

By the Upper house of Assembly
Aug^t 3^d 1716

L. H. J.

Gent.

In answer to your Message by M^r Rousby & three more of your house, His Ex^{ncy} is pleased to declare that in his opinion the right to those ordinary lycences is in my Lord Baltemore, Tho it never was in S^r Thomas Laurence and that the Secretarys may sue any that keep ordinarys or houses of Entertainment upon this Assembly's delaying to ascertain the fines for what they think reasonable and untill such a time that it becomes a General aggrievance which will necessarily oblige the Country to make a Law to remedy the mischief you have now an opportunity to prevent

Signed p order W Bladen Cl: Lo: Ho:

The Consideration whereof is referr'd till the afternoon

L^t Co^l Rich^d Tilghman from the Up^r House delivers M^r Speaker the following Message (Viz)

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This house doe Concurr with your Message by Maj^r Willson & three more of your members relateing to Squirrells and Crows heads or Scalps.

Signed p order W Bladen Cl: Up^r Ho:

Which being read It is ordered the Com^{ee} of laws prepare a Supplementary bill accordingly.

Maj^r James Harris has leave of this house to depart.

The house takeing into Consideration John Broomes Petition Endorsed by the Upper house and referred from Yesterday to be considered of this day the Question was putt whether leave shall be given to bring in a Bill as prayed.

Resolved in the Negative.

On which the following Message was prepared.

By the Lower house of Assembly
4th Aug^t 1716

M^r Broomes Petition and your Endorsment has been Considered and since it is Evident M^r Broom knew of that Inconveniency when he accepted of the said office of Sherriff wee in regard his predecessors has undergone the Inconveniences