

P. R. O. Amended And sent up to his Ex^{cy} by M^r Henry Coursey to
B. T. Md. pray his Ex^{cy} that the same be Allowd of and may pass for
Vol. 17. engrossing.

M^r Coursey returnes with the bill & says his Ex^{cy} & Coun-
cill were pleasd to Agree to the amendment of the said bill
and Orderd it be engrossed.

Robert Smith Esq^r from the Council enters the house and
delivers M^r Speaker the following bill Viz^t

Bill Confirming the last Will and testament of Charles As-
com of St Marys County

Endorsd Sept^r 18 1704 Read 1st time in Councill

W^m Bladen Cl

Bill prohibiting Importacon of bread beer etc.

Endorsd Read in Councill the 2^d time and past for engros-
sing

W^m Bladen Cl Co.

Bill for quieting possessions endorsd as Aboue.

Bill Confirming to the Gov^r the duty of 3^d p tonn endorsd
as Aboue

Bill causing Grand & pettit Iuro^s & Witnesses to come
to Co^{rt}

Endorsd as Aboue.

Bill for Setlement of An Annuall revenue upon her Maj^{ty}
Governour.

Endorsd as Aboue.

Bill laying an Imposicon on Severall Comoditys Exported.

Endorsd as Aboue.

Bill laying an Imposicon of g^d p Gallon on rume &c.

Endorsd Sept^r 18 1704

Read in Councill the first time & proposd that the Impost
be 12^d p land & 6^d water

W^m Bladen Cl Co.

Bill declaring the devision of severall Countys

Endorsd Sept^r 18 1704

Read in Councill and will pass

W^m Bladen Cl Co.

Bill to encourage the Inhabitants to Adventure Shipp &
Vessells Abroad.

Endorsd Sept^r 18 1704

Read the 2^d time in Councill and past for engrossing.

W^m Bladen Cl Co.

Prohibitting Masters of Shipp and others from transporting
persons without passes.