

This Board will be always ready to assert the Church's Interest yet they shall
 ever be unwilling to do any Thing may be unlawful or irregular to the Prejudice
 of any
 W. Bladen (Speaker)

Upon reading the Indorsement aforesaid this House do find the Will does not pertain
 the Petition as is above intimated therefore the House will not further proceed in that Part
 (Bill uniting New Port Hundred to William & Mary Parish in Charles County
 Read the first and second Times and do pass

Sent up to the Council for Concurrence by Mr. Lator Water. He returns and says he
 delivered the same.

The Petition of Philomen Kemeloy of Talbot County Adm^r of William Alderno do
 praying a Bill to vest Lots of Land in him to pay ^{capable of} Debts &c^a (Read and by the House
 rejected.

The Petition of Richard Smith relating to the Bounds of some Land
 Read and the Consideration thereof is referred till afternoon and ordered the Pet^r have Notice
 then to appear and the Clerk of the Land Records to attend the House with the Books in which
 the Certificates relating to the Petitioner are recorded.

James Saunders Esq. from the Council enters the House and delivers Mr. Speaker the
 following Message. By the Council in Assembly April 8th 1706

Whereas heretofore a Lot was laid out for the Rector of St. Ann's Parish in the town
 and Port of Annapolis and also another Lot for a Vestry House. Now forasmuch as
 there is a very good Vestry House built and adjoined to the ~~King~~ Church there will
 be no Necessity that the former House should remain to that Use but that it may
 be highly necessary it be annexed to the Parson's Lot & some further Improvement made
 thereon in Order to some comfortable Provision to be made of an House for the Recep-
 tion & Accommodation of a Minister forever to which his City is willing to contribute if
 the House think fit to give Encouragement thereto

Signed & Order W. Bladen (Speaker)

Read and referred till the afternoon.

Brought into the House the Petition of Mary Newell which was read and
 ordered to be entered N^o 7. To his City the Gov. her Majesty's Honble Council & the Gen^l Assembly.

The humble Petition of Mary Newell of Annapolis, humbly sheweth
 that your Petitioner hath been a very laborious and pains taking woman for several
 Years in this Province and hitherto hath maintained herself by her Drudgery.
 But now may it please your City & Honours she finds old Age and Impotency has
 much impeded her that she cannot longer scuffle in the world so to provide herself
 with Necessaries as formerly she was able to do. Therefore humbly addresses
 herself to your City & Honours humbly requesting Leave to vend Coffee Tea and
 a Dram Not that she is in the least desirous to keep a Tipling House or any
 (thing)