

U. H. J. taken in this Province. Read in their House the first & second times and so Endorsed by especial order will pass

The honble Col Holland, & L^t Col Sam^l Young Enter the Council & take their places at the Board

His Excellency was pleased to communicate to the Board the 26th & 27th Articles of his Instructions Viz.

Article 26th. And Whereas by an Act passed in the Assembly of Maryland the 30th April 1679 An Impost is by the said Act appropriated for the Use & Support of that Government Our Will and Pleasure is that towards your Maintenance in the Government of the said Province you take to your use three fourth Parts of the moiety of the Impost of two Shillings p^h on tob^o appropriated as aforementioned by the said Act And you are to take Especial Care that According to the Intentions of the said Act the remaining part of the moiety of the said Impost be duly applyed towards the maintaining a constant magazine with Arms & Ammunition for the defence of our said Province

Article 27th. And you are to recommend unto the next General Assembly the raising of such other Supplys from time to Time as may be Sufficient for defraying the other necessary Charges of that Government

p. 57 Which being Read at the Board Resolved the said Copy of the two aforementioned instructions be sent to the Delegates. Which said Instructions were ordered to be communicated to the Delegates by Col Greenfield

The Board adjourned till nine of the Clock to morrow Morning

Thursday May the 12th 1715

The Honourable his Majesty's Council Sate Present as yesterday. And Adjourned till four of the Clock in the Afternoon

Post Meridiem

The Honble his Majesty's Council Sate

Present

His Excell^{cy} the Governour

The Honble	{	Col W ^m Holland	John Hall Esq ^r
		Col Tho ^s Ennalls	Col W ^m Whittington
		L ^t Col Sam ^l Young	Col Tho ^s Addison
		Col Tho ^s Greenfield	Philemon Lloyd Esq ^r &
			L ^t Col. Rich ^d Tilghman.

Cap^t Mariartee & Cap^t Trippe brought up a Bill prohibiting the Importation of Bread Beer Malt flower or other English