

Original
Journal.By the Covncill in Assembly Iuly 6th 1699.

His Ex^{cy} has been this Day pleased this day to Lay before us his Maj^{ties} Royall Comission for the Govern^t of this Province & therein observed a Clavse touching the Publick Seale of this province in these words and our will and pleasure is that you shall and may Keep the Publick Seal appoynted or to be appoynted by us for the Province of Maryland as by the Comission herewith sent appears By w^{ch} his Mas^{ties} Royall Comission & authority to his Ex^{cy} to Keep and use that seal appears to this board past denyall

p. 28 It is therefore Recomend^d to the house of Delegates to Compose such a Law to regulate the Chan^y proceedings instead of the former as may answer his Maj^{ties} Comānds in that perticuler w^{ch} is hoped may redoune to the Benefitt and Ease of the people

Signed p Ord^r
W Bladen Clk Council.

Ord^d that M^r James Crawford M^r Benjamen Hall M^r Richard Tilghman M^r Philip hoskins M^r Io^h Carvill returne his Ex^{cy} his Maj^{ties} Royall Commission.

Who returne and say they Deliverd their Message.

The house adjournes till Two of Clock

Eod Die the house Mett & were againe called over

Read the Conveyance for the Land at the Coole springs & ord^d to be amended.

A Bill for the Transferring unto Maj^r W^m Whittington the Debts due from the officers of Sum^rsett County by vertue of an act for raising a Supplye towards the Defraying of the Publick Charge of this Province read the first time.

Read Coll: Rob Quarrys Petition praying that he may be abated the four pence p Gallon for one thousand gall of Rum imported by him into this Province & Casually lost by the Tide

Put to the vote if he shall be allowed for six hund^d Gallons or not and Carryed in the affirmative

Resolved that he be allowed the four pence p Gallon for six hundred Gallens soe by him Lost

By the house of Delegates Iuly 6th 1699:

According to former Message from yo^r Ex^{cy} and Covncill this house have called Maj^r Edw^d Dorsey before them and Inquired of him whether he would Submitt to such fine as the Gen^rall Assembly should impose upon him for his Negligence and Deficiencye in not Carrying on and finishing of the