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Henry Joules, Chair^m
Charles Houtetand,
Thomas Tench,

John Addiford,
Thom^s Brooks,
James Frisby,

Moved by a Member of this House whether it might not be necessary that an address be drawn up to his Ex^{ty} and Council to Informe them of the Misapprehension they have of this House as being acceptant or any wayes favouring to Sly or Coode

Moved by a Member of this House whether it might not be necessary to address his Ex^{ty} to nominate what certaine Summe he will be pleased shall be allowed out of the publick bank towards the defraying the Publick Charge.

Resolved that two such addresses be drawn and ordered that Mr. Edward Lloyd and Mr. Simon Willmore draw up two such addresses.

The House adjourns till one a clocke.

Wed. die. The House mett againe and were present as before. The Bill Explaining the Clause in the latter part of the act Entitled an act for Securing Estates and adms from double paying of Debts and Limitting the time of paym^{ts} of Bonds and obligations within this Province being referred from his Majesty's hon^{ble} Council to this house for Amendment was read.

Put to the votes if such Amendment shall be inserted and the act then pass or not. Carried in the affirmative.
A Bill empowering Mr. W^m Coursey and Eliz^a his wife on the Surv^o of them to sell and acknowledge severall tracts of Land left by Col^l Vincent Lowe by his will to be sold and disposed of referred by his Majesty's hon^{ble} Council for amendment to put in their heirs or if heirs of either of them or their Ex^{ts}.

This House cannot consent to the amending of the same, for that the Intent of this act was for to give them no greater Liberty than Col^l Lowe had given his Ex^{ts}, for that it might prove a delay of the Sale of such lands, and by that means Retard the payment of his Debts, and debarre the heirs of Col^l Lowe from their Claims.

By his Ex^{ty} the Gov^r and Council Nov^r 2^d 1698.

Whereas many persons much indebted to the good people of this Province die leaving little or no personall Estate wherewithall to satisfy their just debts, yett at the same time die posses of diverse tracts of Land of considerable value by the Sale wherof the Creditors may be justly Satisfied, and for that it is so tedious and Chargeable a method to sue Ex^{ts} upon the same, it would be of great advantage to the County, that an act were made to subject such persons Land to Sale for the paym^{ts} of