

are in force in our Province of Maryland, you are with the  
Assistance of our Council there to take care that all Laws now in force  
be revised and considered, and if there be any either in ye matter or  
Style of them which may be Retrenched or altered, you are to represent  
ye same unto us with your opinion touching ye said Laws now in force  
whosoever you are to send a competent body unto us and to our Councils  
for trade and Plantations with such alterations as you shall think  
 requisite to ye end our approbation or disallowance may be signified  
 thereupon

The above is a true Copy J. H. W. T.

By his Excellency ye Governour and Council, Octob<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> 1714

We send you here with a Copy of one of her most Sacred Majties  
royall Instructions to her present Governour of this her Province wherein  
she is pleased to direct that all ye Laws thereof should be revised and  
a competent body sent unto her Majesty and ye Councils of trade, and  
desire you will give your directions to ye purpose to ye Councils of Laws  
Signed Order W. B. M. Howard.

Which being Read is ordered to be referred and considered off to morrow  
morning

Then ye House adjourned till to morrow morning nine a Clock  
Thursday morning 7<sup>th</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> 1714

Then ye House met again according to adjournment present as yesterday

Then was Read what was done yesterday

Then was Read ye Petition of ye Vestry of King and Queens parish  
in Saint Marys County referred to ye Consideration of this day & is further  
Resolved to be considered off till Monday next and ye Petitioners or Agents  
are to give notice to Mr. Cuy Inhabitant of Wm and Marys parish in  
Charles County to attend this House then to make his objections if he has  
any against granting ye prayer of ye Petition

The Petition of Gabriel Durr Prisoner in Cecil County Goals for Debt

The Petition of Peter Lowell Prisoner in Calvert County Goals for Debt  
being Read and ye Question put whether leave shall be given to bring  
in a Bill as prayd

Resolved That leave be given to bring in a Bill for their release and discharge  
from their debts and Imprisonment as in their Petitions prayd and ye Committee  
of Law is to prepare ye same

Then his Excellency's Letter was Read and Instructions given to ye Committee of Law  
to prepare an Answer thereto, which they are to bring in with all convenient  
speed

Mr. William Whittington Inhabitant of Annapolis County appeared this  
day in ye Court

God Marshall from ye Committee of Elections and Priviledges Enters ye House and  
makes ye following Report viz<sup>t</sup>

By ye Committee of Elections and Priviledges Octob<sup>r</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 1714

We find Mr. James Ingersoll upon due Examination to be duly Elected a  
Member for Baltimore County according to Law Signed Order J. B. M. C.

By ye Committee of Elections and Priviledges Octob<sup>r</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 1714  
We find Mr. John Scovins upon due Examination to be duly Elected a Member  
for Queen Anns County according to Law Signed Order J. B. M. C.