

Treasurer of the Western Shore for so much money as he shall U. H. J.
 have Occasion of towards carrying on the work at their Dis-
 cretion; and on finishing the said Work to order him the Bal-
 lance that shall be then remaining due to him; we are willing
 to agree thereto, and accordingly have Entered a Resolve on
 our Journal with which we desire your Honours Concurrence
 Signed p order M: Jenifer Cl. Lo. Ho.

Adjourned till to Morrow morning nine a Clock.

Tuesday February the 27th 1721

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Met according to Adjournment

Present

His Honour the Governour

The Honble	{	Col W ^m Holland	Col Rich Tilghman
		Col Sam ^l Young	Col M. Tilgh. Ward
		John Hall Esq ^r	James Bowles Esq ^r
		Col Tho ^s Addison	John Rousby Esq ^r

Members of the Upper house

A message from the Lower House by M^r James Stoddert and five Others which is as follows Viz.

By the Lower House of Assembly

February the 27th 1721

May it please Your Honours

We have debated your Honours Message of yesterday by Esq^r Hall and two others of Your House, and are come to the following Resolutions thereon

1st That the Penalties imposed be recover'd before any single Justice of the Peace, in Regard Two may differ in Opinion, and they may live so remote as it may be difficult to procure them

2nd That on Conviction the Tobacco seiz'd shall be destroyed in the presence of the Justice before whom such Conviction shall happen, and the Party Informing to have the Benefit in the former Law mentioned

3rd That every Person in this Province consume his trashy or bad Tobacco as he Strips his Crop yearly under the penalty of one thousand Pounds of good Tobacco for every such Offence, to be Convicted by the Oath of the party Informing (in Case such trashy or bad Tobacco be remov'd) before any single Justice; and if such trashy or Bad Tobacco be not