

and the Bills read at a full meeting in the Upper House

Mr Secretary appointed to prepare a Letter to his Lordship in answer what was done concerning the Body of Laws

The house adjourn'd till to Morrow Morning 8 Clocks

Thursday 25 April Mr Brooks excused by Sickness

Mr Fenwick Mr Roberts and Mr Hatch not appearing at the Calling of the house were fined according to the Orders 50 Tobacco a Piece

The Burgeses being sent for into the Upper house was read his Lordships Declaration concerning the Body of Laws and a Letter to his Lordship which was signed by Captain Price Mr Secretary Captain Vaughan of the upper house & by all the Lower house except Mr Fenwick Mr Medley Mr Manners & Mr Brooks

The house adjourn'd till 1 Clock afternoon

Thursday afternoon

all assembled except Mr Brooks as before

By the Governour &c

I Do Appoint Captain John Price & Captain Vaughan for the Upper house and Mr James Cox Mr Geo Puddington Mr Philip Sand Mr John Hatch Mr Willm Brough & Mr Robert Robins for a Committee to Consider and review the Laws made the last Assembly and in particular that which Concerns provision to be made of a Stock for his Lordship and and such other Acts or Orders are already drawn and not read And an Act to be drawn for setting of Assembly by Burgeses of John Hatch's and others the Executors Acco of Provision for the Poor & of what other Business they shall see cause to take into their Consideration and to return the Certificate by to Morrow at Noon if they can to both Houses