

Original Greenfeild M<sup>r</sup> Io<sup>n</sup> Worthington M<sup>r</sup> Tho: Ennalls M<sup>r</sup> Benj<sup>a</sup>  
 Journal. Hall M<sup>r</sup> Iacob Loockerman & M<sup>r</sup> Tho: Beale Carry the sd  
 Bills to his Ex<sup>cy</sup> & Councill who returne & say they have  
 deliverd the same.

The Honble Thomas Tench & Coll Io<sup>n</sup> Addisson Enter the  
 house and Returne Back the following Bills (viz)  
 p. 65 A Bill for stay of Execution after the Tenth of April  
 A Bill for Amerciam<sup>ts</sup> in the Prov<sup>ll</sup> and County Courts  
 A Bill for Appeales and Regulateing writts of Erro<sup>r</sup>  
 A Bill for the Speedy Conveying of L<sup>rs</sup>  
 A Bill to Impower the Vestery Men to assess their Parish-  
 ioners.

Which said Bills being Remarked for some amendm<sup>ts</sup> were  
 amended and past for Engrossing.

The Gent of his Maj<sup>ties</sup> Honble Councill allsoe brought with  
 them a Coppy of a L<sup>r</sup> sent by his Ex<sup>cy</sup> to Lords of the Council  
 of Trade and Plantations on behalf of the p<sup>rs</sup>ons in this  
 Province Concerned in Navigation Bonds as allsoe this follow-  
 ing Message

Gent:

My Zeale has not been wanting to become a mediator for  
 what you Desire in yo<sup>r</sup> Address as you will p<sup>ce</sup>ive by a Coppy  
 of a L<sup>r</sup> herewith sent you w<sup>ch</sup> I wrote to the Lords Com<sup>rs</sup> of  
 Trade and plantations upon that Topick & my Endeavours  
 and Interest shall not be wanting to my friends at home to  
 assist you when it is put in a method for Solicitation I have  
 a very Tender Concerne for those unfortunate p<sup>rs</sup>ons that are  
 vnd<sup>r</sup> the Lash of those Bonds I shall allsoe recom<sup>end</sup> it to the  
 Lords Com<sup>rs</sup> of Trade and Plantations But regard of my  
 Station & his Maj<sup>tys</sup> Instructions it will not become me to  
 loyne in Subscription or address as a p<sup>tye</sup> but shall very  
 readily Give yo<sup>rs</sup> all the favour and Ease that Lyes in me to  
 p<sup>mo</sup>te its success I am yo<sup>r</sup> Humble Serv<sup>t</sup>

Iuly 15<sup>th</sup> 1699.

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Resolved that an answer be Drawne up to returne his Ex<sup>cy</sup>  
 the thanks of this house

By the house of Delegates Iuly 15<sup>th</sup> 1699.

May it Please yo<sup>r</sup> Ex<sup>cy</sup>

Yo<sup>r</sup> Ex<sup>cys</sup> Message by the Honble Tho: Tench Esq<sup>r</sup> and Coll  
 Iohn Addisson has been here read & this house humbly  
 desires that yo<sup>r</sup> Ex<sup>cy</sup> will be pleased to accept of our harty and  
 unfeigned thanks as well for yo<sup>r</sup> fervant Zeale for the good of