

U. H. J. Ordered the reading of those Bills before the Board Viz^t
 An Act Regulating Ordinarys &^c read 2^d time and passed.
 An Act for Limitation of Officers fees read again and
 passed

An Act for Election of Sheriffs (Endorsed May 26th 1692
 read 1st time) read here and passed.

An Act Touching Coopers and the Gage of Tobacco hhd's
 (Endorsed May 26th 1692 read first time) read here first time
 and ought to be indefinite.

An Act for preservation of Orphans reall Estates (Endorsed
 May the 26th 1692 read 1st time)

p. 640 Read here first time and passed

An Additional Act Regulating Ordinarys &^c Endorsed May
 26th 1692 read first time read here and passed.

An Act against the Exportation of Wooll and old Iron
 (Endorsed May 26th 1692, read first time) read here and
 passed.

Jacob Young called in and desired to give his Opinion
 concerning those Strange Indians that he saw at the Pisscattaway
 Fort, he declares them to be Sinequo's some of them to his
 knowledge have been out and Straglers this four or five years
 and that he asked them, when they designed to return home,
 and they told him as soon as the heat was over (for they were
 afraid of Our Rangers abroad and kept Close) they would
 back into the Country and so that way Homewards, But the
 said Jacob Young further Advises and Assures their honours
 that the best and most certain intelligence can be Expected
 must be from Albany for he can get nothing out of Our
 Indians

Taken into Consideration the good Services done by Jacob
 Young to this Country and what he may yet do, and how
 Capable he is of so doing; It is the Opinion of this Board that
 he ought to be encouraged and therefore Resolved to Recom-
 mend the same (with proposall of Gratuity) to the Assembly
 at Laying the Levy, which passed into an Order of this Board
 as follows Viz^t

By his Excellency the Governor & Council in Assembly.
 May the 26th 1692.

In Consideration of many Good Services M^r Jacob Young
 hath done and performed to this Province, and his readiness
 always therein, also how much further Serviceable he may yet
 be in the present Juncture Resolved that the Same may be by
 this Board Recommended to the Assembly at the next laying
 the Levy and a Suitable Sum proposed for a Gratuity to be
 made to the said Jacob Young

Signed p^r Order J LLeuellin Cl.