

Friday Morning 27th August 1731.

U. H. J.
Aug. 27

This House met again According to Adjournm^t

Present as Yesterday

A Bill from the lower House by Col. Hermant & M^r Knight Entituled an Act to Supply some defects in a Deed of bargain & Sale from Edward Warner late of London in the Kingdom of Great Brittain Deceased to William Husbards late of Cecil County Decēd. of two Tracts of Land Viz. the one called Stillington the other called Chance both lying & being in Cecil County, thus Endorsed.

By the lower House of Assembly 27th August 1731

Read the first & Second time by an Especial order and will pass.

Signed p Order M. Macnemara Cl. Lo. Ho.

Adjourned till two of the Clock in the afternoon.

Eodem Die Post Meridiem

This House met again According to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

Read the second time the bill Entituled an Act for the Amendment of the Staple of Tobacco by destroying the Trash.

The Question being put whether the Consumption of Trash shall be According to the Number of Tobacco makers proposed in the bill or in proportion to the number of plants, Resolved that it be in proportion to the Number of plants, Ordered that Philemon Lloyd Esq^r Col Tilghman and Col Ward prepare a bill accordingly,

A Bill from the lower House by M^r Crabb & M^r Belt Entituled an Act for the laying out the Towne a New called Marlborough Town in Prince Georges County & for Ascertainning the bounds thereof,

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Read the first time & ordered to lye on the Table.

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Signed p Order M. Macnemara Cl. Lo. Ho.

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Read the second time and will pass

Signed p Order M. Macnemara Cl. Lo. Ho.

Adjourned till to Morrow Morning Eight a Clock.

Saturday Morning 28th Augst 1731.

Aug. 28

This House met again According to Adjournment