

By the Lower house of Assembly
Aug the 1st 1716.

L. H. J.

Gent.

Your Endorsment on the bill for the better security of the peace and Safety of his Lordships Governm^t and the protestant Interest within this Province of yesterday whereby you mention an Exemption of those that manage his Lordships private Estate within this Province Being Considered wee think it necessary to avoid future debates that such offices as are to be Exempted be particularly named in the Bill and desire your honours will name such as you shall think Reasonable should be exempted.

Signed p order. Tho: Macnemara Cl: Lo: ho:

Sent up by Co^l Scott, and Cap^t Codd who return and say they delivered it.

The house Adjournes till to morrow morning 8 a Clock.

Thursday morning 2^d Aug^t 1716.

The house being called over members were present as yesterday.

Co^l Herman being Indisposed is Excused from further attendance this Session.

A Bill for Releif of Susannah Johnson Confirming 3 small tracts of land in Annarundell County on her and her heirs was read the third time and past for Engrossing.

A Bill for transferring the fines to the Lord Prop^{ry} &c: was read the 3^d time and past for Engrossing.

Ordered that Thomas Macnemara be allowed fifteen thousand pounds of Tob^o for his Sallary as Clerk of this house for this year Ending next fall and that for every year hereafter the Clerk for the time being be payd fourteen thousand pounds of Tob^o the said Sallary to be paid in A. A. Calvert and Prince Georges Countys and that therefore the Clerks shall serve in Assembly must record the Journalls of every Sessions hereafter, & deliver M^r Speaker a fair Copy of them

The house took into Consideration the Endorsment made by the Upper house on the 31st of July last on a Bill for p. 194 makeing good a Sale of land from Joseph Bridger deced to Thomas Jones deced &c: and in answer thereto ordered the following Indorsment to be made (Viz)

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In answer to your Endorsment on this Bill whereby you desire to be satisfied how and when M^r Thomas Jones decēd