

Which being sent to the Upper house by Col<sup>o</sup>: Tyson and three more - They return and say they have delivered it - <sup>By</sup> Mr. [unclear] from the Committee of Grievances  
Return the following viz: - By the Committee of Grievances October 21: 1720 -

It is humbly offered to this Committee as an Agrievance that Several of the Hon<sup>ble</sup>: Councillors sit as Judges in the Provincial Court, which seems to be very discouraging to such person as may have Just cause to appeal before Governour and Council knowing that the same Judges sit in the Court of Appeals

It is further offered to this Committee as an Agrievance that Several Clerks of Indictments Charge a fee for drawing an Indictment when no Bill is found by the Grand Jury - which the Committee conceives to be a great Agrievance Signed Order  
This M<sup>rs</sup>: M<sup>r</sup>: [unclear] Committee - with which this House concurs and Orders the following Message to be prepared viz: - By the Lower house of Assembly October the 21: 1720

May it please your Hon<sup>rs</sup>: Whereas the Committee of Agrievances have reported - Several Agrievances to this house which we conceive are absolutely necessary to be Redress<sup>d</sup>  
We humbly offer their Report to your Consideration and request your Hon<sup>rs</sup>: to join with us in applying Remedies to as great evils - Signed Order M<sup>r</sup>: [unclear] for C<sup>o</sup>: Ho<sup>u</sup>:  
Which being sent to the Upper house by Mr. [unclear] and nine others with the Report - They return and say they have delivered their Message -

Col<sup>o</sup>: [unclear] from the Upper house delivers Mr. [unclear] the Bill for relief of Peter and Elizabeth and Peter Massey thus Enact<sup>d</sup> viz: - By the Upper house of Assembly October the 21: 1720 - Upon reading the within Bill and the humble Petition and Representation of Daniel Duley for the behalf of the Inhabitants of

now number in Council fairly against passing this Bill herewith: Sent you and the Allegations on both sides seeming very Considerable and the Case seeming hard on both parties We propose that the Controversy thereof be referred till next Session and that during the Session the parties concerned - Signed Order - Sent to the C<sup>o</sup>: Ho<sup>u</sup>:  
Which was read and ordered to be thus Enact<sup>d</sup> viz: - By the Lower house of Assembly - October the 21: 1720 - May it please your Hon<sup>rs</sup>: We agree it is a

hard Case on both sides but much harder on the petitioner thatcher, it is his favour - this Bill is proposed to be passed - which has been turned out of possession - his whole property and plantation going to ruin - and the poor petitioners Wife & Children in a deplorable Condition, unless returned this Session - Wherefore for Charitable sake We beg your Hon<sup>rs</sup>: will pass that Bill his Session being fully satisfied with the Justice thereof - Signed Order M<sup>r</sup>: [unclear] for C<sup>o</sup>: Ho<sup>u</sup>: - and was sent to the

Upper house by Col<sup>o</sup>: [unclear] and Mr. [unclear] - who return and say they have delivered it - A Bill for Supplying Defects in the last Will and Testament of Robert Anderson being by special Order read the first and second times - with prayer - and being so Enact<sup>d</sup> - It was sent to the Upper house by Mr. [unclear] and Mr. [unclear] - who return and say they have delivered it -

A Bill for granting to Edward Smith one hundred and twenty feet of Ground in the City of Annapolis &c. - By the Lower house of Assembly October the 21: 1720 - Read the first and second times by special Order and being so Enact<sup>d</sup> - was sent to the Upper house by Mr. Hill and Mr. [unclear] - who return and say they have delivered it -

To morrow at four o'clock tomorrow morning Nine o'clock - Saturday October the 22: 1720 the house meets according to Adjournment - The Proceedings are read - The Petition of Richard Adams and Mary [unclear] for a supplementary Bill to be brought into the house in favour of William [unclear] was read and leave given to bring in a bill as prayed and that Mr. [unclear] and Mr. [unclear] be Commissioners to sell the lands and goods of the purchase money arising thereby to be applied to the payment of the Debt of Robert Smith Esq<sup>r</sup>: - A Supplementary Bill to the act for

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