

A Bill for confirming the 18th Act to the Lord Baltimore.
The Bill repealing the Act against Striking Fish.

Which two Bills were severally Endorsed as follows:

By the Upt. House of Assembly Aug^o 8^o 1716.
Read the first time and past and signed order
Which two bills were read

W Bladen Ch. Upt. House
the 3^o time and past for Engrossing.

God Counsel) from the Upt. House delivers W. Speaker the following
Message (Brief)

By the Upt. House of Assembly Aug^o 8^o 1716.

Wee agree to the Conference proposed about an House to be
built for securing the publick Armes &c. and have appointed the
Honble Co. Young, Philemon Loyd Esq. and Lt. Col. Selghman, to
confer with your Members thereupon this evening at Mr. Dodds.

Signed order. W Bladen Ch. Upt. House.

The following Engrossed Bills were read and assented to this 8^o day
of Aug^o 1716. by the Lower house of Assembly severally

Signed order Tho. Maeremara Ch. Lo. Ho.

- An Engrossed Bill repealing an Act agt. Striking of Fish.
- An Engrossed Bill permitting the Inhabitants of this Province to sue
out writts when pl^{ts} and appear and give judg^t when def^t in
the severall Courts thereof in their own proper persons.

An Engrossed Bill to restrain the ill practices used by Sherr^t in
taking goods by fi: fa: and selling them by conditione Exponas.

The House adjourns till 8 a clock to Morrow Morning
Thursday) Morning August the ninth 1716.

Then the house being called over the Members were present as
yesterday.

The proceedings of the House on Yesterday were read.

The following Engrossed Bill was read and assented to by the Lower
House of Assembly this 9^o day of Aug^o 1716.

Signed order Tho. Maeremara Ch. Lo. Ho.

An Engrossed Bill for repairing the damages already sustained
in the Records of the Land Secretaries Comissarys and County Court
offices, and for the security of the same Records for the future.

Which said Engrossed Bills together with the three last mentioned
Engrossed Bills were sent to the Upt. House by Col. Hoshins W. James
Loyd May^r Hawkins and W. Taster.

They return and say they delivered the Bills.

The following Engrossed Bill was read and assented to by the Lower
house of Assembly this 9^o day of Aug^o 1716. and signed

order Tho. Maeremara Ch. Lo. Ho.