By the Upper house of Assembly 23^d May 1730

U. H. J.

Gentlemen

The agreement made by the Commissioners appointed by both Houses last Sessions with a Workman to build a Seperate Repository for the Records not being Complyed with, the Workmen being Runaway, and as the same Reason still Subsists for the building such Repository, We desire you'l appoint some of your Members to join Benjamin Tasker Esq^r a member of this House, that they may agree with other Workmen for the performance of so Useful a Building for the publick Good

Signed p Order John Ross Cl. Up. Ho.

Read the Petition of John Smith Prisoner in Prince Georges County Goal and Rejected.

Adjourned till two of the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die Post Meridiem

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

A Message from the Lower House by Collo Hanson and Capt Gordon

By the Lower House of Assembly May the 23d 1730

May it please Your Honours

In Answer to your Message of this Day by Benjamin Tasker Esq^r This House doth appoint Major Robert Hanson and Cap^t Rob^t Gordon to Join Benjamin Tasker Esq^r appointed by your House to Agree with Workmen to build a seperate Repository for the Records.

Signed p Order M: Macnemara Cl: Lo: Ho:

His Excellency the Governour is pleased to deliver His Answer to the Address of this house in the following words Viz.

Gentlemen

The kind terms of your Address, require this return of thanks, which I tender to you most sincerely; The Dependance I have on your Zeal for the Publick Good, is a great pleasure to me since I promise my self great Assistance from your Advice in promoting the mutual Prosperity of the Lord Proprietary and his Tenants.

Benedict Leonard Calvert.

Ordered The Address and Answer to be Printed Adjourned till Monday morning Eight of the Clock.