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L. H. J. Dimensions of which House are as mentioned in Folio 103 of Lib. 41 the Journals of last Sessions to be built 25 Foot long and 18 foot wide and ten Foot Pitch sawed Frame planked within Side and without well shingled and to be built on the publick Ground.

Col^o Addison and Col^o Tilghman from the Honble Council enters the House and delivers M^r Speaker the Bill reviving and continuing an Act of Assembly of this Province Entituled an Act for ordering and regulating the Militia of this Province for the better Security and Defence thereof and for supplying some Defects therein with the following Endorsement Viz.

By the Council in Assembly July 1st 1714.

Read in Council and will pass.

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Con.

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By the House of Delegates July 1st 1714.

The same was read in the House and passed for engrossing.

The House adjourns till One O'Clock in the Afternoon

Thursday Afternoon.

The House met again according to Adjournment. Present as in the Morning.

The Petition of Thomas Macnemara sent down by Col^o Whittington from the Honble Council is read and ordered to be entered as follows

To his Excy the Gov. and Council in Assembly

The humble Petition of Thomas Macnemara Humbly Sheweth

That whereas your Petitioner has with many others joined in a Petition to your Excy and Honours praying Leave to speak to a Bill for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law; Your Petitioner being employed in the publick Service could not attend your Excy and Honours at the Time appointed for hearing the other Petitioners; That your Petitioner hopes he has some Reasons not urged by the other Petitioners to offer whereby he hopes to gain your Excy and Honour's Recom-