

Original Journal. Publique Acc<sup>ts</sup> be settled before the breaking up of the Assembly.

(Reflections being made in England how the publique money is disposed of) and the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Mason is not able to discharge his duty of Treasurer, that then some other person be Appointed in his Stead.

Cap<sup>t</sup> Richard Hill M<sup>r</sup> Phillip Clarke M<sup>r</sup> Symon Wilmer & M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Hemsley bring Lev<sup>t</sup> Coll. Jn<sup>o</sup> Thomson to make oathe to his Publique Acco<sup>ts</sup> who made oath thereto Accordingly.

p. 32 Upon reading the houses Answer to Sev<sup>ll</sup> proposalls from this Board (Advised) that some proposall be made to the House ab<sup>t</sup> the Indians living at the head of Potomock and Susquahanah that the same may be sent to the Govern<sup>r</sup> of New Yorke

Brought from the house of Delegates the following Bills Viz<sup>t</sup>

A Bill for the better dividing S<sup>t</sup> Pawls and Shrewsbury parishes and read the 2<sup>d</sup> tyme and passed

A Bill Empowering the Com<sup>rs</sup> of the County Courts to leavy and raise money to defray the Necessary Charges of their Countys read and passed

A Bill for reviving Cæcill County process read the second time and passed

A Bill for restraining the Extortions of the Sherriffs Subsherriffs and Deputy Com<sup>issary</sup>'s read the second time and passed

A Bill for Stay of Executions read the Second time and passed

A Bill for Securing the Perochiall Lyberaryes of this Province &<sup>ca</sup> Read the first time and it is remarqued that the former law ought to be repealed

By his Ex<sup>ncy</sup> the Govern<sup>r</sup> & Council in  
Assembly March the 23<sup>d</sup> 1697/8

This Board Require the house would Send up Some of their Memb<sup>rs</sup> to conferr about Settling the Courts and that they would bring the bill Appointing Court days w<sup>th</sup> them

Signed p Ord<sup>r</sup> Hen: Denton Cl Co<sup>ll</sup>

Sent by Esq<sup>r</sup> Tench Esq<sup>r</sup> ffrisby with the bills now read Severall

p. 33 Sev<sup>all</sup> Resolves of the house upon proposalls sent from this Board have been here rec<sup>d</sup> read and parte of them remarqued as followes

1<sup>st</sup> Viz<sup>t</sup> The Resolue that Servants have Justice done them by way of Peticon