

desire to know whether your honours will agree with us that a L. H. J. bill may be brought in thereon According to that Report.

Signed p Order M Jenifer Cl: L<sup>o</sup> Ho.

And sent to the Upper House by M<sup>r</sup> Tyler and four more.  
They return & say they delivered it.

An Engrost bill for the relief of John Beale sent to the Upper House by Cap<sup>t</sup> ffendall and M<sup>r</sup> Dent.

They return and say they delivered it.

An Engrost bill against buying of offices &c read and ordered to be thus Endorst Viz.

June the 5<sup>th</sup> 1719.

Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly and

Signed p Order. M. Jenifer Cl. Lo. Ho: p. 134

Sent to the Upper House by M<sup>r</sup> Caldwell and M<sup>r</sup> Hill.

They return and say they delivered it.

Coll: Tilghman and Coll. Ward from the Upper House delivered M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the following Message Viz:

By the Upper House of Assembly

June the 5<sup>th</sup> 1719

Gent.

In Answer to your Message by M<sup>r</sup> Tyler and four others this house Agrees that a bill may be brought in limiting the Severall officers' fees as proposed by the report of the Conferrees.

Sign<sup>d</sup> p Order John Beard Cl: Up: Ho

Esq<sup>r</sup> Hall from the Upper House delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the bill for Securing the Peace of this Province against the Villanies of Imported Convicts with the following Message Viz:

By the Upper House of Assembly June the 5<sup>th</sup> 1719.

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We cannot Agree with you in opinion that the bill now proposed for Secureing the Peace of this Province against Imported convicts does not relate to trade, because thô it does not Directly Prohibit the Importation of them, yet It effectually discourages any persons from buying them, which must needs be a great detriment to any Merchant who shall undertake the transportation of Such Convicts. Therefore we have p. 135