

U. H. J.

Saturday October the 31st 1713

The Council Sate Present as yesterday

And L^t Col Matt. Tilghman Ward & three more brought from the House the af^d Report of the Conference about the method of establishing an Agent Assented and agreed to by the House of Delegates which was also assented to by this Board & returned to the House by Samuel Young Esq^r & Col Tilghman

M^r Colegate and three others brought up Viz

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p. 816 We return your Honours all dutifull acknowledgements of your Care in sending such Worthy persons to the Northern and Nanticoke Indians on the Emperour of the Nanticokes leaving his People and highly approve your Honours Conduct therein and hope that you will on all occasions continue your usual Care in such matters. We have given Orders to the Committee of Accounts to make those Gentlemen & Others by them employed such Allowances as We hope & Expect will be to their Satisfaction

Signed p order R^d Dallam Cl Ho Del.

The Petition of John Smith of Cecil County read & referred to the Consideration of the House of Delegates

M^r Macall & M^r Broome came with M^r Rousby Naval Officer of Patuxent to see him sworn to the Accompts of his Collection this year which he did in their presence

The said M^r Rousby as Receiver of Patuxent district also made oath to his Accompts of the 3^d p hh^d and 9^d p hh^d collected this present year

M^r Amos Garrett and three more brought up a Supplementary Bill to the Act for the better administration of Justice in probat of Wills &c

A Bill permitting the Inhabitants of this Province to issue out Writts in their own proper Persons &c.

And a Bill to restrain the ill practice used by Sherriffs &c. Ordered the said Bill be read now & lye upon the Table to be considered on Monday next

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Col James Maxwell the Undertaker for building of Baltimore County Court House pursuant to the Ordinance made