

severall Persons of Qualitie in Anne-Arundel County th^t will undertake to build a State house Prison & Office at their own Charge onlie to be Repaid by the Countrey when the Buildings are finished & to build a House for his Excelency at their owne Proper Costs & Charges Voted th^t it be necessarie & this House doe Peticōn his Excelencie accordingle.

In Answ^r to w^{ch} Vote the Captaine Gen^l Signifieth to the Lower house That he having by Writeing allreadie declared his Choice & the Publick faith being allreadie passed & Conceiving th^t this Last Paper is noe Answ^r to the last Message of this house touching the Buildings doth not thinke fitte to take anie further notice of the s^d Paper but th^t the Lower house be desired to Signifie to this House of what dimensions the s^d Buildings are to be & then some Persons will Offer themselves as Undertakers of the same.—

Read here an Act for the Limitacōn of Actions ag^t the Survey^r Gen^l of this Province and Voted to be read the Second time.—

Brought in from the Lower house an Act to Reforme the Attorneys Councillors & Solicitors at Law in this Province p. 36

This Act Passed in the Lower house & Voted by this house to be engrossed

Read the Act for Repairing the high Wayes in Charles Countie Passed the Lower house and Voted by this house to be engrossed

Read the Act for Repeale of Certaine Lawes Passed the Lower house & Voted by this house to be engrossed

Reymond Stapleford by George Thompson his Attorney Came againe to defend the Errors assigned ag^t him by Jo. Balley having Craved Libertie of Speaking thereunto this present day being the first day of this Instant June On w^{ch} day allsoe Came Jo. Balley by Rob^t Ridgely his Attorney & Offered himselfe ag^t the s^d Reymond Stapleford of & upon the Errors afores^d And the s^d Reymond Stapleford Saith th^t the afores^d John Balley ought not to have had a Writ of Error ag^t him the s^d Stapleford Because he the s^d Balley ought to have Sued the same out before the Execucōn was served on him the s^d Balley but he the s^d Balley haveing Elapsed th^t Opertunity all th^t he the s^d Balley doth demand of the s^d Stapleford & the Upper house of this Present Gen^l Assembly by Virtue of his Writ of Error if graunted will appeare as Erroneous as anie of the Pretended & Assigned Errors ffor Execucōn served in Law being the End & Period of the Law is like death wth his Sumōns w^{ch} admittes of noe Bayle or releife. And Hereupon the s^d Stapleford Humbly Craveth the Judgm^t of the Upper house of this present Gen^l Assembly.

Ordered th^t Judgm^t by Default goe ag^t the s^d Stapleford un-