Tuesday May the 13th 1701 The Councill in Assemby Sate Present

Original Journal.

His Excy the Governour

The Honble { Thomas Tench Esq Col° John Addison Thoms Brooke Esq Col° Francis Jenkins } Index of the color of

Ordered that M^r James Frisby and M^r Robert Smith carry p. 20 this Message to the house viz^t

By his Excellency the Governor & Councill
May the 13th 1701.

If you are come to any Resolutions in reference to the Proposed Matter of the Conference this Board are desirous to be acquainted therewith

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl Concil.

The Petition of the Vestrymen of S^t James' Parish in Ann Arundel County read praying an Act of Assembly to Oblige and Impower Thomas Tench Esq^t to lay out & Ascerteine one hundred Acres of Land given the Church of that Parish by M^{ts} Elizabeth Rigby & her Husband M^t James Rigby.

Ordered that the said Petition be recomended to the house of Delegates for such Act to be prepared & Passed this Ses-

sions.

The Petition of M^r Peregine Brown praying remittance of 26^{lb} the Duty of 26 Negros who died before Sale or any Advantage made of them is read & referred to the House of Delegates.

The Petition of the Inhabitants of the upper End of King & Queen Parish & the Inhabitants of William & Mary Parish in Charles County being read is referred to the house for an Act to be made for reddress of their Complaint

The Widow Morton's Petition read & recomended to the

Charitable Consideration of the house.

The Petition of Jasper Yates of Pensilvania Merch^t Praying that M^r Nicholas Milburns Estate in this Province may be

sold for payment of his Just Debts.

Also the Petition of Mr Robert Grundy & Mr Nicholas Low Exrs of the said Milburn praying the Same read & recomended to the house for an Act to be prepared therefore went was sent to the house by Mr Smith and Mr Jenkins.

The Petition of Col William Whittington late Sheriffe of Somersett County read praying remittance of a ffine of 1000 of Tobbo for not returning his Writts in time upon good rea-

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