

L. H. J. The Petition of Thomas Taylor thus Endorst,

By the Upper house of Assembly 15th July 1731.

Read and referred to the Consideration of the Lower house of Assembly.

Signed p Order. J^{no} Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

The Petition of Robert Linch thus Endorst,

By the Upper House of Assembly 15th July 1731.

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Signed p Order. J^{no} Ross Cl Up. Ho.

The House Adjourns till Two of the Clock in the Afternoon

Thursday at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon.

The House met according to Adjournment.

The Members were Called & all Present as in the Morning. M^r Daniel Scott a Member of this House Appears this Afternoon.

The Petition of William Nimmo was read & Granted. The Petition of Thomas Taylor was read & Granted The Petition of Robert Linch was read & Rejected

p. 295 The following Message being read & Approved of [The text of this message is printed at page 194.] Sent to the Upper House by James Harris Esq^r and M^r Samuel Hanson, who return and Say they Delivered the same.

A Motion was made by a Member of this House whether leave shall be Given to bring in a Bill for regulation of Ordinary keepers, The Question being put it was Carried in the Affirmative.

M^r George from the Committee of Laws brings in a bill Empowering the Justices of Calvert County to Levy on the Taxable persons of that County any sum of Tobacco not Exceeding Ten thousand pounds of Tobacco to pay for finishing the Court House of the said County which was read the first and Second time by an Especial Order & will pass. Signed p order W^m Cumming Cl. Lo. Ho.

Sent to the Upper House by M^r Walter Smith & Maj^r Adderton Skinner, They return & say they Delivered the same.

Mathew Tilghman Ward Esq^r from the Upper House Delivers M^r Speaker the following Message. [The text of this message is printed at page 194.]

The House Adjourns till to Morrow Morning Eight of the Clock