

L. H. J. And Delivers the Petition of the Inhabitants about Elk Ridge for Erecting a Parish there thus Endorsed Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly Oct<sup>r</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> 1727

Read and referr'd to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly

Signed p Order Geo: Plater Cl: Up: Ho.

Which being read Ordered that the Several Incumbents have Notice thereof that if they think fit they may Appear & make their Objections against bringing in a bill . . . thereon

p. 45 . . . . . Encouraging the making Hemp . . . . . Endorst and Sent to . . . . . M<sup>r</sup> Scott.

. . . . . some Defects in the Act for . . . . . Religious Worship was read the first time and on the Question Put ordered a Second reading to morrow

A Bill Declaring the Bounds of Two Acres of Land Heretofore Granted to Great Choptank Parish was read the first and Second times by Especial Order and Past

Which was so Endorst and Sent to the Upper House p Cap<sup>n</sup> Rodger and M<sup>r</sup> Pritchett.

They return and Say they Delivered it

The House Adjourns till to Morrow Morning Nine a Clock

October 24

Tuesday Octo<sup>r</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> 1727

p. 46 The House met According to . . . . .

Yesterdays Proceedings . . . . . in Calvert County . . . . . In Charles County John . . . . . In Prince Georges County . . . . . In Baltimore County Joseph . . . . . In Cecil County John Seager . . . . . In Queen Ann's County Tho<sup>s</sup> . . . . . In Talbot County Phillip Feddeman at the Court House

In Dorchester County James Woolford at Cambridge In Somerset County Henry Ballard at Monokin Bridge Thereupon the same Bill was read again by Especial Order and Past which was so Endorsed and sent to the Upper House p M<sup>r</sup> Hawkins and Cap<sup>n</sup> Blackistone

They return and say they delivered it

Charles Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker a Bill for Erecting a Court House at the Head of Portobacco in Charles County, And the Bill in Favour of Edward Kitton severally thus Endorsed Viz.

p. 47 . . . . . Relief of Betty Gale and Levin Gale . . . . . Deceased Read the Second Time . . . . . Endorsed and Sent to the Upper House by Maj<sup>r</sup> King & M<sup>r</sup> Stoughton