

Original this province in one yeare and lessen his Mat^{ys} revenue more
Journal. then double the sūme that we pay besides the danger of this
province being over runn and destroyed by Salvages in the
meantime.

9^{thly} And that his Maj^{ty} on consideracōn thereof and his
gracious regards for our Safety will be pleased to Exempt
us from th^t or any other contribution to New York and direct
that the s^d money or w^t other Strength wee cann raise may
be applyed to the defence of this his province of Maryland
ag^t the Incursions of his Maj^{ty}s and our enemys. That soe
wee with comfort and Quiett apply ourselves to our Manu-
factures of Tobb^o for our owne Supporte and increase of his
Maj^{ty}s revenue.

The house adjournes till 2 a Clock in the Afternoone.

Post Mered. the house mett according to adjournment.
and were all p^rsent as in the morning.

Bill Engrossed prohibiting horse races on Satturday.

Bill for p^rservation of Orphans Estates Read the 1 & 2^d
time and pass. And are sent up to his Ex^{cy} and Councill by
M^r John Salter and M^r Charl. Greenberry, who ret. and say
they delivered the same.

The Peticōn of Jonathan Price a Seaman for allowance was
here read and rejected.

An Account of Jn ^o Bateman for an allow- ance of	£	s	d
	08..	14..	00
An Acc ^t of Mycajah Perry for an allowance of	11..	16..	00

Were produced and Read in the house but forasmuch as
the same acc^{ts} were not proved nor signed by any p^rson.

It is Resolved both accounts be rejected.

Thomas Brooke Esq^r Coll^o Jn^o Hamond Coll^o Edward
Loyd and M^r James Saunders, enters the house and brings
with them

A Bill for p^rservation of Orphans Reall Estate, Endorsed.

Read 1st and 2^d time and agreed to

W^m Bladen Clk Councill.

And the following Message brought down with it.

By his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r and his Maj^{ty}s Councill in
Assembly March 24th 1701/2

This Board doe willingly concurr with the offer of the house
of Delegates and desire his Ex^{cy} to accept thereof who returns
this Gen^l Assembly his hearty thanks.

Signed p order, W Bladen clk Councill.