

Mr. Crosby and Mr. Caldwell. They return and say they delivered it - Bill (concerning an act ascertaining the Guage and Tare of Tobacco &c.) was read the first and second times by Special Order and will pass which was do endorsed and sent to the upper house by Mr. Crosby and Mr. Caldwell.

They return and say they delivered it. Col. Holland from the Upper house delivers Mr. Speaker the Petition of John Peter Tenger thus endorsed vizt.

By the Upper house of Assembly April 12th 1720.
This house agrees as above proposed.

Signed for Order John Beale Clk. Up. House.
Colonel Holland from the Upper house delivers Mr. Speaker a Bill for Naturalizing sundry persons therein mentioned thus endorsed vizt.

By the Upper house of Assembly April 12th 1720.
Read the first time and will pass with the addition of the words, after the Crown of Great Brittain within this Province,

Signed for Order Mr. Beale Clk. Up. Ho.
Which was amended accordingly and the bill for the relief of Ephraim Gover thus endorsed vizt.

By the Upper house of Assembly Apr. 12th 1720.
Reads the first time and will pass.

Signed for Order Mr. Beale Clk. Up. Ho.
And the Bill for vesting the old Court House in St. Marys County and the Lot of Land whereon the same stands to the use of the said Parish forever thus endorsed vizt.

By the Upper house of Assembly Apr. 12th 1720.
Reads the first time and will pass.

Signed for Order - John Beale Clk. Up. House.
Which bills were read and pass for Engrossing and sent to the Committee of Laws to be Engrossed.

The Petition of Thomas Hicks and John Davis son and heir of Jeremiah Davis praying that the lands of Col. Tho. Smithson may be subjected to make good a Warranty of Lands to them sold by the said Smithson was read and leave given to bring in a bill to subject as well the lands of Thomas Smithson of Dorchester County as the Lands of Col. Thomas Smithson of Talbot County to make good the Warranty of the two tracts of Land in what the personal Estates of the said two Smithsons shall fall short.

The petition of Benjamin Lawrence and John Bull and Lucy his wife praying leave to bring in a bill to confirm a deed for Henry Gibbs to them made, was read and leave given to bring in a bill as prayed.