said Committee did accordingly meet and Enter upon their Business by naming their Chairman and Appointing their Clerk and that P. 582 without any Contradiction or opposition they Entered upon the Business of that Committee as by the Journall of that Committee it doth and may appear and this house do approve and Confirm the proceedings of the said Committee and in favour of right do stand by and Justifie the same and accordingly this house have sent forth their Members to Join with those of the Lower house in order to proceed upon the Business of that Committee as already they have begun

Signed pr Order Thomas Grunwin Cl of Assembly.

Upper house of Assembly 3^d December 1688.

According to the Message from the Lower house by Dr Brooke of the 30th of November last and the Answer of this house of same date Relating to the Repairing of the State house & prison, This house do acquaint the Lower house that their Members fixed upon for that purpose is now ready to Join with those of the Lower house in order to proceed upon so great and general a Concerne

Signed pr Order Tho: Grunwin Cl of Assembly.

Major Sewall goes with the aforesaid Message he returns

having Delivered it

Captain Hill from the Lower house and says that the Lower house have appointed two of their Members to Consult about the repaires of the State house and they were ready at Mr Vansweringens

Coll Pye goes out to Join with them

Upper house of Assembly 3^d December 1688.

This house by Message of the 27th November last for preventing the Excessive Charge of Assemblies and Abuses of Ordinary Keepers did desire to Join a Member of theirs with some of the Lower house to Consult and Contrive some way for the Easing the People in that Particular, To which the Lower house by their Message of the same date by Coll Jowles and Mr Lingan did Concurr and now this house do Nominate the honourable Coll Thomas Tailler for that purpose who is now ready when the Lower house shall give Notice that theirs are also ready.

Signed p^r Order Tho: Grunwin Cl of Assembly.

Sent by the honourable Major Sewall who returns and says he delivered the same