

Amendment in the last Line but one Viz. except such as shall L. H. J.
be taken in the Name or for the use of our Sovereign Lord
the King his Heirs and Successors

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl Council.

Eodem Die

Read again in the House of Delegates with the Amend-
ment proposed and past for ingrossing.

Col^o John Mackall from the Committee of Laws delivers
M^r Speaker a Bill for the publishing and recording the Laws
&^{ta} and transmitting Journals of the House of Delegates to
the Secretary's Office, which is read the first and second Time
by especial Order and ordered to be thus indorsed

By the House of Delegates

May the thirteenth 1715

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

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

The said Bill is sent to the Hoⁿble Council by M^r Wright
and Major Ward

They return and say they delivered the same.

And also Col^o Mackall from the same Committee delivers
M^r Speaker a Bill laying an Imposition on Irish Servants &
Negroes and on several Sorts of Liquors imported into this
Province and for encouraging the Inhabitants to adventure
their Vessels more freely abroad. Which was read the first
and second Time and committed to the Committee of Laws
for Amendment.

M^r Parran and Cap^t Mariarte are sent up to the Hoⁿble
Council with John Rousby Esq^r Naval Officer of Patuxent
District to see him prove his Acc^{ts}

They return and say they saw him prove his Accounts.

The following Address being prepared is ordered to be
entered Viz.

By the House of Delegates

May the 13th 1715

Upon Perusal of the 26th Article of her late Majesty's Instruc- p. 531
tions concerning the 12^d p Hhd. given for the Use and Sup-
port of the Government of this Province to be applied by
your Excellency in the Manner as in the said Article is
directed and on Perusal of the Accounts of John Rousby
Esq^r one of the Officers that collected 3^d p Hhd Part of the