

to your own Use three fourth Parts of the Moiety of the Impost of two Shillings p Hhd on Tobacco appropriated as aforementioned by the said Act And you are to take especial Care that according to the Intention of the said Act the remaining fourth Part of the Moiety of the said Impost be duly applied towards maintaining a constant Magazine with Arms and Ammunition for the Defence of our said Province. L H. J.

Article 27. And you are to recommend to the next General Assembly the raising of such other Supplies from Time to Time as may be sufficient for defraying the other necessary Charges of that Government P. 525

The House adjourns till to Morrow Morning Eight O'Clock

Thursday Morning 12th May 1715

The House met according to Adjournment. Present as on Yesterday

Then was read the Proceedings of this House on Yesterday

The Petition of Thomas Hynson Wright as Guardian to John Coursey to confirm Lands &^{ta} being read this Day in the House the Consideration thereof is referred till next Sessions and Parties against whom Remedy is prayed Viz. the Heirs of Henry Coursey, Decēd are to have Notice by delivering a Copy of the Petⁿ and the Indorsement thereon made.

Col^o John Mackall from the Committee of Laws delivers M^r Speaker the Bill for Relief of Peter Sewall a languishing Prisoner in Calvert County which was read the first and second Time by especial Order and ordered to be thus indorsed Viz.

By the House of Delegates
May the 12th 1715

Read the first and second Time by especial Order and will pass.

Signed p Order Tho. Macnemara Cl. Ho. Del.

M^r Thomas Bordley from the Committee of Laws delivers M^r Speaker the following Report Viz.

By the Committee of Laws
May the 12th 1715

It is humbly proposed that the Act directing the Manner of electing & summoning Delegates be reenacted with the following Amendments Viz.

That the Votes of psons having a visible Estate in any