

Bill ascertaining the Allowance to Jurors and Evidences L. H. J.
Lib. 41.
Read the first Time and committed for Amendments

Bill reviving the Act relating to the Militia Read the first Time & ordered a second Reading

Bill for erecting Towns &^{ta} Read the second Time and past Col^o Ennalls enters the House and delivers M^r Speaker the following Bills Viz.

Bill relating to Runaways Imprisonment &^{ta} Indorsed. By the Council in Assembly Nov. 8th 1709 Read the within Bill in Council the first and second Times and will pass with the Amendment
W Bladen Cl. Council

Which being read with the Amendment and is past for ingrossing

The House adjourns till to Morrow Morning 9 O' Clock.

Wednesday 9th Nov. 1709

The House met again according to Adjournment.

Being called over were all present as Yesterday.

Read what was done Yesterday.

The Committee appointed to view the Stadt House. enter the House and delivers the Report following Viz. By the Committee appointed to view the Stadt House. The said Committee having viewed and inspected into the Work of Stadt-House report as follows Viz.

That M^r William Bladen's Agreement being to build and furnish the said House as well as it was at first they cannot remember what Sort of Work and Furniture was about it; but now find that the Window Frames & Doors and Door Cases are very slight, and not done Workman like and are not hung with sufficient Hinges and that the House is not so well Shingled as it ought to be.

p Order Signed Edward Benson Cl. Com.

Upon which the Petition of M^r William Bladen was ordered to be read he praying Allowance of 200^{lb} &^{ta} was likewise read, and M^r Bladen being called into the House to speak to his Petition He enters the House and his Petition and Report was again read And the said M^r Bladen being heard what he had to say, and then he withdrew. Then the House having fully debated the same Resolved the said M^r Bladen be allowed his Money and that he be obliged to make good the Shingling and making the Roof of the said House tight & good Upon which M^r Bladen was again called in he appeared and M^r Speaker was pleased to acquaint him with the Resolve of the House.