M^r Hill with three Others from the Lower house deliver his U. H. J. Honour the Gov^r, The Journall of the Committee of Accounts which is thus Endorsed viz:

August the 4th 1721

Read and Assented to by the Lower house of Assembly & Signed p Ord Mic: Jenifer Cl. lo. Ho.

The Petition of John Smith of Dor: County & Robert Tivis of Ann Arundell County praying that they may be sold to pay their Just Debts rather Than to be Confined in Prison &ca being read is Ordered to be thus Endorst Viz.

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By the Upper House of Assembly

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Gentlemen. The within Petition being read and Considered off, It is recomended to your house that such persons who had rather Deliver up all that they have in the World And be sold for the remainder of their Debts than Lye in Goale that there be a Generall Law Impowering the Severall Justices of the County Courts upon such Application to them made to Sell such persons so Applying and Delivering up all they have for what Terme they shall agree not Exceeding seven years

Signed p Ord^r Joh Beale Cl. Up. ho.

James Stoddert Esq^r wth seven Others from the lower house Deliver his Hon^r the Gov^r An Ingrost Bill for preventing the makeing of Trashy Tobacco And for the bettering the Staple of this Province to which is thus Written

August the 4th 1721

Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly And

Signed p ord^r Mic. Jenifer Cl. Lo. ho.

The Petition of John Smith and Robert Tivis sent to the Lower house by Esq^r Bowles who returnes and sayes he p. 87 Delivered the same

M^r Tyler and M^r Earl from the Lower house Deliver to his Honour the Governour the following Message with other papers thereto relateing Viz.

By the low house of Assembly

Aug* 4th 1721

May it Please your Honours

We have received your Honours Message to us with Copy