

L. H. J. The following Message being Prepared was ordered to be Entred thus. [The text of this message is printed at page 321.]

p. 26 And sent to the Upper House by Maj^r Hanson and M^r Hamilton who return and Say they Delivered the same.

The following Message Viz. [The text of this message is printed at page 322.]

Was sent to the Upper House by M^r Crabb & M^r Tolley who return and say they Delivered the Same.

The Bill Entituled an Act for the Laying out of Land and Erecting a Town at the Head of Port tobacco Creek in Charles County was read the first time and Ordered to Lye on the Table.

The Petition of M^r Thomas Cockey was read and rejected.

Coll^o Tilghman from the Upper House Delivered to M^r Speaker the following Message (Viz.) [The text of this message is printed at page 321.]

p. 28 The House doth Appoint M^r Dulany M^r Samuel Hanson M^r Jennings M^r Crabb Coll^o Gale and M^r Hollyday to joyn the Members proposed by the Upper House Concerning Settling a friendly Correspondance with the Gentlemen of Virginia.

Coll^o Ward from the Upper House Delivered to M^r Speaker the paper Bill Entituled an Act for the Naturalization of Christian Peters of Cecil County a Native of Germany thus Indorsed Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly July the 18th 1729.

The Engrossed Bill whereof this is the Original is read and Assented to by this House and Sign'd p Order.

Jn^o Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

And the Bill Entituled an Act for the more Effectual punishing of Negroes and other Slaves and for taking away the benefit of Clergers from Certain Offenders Indorsed thus.

By the Upper House of Assembly 16th July 1729.

Read the first time and Ordered to Lye on the Table.

Signed p Order. Jn^o Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

And thus Indorsed Viz. [The endorsement is printed at page 320.]

p. 29 The Bill Entituled a Supplementary Act to the Acts for regulating Writs of Error and granting Appeals from and to the Courts of Common Law within this province and for Regulating Appeals from the Court of Chancery was read and passed with the Amendments proposed by the Upper House for Ingrossing.

The House adjourns untill to Morrow Morning at 8 of the Clock.