

L. H. J. And was afterwards read again and thus Endorst viz:

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Read again by Especiall Ord^r & Past for Engrossing.

Signed p Ord^r Mic: Jenifer Cl. Lo: Ho:

And Sent to the Committee of Laws to be Engrost per Col^o Mackall.

Col. Mackall from the Comittee of Laws Delivers M^r Speaker a Supplementary Bill to the Act for Limitation of Officers fees amended which was read and ordered to be thus Endorst Viz:

By the Lower House of Assembly June the 8th 1717.

Read the Third time with the Amendments and past for Engrossing.

Signed per Ord^r Mic: Jenifer Cl: Lo: Ho:

And Sent to the Committee of Laws to be Engrost.

M^r Tasker Delivers M^r Speaker the report of Samuell Young Esq^r M^r Benjamin Tasker and M^r John Beale which was read and ordered to be entered as follows viz:

To the hoñble Lower House of Assembly.

We the Subscribers three of the persons mencon'd in the Act of Assembly for the repair of the Publick Records of this province &c^a have (pursuant to the power given us by the said Act) Agreed with M^r Evan Jones to be Chief undertaker for the transcribing and Examining the Publick Records of this Province at the rate of four Pounds of Tobacco p side for transcribing and Examining, Computing seven words to a Line and fifteen Lines to a side the said Jones to be allow'd and paid every year at the Time of laying the Publick Levy for what he shall transcribe and Examine, And for the said Jones' faithfull performing the same we have taken bond in one thousand Pounds Sterling with Maj^r John Bradford his Suretie with Condition that the said Jones shall well and Truly transcribe & Examine such Publick Records as shall from time to time be Delivered to him According to the Originall Records without diminishing altering defacing or imbezeling the Same Originall Records or any Part thereof or Suffering the same so to be nor shall the said Jones employ any Person or Persons whatsoever for transcribing and exam[in]ing the said Records but such as shall first take their Oaths for their faithfull Service in that Behalf and be ap-