

U. H. J. Attwood a Priest, Major Nicholas Sewall, & M^r Richard Bennett.

The House Adjourns untill to morrow at Eight a Clock.

Wednesday morning April 13th 1720

The House meett according to Adjournment

Present

Esq ^r Brooke	Col Addison
Col Holland	Esq ^r Lowe
Col Young	Col Ward

M^r Jones & M^r Wailes from the Lower House deliver Esq^r Brooke A Bill for Confirming the Last will and Testament of W^m Bozman of Somersett County dec^d w^{ch} is thus Endors^t Viz.

By the Lower house of Assembly

April 13th 1720

Read the first and Second Times by Especiall order and will pass Nemine Contradicente

Signed p Order M Jenifer Cl Lo. Ho.

Which being read M^r Bordley on his motion to this house is Admitted as Council for W^m Bozman ag^t the passing the af^d Bill.

By the Upper house of Assembly

April 13th 1720

p. 43 His Excellency having Communicated to this House a Letter directed to him from the Hoⁿble Tho^s Addison Esq^r one of our Memb^s wherein he makes mention of a Petition preferred to your house ag^t him, the Copy whereof has been produced to us under Your Clerk's hand by which It appears he stands Charged with great partiality in the Execution of his Office as a Land Commissioner and the said Tho^s Addison Esq^r having represented to us that the said Petition without his being ever Called to answer thereto is by Your house referred to the Consideration of the next Sessions of Assembly by which means he is not only deprived of the present Opportunity of Justifying his Conduct in the discharge off his Office af^d but ffurther declares he Cannot think it proper for him to Act in those Other Eminent Stations he has the Hon^r to be advanced to, in this Government untill he shall have acquitted himself of the Facts imputed to him in the said Petition And forasmuch as We think it unreasonable that any Gentlⁿ and Especially