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Your Excellency will be pleased to inform your Excellency that
I have the pleasure to assure him and to thank your Excellency the Gov'
of New York to signify whom that at present they could not give any further
assurance but would be happy to do so before the first of May next.

That at a Council held the 16th of April anno 1693 at the Bridgeman
Inn Anundell County the Council then met did lawfully send an Express to
New York with Bills of Exchange unto Chudleigh Brooke Esq^r Collector &c
Receiver of their Majestys Revenue in those parts to the sum of 250. £. 4.
sterling in compliance to her Sacred Majestys Commands which said Person
gave delivered the same accordingly and brought back the said Collectors Receipt
as by the Journal of the Council because being then no had done fully And
at Large appear and that since nothing further hath been done.

~~Ordered~~ that the same Letters and papers together with the right Honble
Col^r Andrew Hamiltons Letter were likewise read and sent to the House of Bur-
geses for their Consideration whereupon was accordingly sent by Mr Tench
together with a printed Book and the Proposalls relating to the Election
of Sheriffs

Who returns and says he delivered the same

That the Act for Ordinary keepers be Amended pursuant to his Ma-
jests Order in Council of the 2^d of March 1693 hereunto sent

That no Person be suffered to carry any Cyder or other strong Liquors
to any Indian Town or cabin in Order to vend the same under penalty of being
fined and forfeiting all such Liquors

The foregoing proposall sent also by Mr Tench together with another
of the 3^d of October instant Relating to the Election of Burgeses who comes &c
says he delivered the same

W^m Cheddyn Captain Hammond M^r Ennals & W^m Ferry came from
the House with the following Message viz

13th Assembly October the 6th 1694

Resolved by the House that whereas your Excellency hath been pleased
to communicate to the House their Majestys Instructions to you to require an
Account of their Rent of 12th of Oct^r for the support of this Government
from the Collectors of the same since the last Convention in this Province

Upon Consideration of which this House hath thought fit that two of
the Members of this house with two of your Council now in your Ex-
cellency shall forthwith appoint to be a standing Committee to examine
and Audit the said Accounts

Signed for Order

Celborn Somers Chapman