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Thursday June 1692.

The house againe Mett and were Called ouer, & were Absent these following Memb<sup>rs</sup> Viz<sup>t</sup>

M<sup>r</sup> Bigger  
M<sup>r</sup> Ashman  
M<sup>r</sup> Smith  
M<sup>r</sup> ffinney

Then was Read what was done Yesterday.

Somerset County Indenture returned out of their Maj<sup>ties</sup> High Court of Chancery to this house.

Ordered to be Read, wherein were Chosen (as by the sd. Indenture, vnder the hands and Seales of the Sherriffe & ffreemen of the said County appeares) M<sup>r</sup> Roger Woolford M<sup>r</sup> John Bosman and M<sup>r</sup> Lazarus Maddux, to Supplye the Vacancy of M<sup>r</sup> John Hewett, M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Evernden & M<sup>r</sup> John Goddin

The said M<sup>r</sup> Woolford, M<sup>r</sup> Bosman & M<sup>r</sup> Maddux Enter the house & were ord<sup>rd</sup> to be p<sup>r</sup>sented to the Councill by Cap<sup>t</sup> Whittington, to be sworne.

Voted that an Act be drawne vp for to giue power to his Ex<sup>ncy</sup> Lyonell Copley Esq<sup>r</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> Gen<sup>ll</sup> and Comander in Cheife of this their Maj<sup>ties</sup> Province &c<sup>a</sup> To Naturalize all persons of Outlandish Natiuity, that shall applye themselves to him for the same, takeing the Usuall fees, due by Act of Assembly for the same. Cap<sup>t</sup> Courts comes from the Councill Chamber w<sup>th</sup> the Returne of a Bill ag<sup>t</sup> Devulgers of false Newes, with an Endorsement thereon, desireing the Penalties therein incerted may be advanced, the which was done accordingly.

The said Bill (together w<sup>th</sup> the maine Bodye of the Lawes) were sent to the Councill Board, by M<sup>r</sup> Dent, M<sup>r</sup> Jones, M<sup>r</sup> Hawkins, M<sup>r</sup> Wattson, M<sup>r</sup> Dorsey, M<sup>r</sup> Wrouth M<sup>r</sup> Hanson & M<sup>r</sup> Wattkins for their Assent there.

John Littles Petition for Allo<sup>d</sup> Endorsed, th<sup>t</sup> he be allowed 20<sup>lb</sup> <sup>to</sup>b p peck for night & day & the same ordered to

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An Act ascertaining the vinciall and County Courts,  
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