

Major Roger Woolford from the Committee of Laws delivers Mr. Speaker a Bill relating to Servants and Slaves amended according to the Proposal of the Council and by them approved of -
Eodem die The same is read again in the House of Delegates with the Amendments and put for ingrossing -

St. Col. Samuel Young from the Honble Council acquaints Mr. Speaker that the Honble Council had agreed and assented to the following ingrossed Bills on the 25th Day of May 1715

An ingrossed Bill for Punishment of Blasphemy, Cursing, Swearing & Drunkenness

An ingrossed Bill for rectifying the ill Practices of Attorneys &c

An ingrossed Bill for quieting Possessions, enrolling Conveyances &c

An ingrossed Bill directing the Manner of electing and summoning Delegates &c

An ingrossed Bill prohibiting all Masters of Ships and Vessels from transporting or conveying away any Person or Persons whatsoever out of this Province without Papers.

An ingrossed Bill for the Appointment of Constables & what relates to their Office.

An ingrossed Bill relating to the Standard of English Weights & Measures.

Col. Coursoy from the Honble Council delivers Mr. Speaker the following Message viz.

By his Excellency the Governor and Council in Assembly May the 25th 1715.

On Reflection upon your Message by Major Ward and three other of your Members on the 19th Instant relating to the Times for ordinary Licenses wherein you seem to

insist that the Right of those Licenses is in the Country, his Excellency acquaints you that he is obliged to assert his Majesty's Right thereto as in all other his Governments in America, and therefore desires to know by what Right you claim them that he may advise thereupon. Signed of Order W. Bladen Clerk Council

St. Col. Richard Tilghman from the Honble Council delivers Mr. Speaker a Bill for Naturalization of Thomas Harway of Calvert County and his children thus indorsed viz. By the Council in Assembly May the 25th 1715

Read the first and second Time by especial Order and will pass.

Signed of Order W. Bladen Clerk Council

Eodem die Read again in the House of Delegates & put for ingrossing

Also a Bill for vesting in the Rector, Governors & Visitors of Free Schools and their Successors forever a certain Lot of Land in the City of Annapolis and an House thereon erected commonly called the Kentish House and empowering the said Rector, Gov^{rs} & Visitors more easily to transact the Business of the Free Schools thus indorsed viz. By the Council in Assembly May the 25th 1715

Read the first and second Time by especial Order and will pass.

Signed of Order W. Bladen Clerk Council