

Lib. 41.

Post Meridiem

The House met according to Adjournment.

Being called over were present as in the Morning.

Read the Petition of Samuel Dorsey of Ann Arundel County the Consideration whereof is referred till Monday Morning.

The Petition of M^r Edw^d Hancox praying Preemption of a small House built by the Public at Wapping Wharf read and rejected.

The Petition of Job Evans & Sarah his wife relating to fifty Pounds Sterling allowed John Perry late constituted Post of this Province read and ordered the Petitioner appear on Monday Morning and produce his Proofs to maintain the Petition Upon the Petition of the Men that guarded the Powder House praying Relief in receiving Pieces of Eight at six shillings for their Services and that the House will grant them Allowance to make up their just Pay Resolved they be advanced Money to make good their Pay according to their Allowance by the Committee of Accounts and that M^r Charles Carroll make good to the Treasurer the money according to her Majesty's Proclamation

The House adjourns till Monday Morning Eight O'Clock

Monday April 8th 1706

The House met again according to Adjournment.

Being called over were present as on Saturday.

Upon reading the Paragraph of Aggrievances relating to Land Records Ordered M^r Coode and M^r Josephs be called into the House, who appeared and the House having examined fully the matter against Col^o Coode relating to that Land Record they are ordered to withdraw and being withdrawn, the House proceed to debate the same but finding no proof therefore dismiss.

p. 61 The Petition of Thomas Reading referred till this Day ordered to be read and the Pet^r called into the House, who appeared and the Petition read as followeth.

To the Honble Speaker and the Honble Members of the House of Delegates.

The humble Petition of Thomas Reading constituted Printer of the Province of Maryland, humbly prays

That your Honours will please to order the Laws of this Province to be printed and this House would give him Encouragement for the speedy finishing the same; and that your Honours would please to settle some Annual Salary for his Support and Encouragement for which he will be obliged to