

L. H. J. may be properest for the same and which most requisite to be done.

24th That the Severall Chappels be made bigger though they make Chappels of Ease.

Thought the Law already made is Sufficient and that it is one and the same thing since liberty is given to one minister to hold Plurallity of Benefices.

Ordered That the Votes and Resolves of this house upon his Ex^{cy} Proposals be sent up to the hon^{ble} Council.

Resolved by this house that Cap^t Edw^d Blay, M^t W^m Hutchison and Major be a Committee appointed to inspect and eady raised towards building the church and that Proposals or Probability the how much the building is likely to amount to and the Dimensions the same ought to be.

House adjourned for halfe an houre

Post Merediem. House met again.

M^r Charles Carroll Soll^r for his Lordp^s the R^t hon^{ble} the Lord Baron of Baltemore Lord Proprietary of this Province appears in the house and acquaints them, that whereas the house had formerly desired to know [by] what power his Lordp^s Agent Col: Henry Darnall granted lands and that then the s^d Colonel Henry Darnell's Comission being interwoven with other things he could not shew the same, but since having received a Seperate Comission therefore The said M^r Carroll produced the same, and it was read in the house, and Ordered to be recorded in the Secretarys office.

House adjourned till 9 of the Clock to morrow morning

Fryday Sep^t the 25th 1696.

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George Plater Esq^r his Ma^{ty}s Attorney Generall and Collector of Puttuxent District appears in the house and produces Severall Letters by him writt to his Ex^{cy} S^r Edmond Andross his Maj^{ty}s Gov^r of Virginia, and answers from the said S^r Edmond in relation to the publique Revenue of this Province by him taken when he assumed this Government.

The said M^r Plater reads Severall Orders and Instructions from the hon^{ble} his Ma^{ty} Com^{rs} of the Customs to his Ex^{cy} concerning Trade and forfeited Bonds, As likewise the Address of the Parliament in Relation to an Act for erecting in Scotland, His Maj^{ty}s Gracious acceptance act of the Parliament of England made thereupon.