

Which being read was approved of and sent up to the Council by M^r Muschamp and M^r Mackall. They return and say they delivered their Message. L. H. J.

Col^o Jenkins, Col^o Lloyd, M^r Cheseldyne, and Col^o Ennalls enter the House and delivers M^r Speaker a Message with the Model relating to Itinerant Justices. P. 105

Ordered to be read in the Afternoon.

Bill against Divulgers of false News Read the first Time and resolved it will not pass. Col^o Jenkins enters the House and delivers M^r Speaker Petition of some Inhabitants on the South side Wiccomoco River in Somersett County praying a Town &^{ia}.

Read in the House and granted.

Col^o Hammond and Col^o Lloyd enter the House and deliver M^r Speaker a Message with some Depositions sealed up. Ordered it be read and referred till Afternoon. Bill for preventing the Exportation of Tobacco out of this Province before the Duties payable be paid. Indorsed March 29th 1707. Read in Council first Time and recommended to the House of Delegates
Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Co.

Which was read in the House the first Time and committed for Amendments

Bill against counterfeiting of foreign Coin of Gold and Silver Indorsed March 29th 1707

Read in Council the first Time and recommended to the House of Delegates.

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Co.

Read in the House the first Time and committed for Amendments

Col^o Edward Lloyd from the Council enters the House and delivers M^r Speaker a Petition of Major Wilson's and a Bill to prevent the breaking open and concealing publick and private Letters &^{ia}

Referred till the Afternoon. The Petition of Philemon Lloyd Esq^r Read in the House and ordered it be read again in the Afternoon

The following Message was read and ordered to be entered Viz.

By his Excellency the Governor and Council in Assembly
March 29th 1707

Least any the members of the House of Delegates should not be sufficiently satisfied of her Majesty's Royal Commands for reducing the Number of the Provincial Justices to four of