

They returne and say they deliverd them

Bill for Speedy tryall of Criminalls etc.

Bill for regulating the Millitia.

Read the 1st & 2^d time And by Especiall order do pass.

Put to the Question in whom the property of Stollen goods remaine And to whom the same shall be deliverd After conviction

Referrd to the Consideration of next Assembly

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By his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r & Council^l

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Gent Your Message of the 15 Instant touching An house to be built for her Maj^{ty}s Governo^r being this day read at the Board His Ex^{cy} was pleasd to declare that he could never Consent to Appropriate that Which was Given for soe publiq A benefitt to the province, As the Supplying them with Arms and Amunition (of which they cann never haue too great A Store) to his owne private Accomodacon and Advantage Therefore wee desire that Some other Measure may be taken to Answer her Maj^{ty}s Royall instructions either in building such house or Assigning to his Ex^{cy} the Governo^r A compet^t Sume of Money for rent thereof.

Signd p order W Bladen Cl Co.

Which Message was brought from the Council by the honob Tho^s Tench Francis Ienkins Edward Loyd Esq^{rs}. And being read in this house Resolvd it be referrd for further Consideration

Bill rectifying the ill practises of Attorneys.

Bill relating to Servants and Slaues.

Bill for encouragem^t to build Water mills.

Read the 1st & 2^d time & p Especiall order do pass.

Bill Against horse raceing on Saturdays.

Being read And debated in the house.

Put to the Question Whither it pass or be rejected.

Carryd by Majority of Votes it be rejected.

But the latter clause in the Same being good & Necessary It is Resolvd that it be Added to another law.

Bill Imposicon of 3^d p hogshead etc.

Read the 1st time & passt

Bill prohibiting the Abuses of Woods rangers

Read the 1st time and do pass.

Bill for encouragem^t of Tillage.

Bill for Securing parrochiall library's

Read the 1st and 2^d time And do pass.