

Committee of Arguments enter the House and deliver Mr. Speaker their Journal
 Read and notified 7th Nov 1770 Read and reported to by the House of
 Delegates and signed by Order A. D. Allam 10th Dec.
 Sent up to the Council, by Mr. South, Mr. Scott, Mr. Brooks and Mr. Kyles
 They return and say they delivered the same
 Committee of Laws enter the House and deliver Mr. Speaker the Address to
 her Majesty relating to Sir Thomas Lawrence's Complaint about Draining
 Hoop's Liens. Which being read and approved by the House it is
 it be entered on the Journal and Resolved the following Message be
 thorough sent to the Council Viz. By the House of Delegates Nov 1770
 May it please your Honours We have with great Difficulty
 Trouble at last completed an Address we design to lay before your
 relating to Sir Thomas Lawrence and beg your Honours to consider the same
 which we hope will give you full Satisfaction of the unjust and
 able Complaint of Sir Thomas against us and that it is not out of any
 Disrespect to her Majesty's Royal Commands that we do not by an Act
 of Assembly settle the fines of Draining Hoop's Liens on Sir Thomas
 Lawrence but purely to assert our own Right in Disposal of such fines
 or Taxes as we shall think fit from Time to Time to raise or impose upon
 the Inhabitants of this Province and desire your Honours will not further
 press us in this Matter but believe that we are in all sincerity your
 most dutiful and loyal Subjects. Signed by Order A. D. Allam 10th Dec.
 Sent up to the Honorable Council by Mr. Ward, Mr. Worthington, Mr. Mack,
 Mr. Codd, Mr. Blay, Mr. Storey, Mr. Sologate, Mr. James, Mr. Ferrall, Mr. Scott
 Mr. Corquino Brisby, Mr. Woolford, Mr. Downe and Major Hammond.
 They return and say they delivered the same
 Mr. Speaker Bill for Relief of Anthony Joy Indented Council
 in Council and will pass
 Mr. Sladen's Council
 Read again and past for signing
 Bill against false passing Tobacco By the Council in Assembly
 Read in Council and will pass with the following Amendments Viz.
 whereas several People may complain it is to be known that
 throw away all their small dull, serving Tobacco and grant
 my the same in Cashes or otherwise not having it with good Tobacco is
 Doit and declaring to the Paying parties of or receive of such
 nature and Quality of that Tobacco not in
 will which we a year may not be