

L. H. J. And Sent to the Upper House by Col: Mackall and M^r Wailes.

They return and Say they Delivered them.

M^r Lloyd from the Upper House Delivers M^r Speaker the bill Reviving an Act Ascertaining the Gauge and Tare of Tobacco hh^{ds} &c^a thus Endorst Viz:

By the Up^r House of Assembly, April the 13th 1720

Whereas His Excellency the Governour Observes to this house that he has no Instructions Concerning his Lordship's rents and therefore desires a provisoe may be made in the Bill herein to be revived, with these words:

p. 35 Provided That in case his Lordship's approbation of this Act be not Signified by the Twenty ninth day of September next that then the said Two Shillings p hogshead to be Collected after the said Twenty ninth day of Septemb^r Shall be paid to the Publick Treasurers of this Province To the use of His Lordship without any Deduction if he shall afterwards Signifie his Approbation thereof but if his Dissent be Signified thereto then That it Shall be applyed to the use of the Publick in Such manner as the Generall Assembly Shall hereafter appoint Which with the Amendment above Proposed will pass

Signed p Order John Beale Cl Up Ho.

Which was Read and ordered to be amended Accordingly.

Col^o Ward from the Upper House delivers M^r Speaker the petition of Thomas Bordley and Thomas Larkin praying the publick either to Allow them the value of the Publick Pasture about the City of Annapolis or Suffer the Same to revert to them as Proprietors, thus Endorst Viz:

By his Excellency the Governour and the Upper House of Assembly

April the 13th 1720

The within Petition being read is recommended to the Lower House for their Consideration thereof.

Signed p Order Joh. Beale Cl Up Ho.

Which was Read and referrd till next Session of Assembly.

Bill for the relief of John Deavor read the first and Second times by Especiall Order and will pass, which was so Endorst and Sent to the Upper House by Maj^r Colegate and Cap^t Dollahide.