Yesterday's Proceedings are Read.

L. H. J.

Ordered the Comittee of Accounts inspect the Laws and Journalls of the Assembly and report to the House how the Gent of his Lpp's Honble Councill were supported and maintain'd when the Lord Prop^{ry} formerly had the Government

Coll Addison from the upper House delivers M^r Speaker the following Message Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly May the 31th 1717

Gent. Complaint being made to this Board of a great Delay of Justice in Somersett County Court Desire leave may be given the Gent: of your house from that County to appear at this Board to give this Board a true State of the Case.

Signed p Order. Jno Beard Cl uppr ho:

Ordered that M^r Samue^{ll} Hopkins M^r John Purnell and M^r William Whittington jun^r go and appear at that Board who accordingly went

The Pet° of Peter Marsey and Sarah his wife praying Leave to Bring in a Bill to repeale an Act Confirming Jn° Toas his Land to Robert Roberts Read and Ordered that notice be given to Roberts and that he be served with a Copy of this Pet° that Roberts if he think fit may Appear next Sessions and answer the Premisses or that the Pet° will be heard ex parte and leave given to Subpœnâ Evidences to next Sessions.

The house adjourns till One a Clock in the afternoon

Post Meridiem.

The House meet according to Adjournm^t

The house being called The Members appear as in the forenoon

The Question being put whether that part of the Act for Killing Woilves Crows and Squirells that allows four pounds of Tobacco p head for Squirrells shall be repealed. Resolved in the Negative by the Majority of Votes.

Mr Thomas Bordley on a motion made by him obtains the Leave of this House to be admitted of Councill with George Scott of Somersett County for and on the behalf of his Son Day Scott a minor

The Petition of George Scott on behalf of his son Day Scott a minor under the Age of Twenty one Years praying Leave to bring in a Bill to Invest the Heirs of Edw^d Day of an Estate in fee Simple of a Tract of Land lying in Somersett Co^{ty}.