

Law, but also repeals those Paragraphs which lays the U. H. J. Freighters and Receivers under the obligation of an Oath not to Ship or receive any Tobacco not qualified according to the Directions of that Law. And therefore forasmuch as We cannot think the pecuniary penalties imposed sufficient to deter all such freighters and Receivers from shipping or receiving bad Tobacco and for that we are willing to quiet the tender Consciences of those who refused to take the Oaths before enjoined; we have herewith sent Oaths under other Directions, such as we hope will not be refused, and which being added to this Bill, it will pass with this Addition to the Title (and for supplying some Defects therein).

Signed p order Sam^l Skippon Cl Up: ho:

Which Bill with the Amendment thus endorsed is Sent to the Lower House by Col Tilghman Col Ward and Esq^r Rousby who return and say they delivered the same

A Petition in favour of Elizabeth Guibert and Thomas Guibert her son of S^t Mary's County brought in & recommended to the House by James Bowles Esq^r Read and ordered to be endorsed

By the Upper House of Assembly

Feb 24th 1721 .

Read and Considered this Petition and referr'd to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly

Signed p order Sam^l Skippon Cl Up. ho.

Which Petition so Endorsed is Sent to the Lower house by Col Tilghman who returns and Says he delivered it

Petition of John Diggs of Prince Georges County read and referred to next Sessions

Adjourn'd for two Hours

Eodem Die Post Meridiem

Present

His Honour the Governour

The Honble	{	Col W ^m Holland	Col Tho ^s Addison
		Col Samuel Young	Col Matt. Tilg. Ward
		John Hall Esq ^r	James Bowles Esq ^r
		Col Rich Tilghman	John Rousby Esq ^r
Members of the Upper House			