

The Enrolled Bill for the Ordering and regulating the Militia of this Province and for the better defence and security thereof, brought down from the Committee of Laws by Capt. Harris, was read and assented to by the House of Delegates and ordered to be thus indorsed vizt.

May the 27th 1715.

Read and assented to by the House of Delegates and

Signed for us Tho: Maconema Ch. Co.

The said two bills are sent up to the Honble Council by Capt. Colegate and Mr. Tumbitt. They returne and say they delivered the bills.

An Enrolled Bill to Declare how the forty pounds of Tobacco of price in such Parishes where there is noe incumbent shall be disposed off, was read and assented to by the House of Delegates and ordered to be thus indorsed vizt.

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Govt Edward Lloyd from the Honble Council delivers Mr. Speaker a Bill for the better administration of Justice in Testamentary affairs granting administrations, recovering of Legacies, securing of legall portions and distribution of Intestates Estates, thus indorsed vizt.

May the 27th 1715.

Read the first and second time and will pass with the Clause relating to free schools added to folio 4 omitted the old clause for guardians paying quit Rents inserted for cultivated Lands and the Clause proposed relating to Protestant children in the hands of their Mothers of the Popish Communion likewise added and the last Clause relating to y^e Court of Jewes citing Ex^o and adm^o onely at the Instance of Parties omitted being repugnant to the Body of the Law, and may be prejudiciall to the Estates of Orphans.

scdm die.

Signed for us W. Shaden Ch. Council

Read again in the house of Delegates after the amendments made a part for Enrolling -

St. Govt Richard Tilghman, from the Honble Council acquaints Mr. Speaker that the Honble Council had agreed and assented to the three Enrolled Bills following on the 27th May 1715.

An Enrolled Bill for the Ordering and Regulating the Militia of this Province and for the better defence and security thereof.

An Enrolled bill appointing Certain days in which the Severall and respective County Courts within this Province are to be held.

An Enrolled bill to declare how the forty Pounds of Tobacco of price in such Parishes where there is noe incumbent shall be disposed of.