L. H. J. ance this Afternoon at three of the Clock in Order to see the Lib. 41 Royal Assent given to the Bill of 3<sup>d</sup> p Hhd.

I am, Sir, Your Humble Servant Jo. Hart.

Pursuant to which Order the House adjourns to the Council Chamber to see his Excy give the Assent on Behalf of her Majesty to an Act for settling a Revenue on her Majesty's present Governor, Which said Bill his Excy the Gov<sup>r</sup> was pleased to enact into a Law by sealing it with the great Seal of this Province and indorsing it in the following Words viz.

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On Behalf of her Sacred Majesty Queen Ann of Great Britain &c. I will this be a Law.

Jo. Hart

After which M<sup>r</sup> Speaker with the Rest of the Members returned to the House and met. All present as in the Afternoon.

A Bill for Limitation of Officers Fees sent up to the Honble Council by Major Woolford, Capt. Mariarte, Major Sprigg, Mr John Whittington, Mr William Whittington, Capt. Cood, Mr Vanderheyden, Colo Hammond, Mr Kenelm Cheseldine, Capt. Greenfield, John Purnell, James Mackall and Capt. Thomas Docwra

They return and say they delivered the Bill.

Col° Edward Lloyd, Col° Holland, Col° Coursey, Col° Young and Col° Whittington from the Honble Council delivered Mr Speaker the Bill for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law, thus endorsed—

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Read in Council and will pass with the following Amendments Viz. Fo. 5

Instead of above £100 Sterl. or thirty thousand Pounds of Tob° it be expressed £20 Sterl. or five thousand Pounds of Tob° but above the Sum of two hundred Pounds of Tob° or sixteen Shillings and Eight Pence Current Money adding the Words and give Judgment for the just Balance with Costs of Suit

Signed p Order W. Bladen Cl. Con.

A Bill for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law.