

say that in allotting the Payments of the publick Levy there will be
some considerable Surpluage & that they are willing may be
deposited in the hands of the Clerk of this House to be accounted for
the same to the next Assembly and to be allowed thereof what sum may
be necessary for state beyond making out the Levy this year if sufficient
in the said Auction to do it otherwise to have made good to him in
the next publick Levy what shall now fall short of his deserts therein
they return to their House

An Act for the publick Charge read and sent back to the Lower
House by Mr Secretary Durnall for the Notes thereupon taken by
the Committee of Acc^{ts} which this House desire to Pause

He returns from the Lower House who will send to this House
the Proceedings of the Committee

The Book of Laws and Journals of the Lower House Anno 1681
& 1682 brought into this House by Mr James Fry a Member of
the Lower House who having delivered the same returns back to the
House

Captain Richard Hill and Doctor John Brookes from the
Lower House came and presented to this House viz

An Act for taking the Oath of Fidelity to the Lord Proprietary
together with the Oath of Fidelity not signed by the Lower House

Also the Proceedings of the Committee of Acc^{ts}

Which having delivered they return to their House

The Act for Payment and Discharging the Publick Charge of this
Province read and Passed this House in manner following viz

April 26 1684

Upper House have dispensed

Sign'd for Order

John Hewell M^{cl} of Assembly

And sent down to the Lower House by Col^l William Digges who
is Ordered to move the Lower House to expedite what business lay
before them and to come with what Bills had Passed this Session to
the Upper House with all speed his Lordship staying to receive them

Col^l Digges having accordingly delivered his Message
Returns and takes his Place in the House

The Speaker and Members of the Lower House having prepared
themselves came from their House and were admitted into this House
where the Speaker in the behalf of the House salutes his Lordship and
presents him with these following bills viz

An Act against excessive Bail

An Act for appointing Court days in each respective County
within this Province,