

Thursday August 1st 1721 } The house meet according to Adjournment. - The Today's Proceedings are read

On the Representation of the Committee of Accounts - Resolved that this Honour the Governour be allowed £45 £unt. Money for the year past for his Rent -

Bill for the relief of John Connors a languishing prisoner received the first & second times by Especiall Order and past which was so Endorsed and sent to the Upper house by Mr. Hill and Mr. Warfield - they return and say they Delivered it. Col^d Addison from the Upper house Delivered Mr. Speaker Francis Bowers acct. amounting to - Thirteen pounds ten shillings for Entertaining sundry Indians by Order of the Governour and Council thus Endorsed viz: By the Upper house of Assembly Aug¹ the 1st 1721 Gentlemen the within Indians among which (was Towana a great man of the Pinoguan) - and the King of the Furhororas for which the within account was charged was sent to the within Fran. Bowers by Order of the Governour and Council, they the said Indians having come to wait on the Gov^r to make a Treaty of Peace wth him toward a reconciliation of some Differences with some of the Inhabitants of Prince Georges County Wherefore we refer the said Bowers to your house for an allowance of the within account -

Signed of Order John Beck (of the house) Thereupon Ordered the Comite of accounts allow the same - Engrossed bill for Naturalization of Christⁿ Geist and Others read and reported to and was so Endorsed and sent to the Upper house by Mr. Syler and Capt. Jones - they return and say they Delivered it - The house adj: till one o'clock in the afternoon

Postmeridie the house meet according to Adjournment - Ordered the following Message be prepared viz: By the Lower house of Assembly August the 1st 1721 - May it Please your Hon^r: the Act for regulating the Militia being to expire next Session by which time if the Inconveniences complained of seem necessary redressed we shall then make the proper provisions against them therefore we desire any further Debate thereon may be referred to the next Session Signed of Order Jennifer of L^d house -

And sent to the Upper house by Col^d Maxwell and three Others they return and say they Delivered it - Col^d Addison and two Others from the Upper of Assembly Delivered Mr. Speaker the following Message viz: By the Upper house of Assembly Aug¹ the 1st 1721 - Gentlemen On Consideration of the bill herewith sent we find it would be contrary to an Express Instruction from the Crown should any Act be past here to Effect the trade of Great Britain so much as the Encouraging the Home Manufactury in the manner you propose would unless it were made to take Effect at least twelve Months from this time and as it is voided the regulation of the Tobacco Manufacture amongst our selves requires amore speedy remedy and is not within such Instruction, we propose that whatsoever you Intend for the Encouraging those Manufactories may be Done by a separate Act agreeable to the Instruction the Encouragement already Given we thought sufficient Especially considering that we have been already Directed not to take two matters of Diff: natures in one bill - What alterations we recommend in the Tobacco Bill many of which are in a manner Literal you will perceive by the marks in the bill you sent us and by the bill sent you here with which we had caused to be also drawn as we proposed it to which we Desire your Concurrence -

Signed of Order John Beck (of the house) -