

the use of as aforesayd before your departure is (with all due Obedience and Submission to your L<sup>ty</sup>: good will and pleasure therein) Wee humbly offerd to your L<sup>ty</sup>: Consideracion, by your L<sup>ty</sup>: two Houses of assembly as the Chiefest means to preserve and Continue of peace and unity and wellfare, of this your L<sup>ty</sup>: Province and of Inhabitants thereof in their just and due obedience, In whose hearts, you will Rule and Command upon all just occasions what shall be necessary for the Defence and Support of the Dignity of this your L<sup>ty</sup>: Government.

Signed by Order. Th<sup>o</sup>: Underwood Sec<sup>y</sup>: Com<sup>o</sup>:

The sayd Committee also present to the House of following paper of Amendments, being of proceedings of the Committee in Relation to the Lawes of this Province, viz: -

Monday April 14<sup>th</sup> 1684.

At a Committee of both houses appointed for drawing up an address to the Right Honble of Lords Prop<sup>rs</sup>: Relating to the Lawes of this Province -

Present of the Upper House -	Present of the Lower House.
{ The Honble: Coll <sup>o</sup> : W <sup>m</sup> : Stevens }	{ Mr. Robert Carrile }
{ The Honble: John Dammall Esq <sup>r</sup> }	{ Mr. Thomas Buford }
Mr. J <sup>r</sup> : :	{ Mr. J <sup>r</sup> : Rowley }

Resolved by this Committee if it is very Expedient of the Act providing against suddayne accidents in the Government, be amended.

2<sup>nd</sup> Resolved Likewise of the Act touching Judicature (made Anno. 1646) be also amended In regard to a clause therein (viz:) In defect of law he is condemned by another Act Entitled an Act Concerning proceedings at Law which says, Leaving too much to discretion is to open a Gaffe to Corruption.

3<sup>rd</sup> Resolved the Act touching Pagens, being found to be inserted into other Lawes, ought to be repealed.

4<sup>th</sup> Resolved of the Act for punishing Certayne offences against the peace he: should be amended.

5<sup>th</sup> Resolved of the Act prohibiting of Esportacion and Sale of his L<sup>ty</sup>: Ordinance he: be suggested in order to amendment

6<sup>th</sup> Resolved that the Act touching Hogg and Marking Cattle, although inserted in his L<sup>ty</sup>: Booke for a perpetuall Law, stands Repealed by an Act made Anno. 1671.

7<sup>th</sup> Resolved that the Act for Appoyntment of Certayne Officers, is a Temporary Law and therefore to be put out of the perpetuall Law booke.

8<sup>th</sup> An Act for Imposing a penalty on all such as shall dispose of Tobacco seized and received by the Sher: he: (made Anno. 1664: That there is an other Act made since (viz:) 1678: Doe thinke it meet of the latter Act being always revived, to have it made perpetuall, and the other Repealed.