

Lloyd in this particular Whether your Honours intend to have P. R. O. the Words (if her Ma^{ty} shall think fitt) included or left out of the bill

Signed p ord^r

W Taylard Clk house of Dell

To which it was answered that those Words (if her Ma^{ty}s shall think fitt) were intended to be included.

M^r Salter & M^r Bradley from the house to acquaint his Ex^{cy} that they have nothing more at p^rsent before y^m

His Ex^{cy} is Advis'd by her Ma^{ty}s councill to Dissolve this p^rsent Gen^l Assembly & to call a New one some time in September next

M^r Tench & M^r Smith Sent to tell M^r Speaker & the Members of the house that his Ex^{cy} Expects that they should immediately attend him in councill.

Whereupon M^r Speaker & the house & M^r Speaker [sic] presented to his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r the Acts of this Sessions viz^t

An Act of Recognition [&c.]

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To all which his Ex^{cy} was pleas'd to Assent endorsing them Severally as follows viz^t

See Journal of Assembly (Vol. 18. p. 47.) But "the act for regulateing Militia" does not appear here.

Maryland May the 3^d 1704.

On behalf of her most Sacred Ma^{ty} Anne by the Grace of God of England Scotland France & Ireland & the Dominions thereto belonging Queen Defender of the Faith &c. I will this to be a Law.

And then subscribed them & Seald them with the Great Seale of the province in p^rsence of the Assembly After w^{ch} his Ex^{cy} was pleasd to say

[Gen]t

I Thanke you on her Majestyes behalfe for your hearty Endeav^{rs} this present Sessions, and assure you I have not the least reason to be Dissatisfyed with yo^r proceedings, tho' I could have wished this Sessions might haue continued soe long, as to haue answered her Majestyes Royall instructions But for that the Trade and Shippeing requires you att your respectiue habitaōns, I shall be att p^rsent contented with the Expectaōn of seeing you againe some few moneths hence, and now being advised by her Majestyes hoñble Councill that itt will be to the Satisfaction of the inhabitants to haue anew Election this p^rsent Grall Assembly, haueing continued for