U.H. J. Monday July the 6th 1696 The Council Again Sate and were Present as before.

Read the following Bills presented from the House viz'

A Supplementary Act to the Act for Raising a Supply for defraying the publick Charge of this province read first time and Passed without Alteration

An Act for Assessing and setling the Clerk of the Councils

fees within this Province will pass with Amendment

An Act for Sanctifying and Keeping Holy the Lords day commonly called Sunday will pass with Amendment

Brought from the House of Burgesses by M' Crawford and M' Frisby the following Letters and Bills Viz^t

A Letter to his Grace the Arch Bishop of Canterbury read and well Approved of

p. 894 A Letter to the right Honourable the Lords of his Majestys most honourable Privy Council read and well Approved of

A Letter to the right Honourable and right Reverend the

Lord Bishop of London read and well Approved of

A Letter to his Excellency the Governor of New York read and approved of which said Several Letters were signed by the Honourable Col^o Henry Jowles Chancellor on behalf of his Majestys Honourable Council and Kenelm Cheseldyn Esq^r on behalf of the House of Burgesses

An Address to his most Excellent Majesty Concerning Free

Schools in this province read first time and passed

An Act for reviving the temporary Laws of this province read and will pass if upon Examination of the former Acts the same be right and the same being Examined do find the Act for speedy Justice and Encouragement of Trade a Perpetual Law therefore to be Remarked

Drawn up by Order the following Proposall which was sent to the House of Burgesses viz^t

By his Excellency the Governor and Council &c July the 6th 1696.

Proposed that the House send some further Supply towards the Assistance of his Maj^{stys} Government of New York pursuant to the Governor of New Yorks last Letter now lying before the House for their Consideration his Excellency being willing to lend the Country money upon that occasion if wanting

Signed p Order Henry Denton Clk Concil.