

Lib. W. H. The President tells the Speaker and Lower house that he hopes the Country will give them thanks for the Service they had done them; and then the said President on Behalf of himself and the rest of the Deputy Governors Prorogueth the Assembly till the second Tuesday in April next; And the Assembly was Accordingly Prorogued till the second Tuesday in April Anno Domini 1689.

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p. 295 An Act for a perpetuall comemoration and
thanksgiueing on every tenth day of June for the birth
of the Prince

Forasmuch as it hath pleased Almighty God of his infinite mercie & goodnes to vs & our posterity to bless his sacred Maj^{tie} our dread Sovereaigne and his Royall consort the Queen in the birth of a most hoopefull & glorious Prince that the remembrance thereof may be extensiuue as farr as in vs lies equall to the greate benefitt & happinesse we enjoy thereby Be it therefore enacted by the right Hon^{orable} the L^d Prop^{ty} by & with the Advice & consent of the vpper & lower houses of this p^{re}sent genll. assembly & the Authority of the same th^t every tenth day of June for the time to come (being the birth day of the said glorious Prince) be sett a part & kept holy & annually celebrated by rendring hearty publique praises and thanksgiueings vnto almighty God for the great & inestimable blessing aforesaid soe th^t the generacons to come as is their duty may effectually wth true piety & humble devocon praise the Lord for the p^{re}sent blessing & alsoe pray th^t his Maj^{ties} royall and renowned offspring may as now be the Subject of our hearty & humble praises to Almighty God for ever, And be it further enacted th^t all & every person & persons inhabiting wthin this Province shall vpon the said day annually resort wth diligence & devocon to some vsuall Church chappell or place where such publique thanksgiueing & praises to Gods most diuine Maj^{tie} shall be rendred & there orderly abide dureing the said publick thanksgiueing prayers & other service of God there to be vsed & minister'd and th^t all p^{er}sons may be put in mind of their duty thereon & be the better prepared to discharge the same wth becoming devocon.

Be it also further enacted th^t every Minister & teacher shall giue notice to the hearers publickly in the Church chappell or place of Worship at Morning Service the Lords day next before such tenth day of June for the due observacon of the said day and shall then publickly and distinctly reade this p^{re}sent Act to the people