

And Delivers the Petition of Thomas Manning thus En- L. H. J.  
dorsed Viz<sup>t</sup>

By the Upper house of Assembly October the 17<sup>th</sup> 1720

The within petition being Read, the Consideracon thereof p. 22  
is referred to the Lower House.

Signed p Order Joh. Beale Cl. Up. ho.

The Petition of John Peter Zinger (praying to be Natural-  
ized) is Read and Leave Given to bring in a Bill on qualifying  
himself according to Law.

The following Message is prepared Viz:

By the Lower House of Assembly October the 17<sup>th</sup> 1720

May it please your Hon<sup>rs</sup>.

On Considering the Third Article of the Gov<sup>rs</sup> Instructions  
Communicated to us, And in Answer to your Message of the  
fourteenth Instant by Coll<sup>o</sup> Young and Coll<sup>o</sup> Addison and to  
Demonstrate as well our Readyness to Embrace this Oppor-  
tunity so favourably Offered by their Lordships for the Propo-  
gation of Learning as to Shew our respect to his Honour the  
Governor, and the Great hopes and Expectations we have of  
his hon<sup>rs</sup> good Governm<sup>t</sup>, We have resolved that the sum of  
three halfe pence p hh<sup>d</sup> be Raised on all Tobacco Exported  
out of this Province to be applyed to the Use of free Schools  
to be Erected in the Severall Counties within this Province  
in the same manner as the twenty shillings Currant money  
p poll on Negroes is applied, And have also resolved that the  
sum of three half pence more be Raised for the use of his  
Honour the Gov<sup>r</sup> if he shall be pleased to Accept thereof to  
Continue till the twenty Ninth day of September next.

With which if your house Coucurrns a Bill may be Prepared  
Accordingly.

Signed p Order. M<sup>l</sup> Jenifer Cl. Lo Ho.

Which is Sent to the Upper house by M<sup>r</sup> Lee and three  
Others.

Who return & Say they have Delivered it. The following  
Message is Likewise prepared Viz:

By the Lower House of Assembly, October the 18<sup>th</sup> 1720

May it please yo<sup>r</sup> Honours. We have Considered the Incon-  
veniencies mentioned in your Message of the fifteenth Instant  
That arise on the Act to Limit the Continuance of Actions