

Col. Hooper, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Address to his Excellency, Ingrossed; which was read and assented to, and signed by Order of the House by the Honourable Speaker.

Ordered, That Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Oldham do acquaint his Excellency, that this House hath prepared an Address to him, and desires to know when and where he will please to receive it: They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, that the Governor signified he would receive the Address immediately in the Conference Chamber.

Ordered, That Mr. Lloyd and thirteen more do present the Address.

On reading the Report from the Committee of Grievances, relating to the Oath directed by Law to be taken by the several Under Clerks; Ordered, That the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in an Address to his Excellency relating thereto.

The following Message; viz.

By the Lower House of Assembly, June 7, 1751.

May it please your Honours,

THE Desire we have that the legal Creditors of the Public should be paid, has induced us to return your Honours the Journal of Accounts, and acquaint you that the Particulars omitted by Error in the Governor's Account, of 1640 lb. of Tobacco, this House is willing to allow. As for the other Articles mentioned, and referred to in your Message of yesterday, we conceive they are not legal Demands on the Public; therefore cannot allow them. We have good Reason to expect that your Honours will pass the Journal, that the same may not swell, to become too great a Burthen to the People of Maryland.

Signed per Order, M. Macnemara, Cl. Ló. Ho.

Was sent to the Upper House, with the Journal of Accounts, by Mr. Wootton and Mr. Murdock.

The House adjourns until Tomorrow Morning at 7 of the Clock.

Saturday Morning, June 8, 1751.

THE House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as yesterday, except Col. King and Mr. Waggonman. The Proceedings of yesterday were read.

Col. Hooper, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker an Ingrossed Bill entituled, *An Act to impower the Justices of Prince George's County Court to treat and agree with Anne Darnall, &c.* An Ingrossed Bill entituled, *An Act to enable the Vestrymen and Churchwardens of Coventry Parish, &c. to purchase two Acres of Land, &c.* An Ingrossed Bill entituled, *An Act to repeal Part of an Act entituled, An Act to encourage the destroying of Squirrels and Crows, &c.* And an Ingrossed Bill entituled, *An Act for laying out and erecting a Town on Potowmack River, above the Mouth of Rock Creek, &c.* Which were severally read and assented to, and sent to the Upper House, with the Paper Bills, by Mr. Hyland and Mr. Bond.

On further Consideration of the Report referred from last Session, relating to the Payment of Money made by Edward Trippe, Benjamin Bradford, and Richard Porter, to the Commissioners of the Paper Currency Office, in Pursuance of certain Acts of Assembly: The Question was put, Whether the further Consideration of the said Report be referred to the Consideration of the next Assembly; or Not? Resolved in the Affirmative.