

L. H. J. An Act of Assembly of this Province Entituled A Supplementary Act to the Act Entituled An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Negroes and other Slaves &c^a The Bill entituled An Act for the Benefit of the Poor and Encouragement of Industry. The Bill entituled An Act reviving An Act entituled An Act to prevent the Injuring Harbours within this Province The Bill entituled An Act continuing An Act of Assembly of this Province entituled An Act for the more effectual Punishment of certain Offendors &c. The Bill entituled An Act reviving the supplementary Act to the Act laying an Imposition on Negroes &c^a The Bill entituled An Act for the speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province and for the Encouragement of Jonas Green of the City of Annapolis Printer And the Bill entituled An Act for the Relief of Samuel Deavor &c^a Severally Indorsed. The Ingrossed Bill Whereof this is the Originall is Read and Assented to.

Edmund Jenings Esq^r from the Upper House delivers M^r Speaker the Bill entituled An Act reviving An Act of Assembly of this Province entituled An Act for the speedy Recovery of small Debts before a Single Justice of Peace; And the Bill Entituled An Act reviving An Act of Assembly entituled An Act for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law Severally Indorsed By the Upper House of Assembly July 29th 1741

Read the second time and will not Pass

Signed p Order J Ross Cl Up Ho.

The House Adjourns to 2 of the Clock in the Afternoon

Post Meridiem

The House met again according to Adjournment

The Address to the Kings most Excellent Majesty was Ordered to be Entred on the Journal and was as followeth.

p. 251 To the Kings most Excellent Majesty

The Humble Address of the Delegates of the Freemen of the Province of Maryland in General Assembly Convened
May it please Your Majesty

We Your Majestys dutiful Subjects the Delegates of the Freemen of the Province of Maryland beg leave to Offer our most sincere Congratulations on the Glorious Success of Your Arms in the West Indies in an unavoidable War Your Majesty has been Obliged to Undertake in Vindication of the Honour and Dignity of your Imperial Crown and the Rights of your Injured People

On the first Notice of your Majestys Intentions of raising Troops in America We were with the earliest who Chearfully and Unanimously Granted A Bounty for Encouraging Levies and raising Five hundred Men which Considering our Scarcity of People was the