Original A Proclamation for a Gen¹¹ Thanksgiveing read and ap-Journal. proved of.

A Proclamation to Restreyne the Extravagancy and presumption of diverse popish priests and recusants, read and approved off.

House adjurned for 2 hours.

Post Merediem. House mett. Major Thomas Ennalls

appears in the house as a Delegate for Dorsett County,

Upon proposall from his Matys honble Councill, Capt Hill, Major Hammond, Mr Harris and Mr Taylard appointed to joyne with two of his Matys honble Councill to examine and view the Records of the Severall offices.

A Bill for Rectifying the ill practices of Attorneys, read the

2nd time & passed.

The Reviveing Bill the 2 last messages and the Resolves p. 201 of the house upon his Ex^{cys} proposalls, sent to his Ex^{cy} and his Matys hon^{ble} Councill by M^r Hutchison, M^r Campbell, M^r Ben: Hall, M^r Iames Saunders, Maj^r Walter Smith, and M^r Edward Lloyd, they are also ordered to present Major Ennalls to have him sworne.

House adjourned till to Morrow Morning 7 of the clock to M^r Speakers Chamber.

Thursday March the 31st 1698.

The house mett and called over. Then was read what was done yesterday

Moved by a Member if M^r John Perry shall be continued the ensueing yeare as poste. And Resolved that he be so continued upon the same foot as the first appointed.

Then came the honble Sr Thomas Laurence Barrt Thomas Tench Esq. and Iames Frisby Esq. and bring downe the Reviving bill with the remarques thereon which is ordered to be amended accordingly.

They also bring down the Bill for rectifying the ill practices of attorneys which is ordered to be engrossed, likewise they bring the following Messages and proposalls, Viz^t

By his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r and Councill in Assembly, March the 30th 1698.

In reply to the answer of the house this day received in the matter concerning the 4 articles conteined in Cap^t Slyes papers you were required to make answer to.

This Board dos say that it can in no wise be apprehended