L. H. J. the Act Intended to be revived by that bill, and find the bill proposed instead of reviving the Act as it now Stands alters the nature of its Continuance which was at first founded on an Instruction. We therefore propose as an Amendment to that bill that the time of its [continuance] be Limited in the

p. 61 same manner as it was in the Original Act, Viz. to Continue from the Twenty ninth day of September next untill the 29th Day of September which shall be in the year of our Lord God one thousand Seven hundred and Twenty one.

Signed p Ordr Joh Beale Čl: Up: Ho:

Whereupon the Bill is amended accordingly, and Ordered the following message be prepared Viz:

By the Lower House of Assembly April the 20th 1720. May it please your Honours

This house concurrs with your Honours in the amending the Engrost bill for reviving and continuing the Act for ascertaining the Gauge and Tare of Tobacco hogsheads &c. herewith Sent and have made the alterations Accordingly.

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

and Sent to the Upper House with that Bill by M' James Lloyd and M' Hill.

They return and Say they Delivered them.

M^r Lowe from the upper House Delivers M^r Speaker the bill for relief of Thomas Plummer thus Endorst Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly April the 20th 1720.

The Orphans of John Gerrard who is a minor being concerned herein It is the Opinion of this house the Same ought to be referred till the next Sessions.

Sign'd p Order John Beale Cl: Up: Ho:

Which was Referred till next Sessions.

Engrost bill giveing further time to the Several Tradesmen in Annapolis to Improve their Lotts &c: was read, and ordered to be thus Endorst viz:

April the 20th 1720.

Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly, And Signed p Order M: Jenifer Cl: Lo: Ho:

and sent to the Upper House by Mr Hill and Mr Tasker. They return and say they Delivered it.

The house adjourns till one a Clock in the Afternoon.