

L. H. J. On Motion of a Member Leave given to bring in a Bill to prevent
Lib. No. 45 the Exportation of grain.

The Address to His Excellency being Ingrossed and Prepared Col Mackall and Col Hanson ordered to Acquaint his Excellency the Governour therewith to desire to know when and where he will please to receive it they return and Acquaint M^r Speaker the Governour will be read to receive the Address at four of the Clock in the afternoon in the Conference Chamber.

The House Adjourns untill two of the Clock in the Afternoon

Post Merediem. The House met According to Adjournment &c.

M^r Brown Captⁿ Elliott M^r George and M^r Goldsborough Appeared in The House this afternoon

Col Hammond from the Upper House Delivers M^r Speaker the Petition of John Bradford a Languishing Prisoner in Prince Georges County Goal Indorsed Referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly which was here read and granted

Col Mackall and Twelve more Sent to present the Address to the Governour

A Bill Entituled an Act to prevent the Exportation of Grain Bread and Flower was read the first time and Committed for Amendments.

The House Adjourned untill to morrow morning at 9 of the Clock

August 13

Saturday Morning August 13th 1737

The House met according to Adjournment &c.

The Governour Communicated to M^r Speaker the following Answer

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly

I Thank you Heartily for your Kind Address and am very well pleased To find that the Care I have Taken to prevent the Exportation of Grain Meets with your Approbation.

Tho the Province is Certainly in Danger of wanting that Necessary Commodity I Cannot but flatter my Selfe that our meeting together at this time may in a great Measure prevent the Calamity we might have been Otherwise Exposed to.

Sam. Ogle.

p. 732 M^r Smith and M^r Key Ordered to acquaint the Reverend M^r Humphrys that he is Desired by This House to read Divine Service morning and Evening during this Session

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