L. H. J. Sent to the Upper House by M^r John Magruder & Capⁿ Edward Sprigg, Who return & say they Delivered the Same.

The Petition of Kennith Mackenny referred from the last Session of Assembly this day read & Rejected.

A motion being made that a bill be brought in to prevent the Clandestine running of Trashy Tobacco from Virginia and to Distroy Trashy Tobacco in Maryland

The Question was put whether a bill shall be brought in to prevent the Importation of Trashy Tobacco from Virginia into this Province and to Distroy Trashy Tobacco in Maryland Carried in the Affirmative.

Phillip Lee Esq^r from the Upper House Delivers M^r Speaker the p. 298 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 the finishing the Court House of the County thus Endorst,

By the Upper House of Assembly 16th July 1731
Read the first time & Ordered to Lye on the Table.

Signed p Order Jno Ross Cl. Up. Ho.
And thus.

By the Upper House of Assembly 17th July 1731.

Read the Second time & will pass

Signed p Order Jn° Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

Which said bill was read here & Passed for Ingrossing

The Clerk is Ordered to write and acquaint Coll^o Thomas Trueman Greenfeild Capⁿ Thomas Waughop & M^r John Young of S^t Marys County and Capⁿ William Elliott of Queen Anns County Absent Members that they are wanted in the House.

Benjamin Tasker Esq^r from the Upper house delivers M^r Speaker the Bill for the Continuance of Process in Baltemore County Court thus Indorsed.

By the Upper house of Assembly 16th July 1731.

Read the first time and Ordered to Lye on the Table

Signed p Order Jn° Ross Cl Up. Ho.

And thus.

By the Upper House of Assembly 17th July 1731.

Read the Second time & will pass

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