

U. H. J. By the House of Delegates October 27th 1710

This House being informed several Palatines were come to Settle in this Province and being willing & desirous to Encourage those poor People in their Industry have resolved that those Palatines with their Servants shall be free this present year from paying any publick or County charge or Levy and to which they pray the Concurrence of the Honble Council
Signed p order R Dallam Cl Del.

Which being read and the Board being likewise desirous to Encourage the said Palatines and make them as easy as possibly they can do readily Concur with the Houses resolve Which was Signed p Order W Bladen Cl Coun.

And sent to the House by Col Greenberry & M^r Hall
Cap^t Hans Tilghman's Account & Petition sent to the House of Delegates for their Consideration & recommended that a reasonable Allowance be made him so that he be not Discouraged from Serving the Country

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This Board being informed that the honble Col Thomas Addison had her most Sacred Majesty's Warr^t to be of her Council in this Province, Ordered that Notice be given him that they were now sitting

Whereupon the s^d Col Addison came and produced the s^d Warrant under her Majesty's Sign Manual and lesser Seale Counter Signed by the Right Honble the Earl of Sunderland her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State and dated the 15th Jan^y 1708/9 appointing the s^d Col Addison of her Council in this Province and thereupon the s^d Col Addison had administred to him the Oaths appointed instead of the oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy the Oath of Abjuration and the Oath of a Councillour in this Province which he took and subscribed the Test and Abjuration Oath and then took his place at the Board

The Representation of M^r John Dansey her Majesty's Receiver of Potowmack District read as followeth Viz.

May it please your Honours

By Virtue of your Honour's power to me granted to be her Majesty's Receiver of the District of Potowmack In pursuance thereof I was directed by her Majesty's Attorney for the County of S^t Marys to make a Demand of the Estate of one George Askin of Charles County being forfeited to her Majesty In obedience I made Demand and found it lodged in the Hands of Madam Mary Contee whose answer was that she