

his Lopp: of following bills one by one. Reading the Titles as he delivers them, which are as followeth: (viz:)

1. An Additionall and Supplementary Act to f^ract for the Advancement of Trade.
 2. An Act for Appoynting Court dayes in each respective County &c.
 3. An Act for Recording the Journall of f^r Lower House of Assembly.
 4. An Act for Reviving the Temporary Lawes of this Province.
 5. An Act ag^t Excessive Jury:
 6. An Act for Naturalizing Peter Bayard, Arnoldus De la Frange and others.
 7. An Act for (Naturalizing Jacob Seth:
 8. An Act for (Naturalizing Nicholas Verbraeck, and,
 9. An Act for payment of the publique Charge of this Province.
- To all which Bills his Lopp: gave his Gracious Assent in these words, following. (viz:)
- Wee will these to be Lawes
C^t Battemore.

And Commanded the Great Seale of this Province to be thereunto affixed, which was done by f^r Hon^{ble} the Keepers in f^r presence of both houses, And subscribed in these words: (viz:)

April 26th 1684: Published Under the Great Seale.

Henry Darnall }
W^m Diggs - - - - } Keepers.

Then his Lopp: Directing himselfe to both houses of Assembly, saith. That Whereas severall disputes have arisen, Concerning the validity of those Acts of Assembly Made and Assented to by his Sec^t Gent^{ee} Thomas Motley Esq: in the year 1678: for preventing whereof for f^r future, he now Signifieth his Disassent to all such of the said Lawes, as he hath not before this time Disassented too.

His Lopp: also giveth Comands to his Secretaries, that they Carefully keep all the Originall Lawes of this Province from all persones whatsoever, that they may bee in noe danger of being any wayes Endammaged, Torne or Imbezelled.

His Lopp: saith that whereas severall disputes have arisen and different Constiutions made of those words (More or less) In his Lopp: and his Lopp: grants or patents for Land, (mentioned.

His Lopp: now declares, That his ffather the Right Hon^{ble} Lucillius &c. of (Noble Memory), never meant any other quantity or thing thereby Tenn, Acres in f^r hundred, And that with Intention to have the Eiries of such persones as were Commissionates to survey Lands in this Province, who though the best that could be found, yet were not soe good Artists as to survey and sett forth Lands between his Lordship and the good people of this Province, without the allowance afore said -