

U. H. J.

Post Meridieum

The Council Sate Present as in the morning

The Engrossed Bill for repealing a Clause in an Act of Assembly Entituled An Act for Establishment of Religious
p. 83 Worship in this Province &c. and also for appointing the Oaths of Abjuration to be taken in this Province was read & assented to by his Majesty's honble Council

And the Engrossed Bill for Limitation of certain Actions for avoiding suits at Law was read & assented to by his Majesty's honble Council And the honble Philemon Lloyd Esq^r sent to the Delegates to acquaint them his Majesty's Council have assented to the said Engrossed Bills

L^t Col Herman and M^r Holdsworth brought up

A Bill directing the manner of Electing and Summoning Delegates to serve in Succeeding Assemblys And for ascertaining the Expences of Councillours Delegates of Assembly & Comm^{rs} of the Provincial and County Courts of this Province

A Bill for Quieting Possessions Enrolling Conveyances and securing the Estates of Purchasers

A Bill ascertaining what Damages shall be allowed on protested Bills of Exchange

Major Ward and Col Maxwell brought from the Delegates two Engrossed Bills Which were assented to by the House of Delegates Viz.

A Bill for the punishing the Offences of Adultery and Fornication

A Bill for the publication of all the Laws of this Province And for the Recording the same in the Secretarys Office as also for transmitting the Journals of the Council in Assembly And of the House of Delegates into the s^d Office

p. 84 M^r Charles Wright & M^r Samuel Hopkins brought up the following Bill Viz

A Bill for rectifying the ill practices of Attornys of this Province and ascertaining Fees to the Attorney General Clerk of the Indictments Attornys and Practitioners of the Law in the Courts of this Province and for levying the same by way of Execution

M^r Joseph Harrison and M^r John Baker brought up an Engrossed Bill assented to by the House of Delegates Viz

A Bill for Stay of Executions after the tenth day of May Yearly Was Read & Assented to by this Board; Of which the Honble L^t Col Tilghman was sent to acquaint the Delegates