1732 A Act was then passed Laying a duty of fifteen pence Sterling for Every Hogshead of Tobacco which shall be Exported for and during the space of thirty one years next ensuing the twenty Nineth day of September in the year aforesaid for the better supporting the Credit of Ninety thousand pounds emitted and made Current in Bills of Credit Lib. C. B.

The Ordinary expences are for Support of the Governor, an allowance to the Council & Upper & Lower houses of Assembly during their Attendance, and the Payment of the Superior Courts of Law, and Officers in several Inferior Stations: As the Extraordinary Expences are only made on particular Occasions, they rarely happen so as to amount to a considerable Sum Except Lately for Raising Supplying and Transporting several forces by his Majestys command for the West India and Canada Expeditions, and a Treaty of Peace with the Indians and for which Provision was made by the Assembly

The Establishments as well Civil as Military depend on the powers Granted by the Royal Charter to the Lord Baltimore under whom all the Officers (except the Collectors & Surveyors of his Majesty's Customs) hold their places.

Sir

In Obedience to their Lordships Directions signifyed to me by your Letter of the 8th of June last, but which did not come to my hands till the 8th of December following, that I should p. 395 give particular Answers to the several heads of Enquiry therein inclosed I have sent you as soon as possibly I could such a Return thereof as I hope may be agreeable to their Lordships and desire you'l be pleased to lay the same before them I am Sr

Yr most humble Servant

To Thomas Hill Esqr S: Ogle

Secretary to the Board of Trade

At a Council held at the house of his Excy the Governor in the City of Annapolis on Wednesday the 17th Day of January in the 35th year of his Lordships Dominion Annoq Domini 1749

Present

His Excellency Samuel Ogle Esqr Governor

The honourable { Benjamin Tasker Esqr, Edmund Jenings Esqr, Col Chas Hammond } Daniel Dulany Esqr, Benedict Calvert Esqr

Ordered by His Excellency the Governor with the Advice of this Board that the present General Assembly of this Prov-