

Lib. 41. charged for the negligent Escape of the Prisoners &^{ta} he desired some Time to advise with Council in the Matter which was granted by the House and ordered he appear again to Morrow Morning.

Eight Bills deliv'ed M^r Charles Greenberry to be ingrossed
The House adjourns till two O'Clock Afternoon.

Post Meridiem

The House again met according to Adjournment

Being called over were present as in the morning

The Hoⁿble John Hammond Esq^r from the Council enters the House & acquaints M^r Speaker that the Gentlemen of the Conference ordered this Day is now at the House of M^r Benjamin Fordham and desire that the Gentlemen of this House will attend them immediately.

p. 38 Ordered That M^r Robert Goldsborough, M^r John Contee, Col^o Edward Dorsey, M^r Nicholas Lowe, Col^o James Smallwood and M^r Robert Tyler attend the Conference ordered in the morning The Petition of Cadwaller Edwards Joyner praying Allowance for building the publick Pews being indorsed Viz. Die Martis 22^o May 1705 The Petition being read at this Board his Excellency is pleased to say that he did order the Pet^r to erect the said Pews for the Accomodations of the Gentlemen of the House of Delegates and doubt not but they will do the Petitioner Justice.

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Council

Which being read and debated in the House it is ordered the same be endorsed as followeth Viz.

By the House of Delegates May 22^d 1705

The within Petition of Cadwaller Edwards Joyner was here read and this House took the same into Consideration upon which Inspection being made into the public Accounts do find that he has been allowed ten Pounds Sterling for building the Pews which this House conceive to be a sufficient Satisfaction for the Work and therefore this House do resolve he have no further Allowance

Signed p Order
W. Taylard Cl. Ho. Del.

Sent up by M^r Joseph Gray to his Excellency & Council.

He returns and says he delivered the Petition

The Gentlemen appointed to attend the Conference enter the House & made Verbal Report thereof to the House.

The House adjourns till to Morrow Morning Seven o'Clock