

Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly and Signed of Order

M^r Fenner C. C. P. C.

And Sent to the Upper House by M^r Brammoch & M^r Edmondson &

They Return and say they Delivered it

Bill to make void the Recovery on the Lands of W^m Barrington read the first and second times by Especial Order and will pass which was for Endorsed and Sent to the Upper House by M^r Brammoch and M^r Edmondson

They Return and say they Delivered it

Col^l Addison from the Upper House delivers the following Message
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By the Upper House of Assembly April 18th 1720

It being represented to this House that the Deputy Commissioners bonds usually taken for the Execution of their Office have been taken in the name of the Commissary General himself and not in the name of his Majesty or his Lordship whereby such persons as are injured by the Misfeasance of such Officers are under Difficulties to Come at those bonds the Attorney General giving this House a late Instance thereof in some bonds taken by John Bates Esq^r Late Commissary General whose Execution has refused to Deliver such bonds in to the Commissarys Office or to suffer them to be put in Suit without giving her Security for her Indemnification thereon wherefore tis recommended that there be an Act or Clause of an Act declaring all bonds formerly taken in the Name of the Commissary General may be lawfully sued in his Lordships Name at the Instance of any Person aggrieved in the same Manner and under like Directions as the Sheriffs bonds and other publick bonds are allowed to be and that for the future all such bonds be taken payable to his Lordships in not less than two hundred Pound Sterling & finally as aforesaid and lodged in the Commissarys Office for the benefit of those that shall have Cause to sue the same

Signed of Order John Beale C. C. P. C.

Ordered that Samuells Young Esq^r publick Treasurer of the western Shores pay unto his Ex^{ty} the Governour the money allowed him in the Journalls of the Committee of Accounts this Session

The Petition of W^m Thomas Complaining of the Land Commissioners of Kent County Read and referred till next Sessions and Ordered all Parties Concerned have Notice thereof

Bill Impowering Com^{rs} to Sell the Estates of Col^l Tho^s Smithson of Salbot County and Tho^s Smithson of Dorchester County Ordered to be thus Endorsed

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