

of Messages between the Houses, and by a free Communication of the Sentiments of Each House afford an Opportunity of Establishing a Militia Law upon the best foundation.

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct. Lo. Ho.

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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

Read the Petition of Richard Dallam of Calvert County, praying Leave to bring in a Bill to Record a Mortgage made Anno 1709 of a Tract of Land in Baltimore County called Batsons Forest by Edward Batson, to the said Dallam, Rejected, the Petitioner not having Complied with the Resolution of this House, made at a Session of Assembly Anno 1731

Read the Petition of Several the Inhabitants of the Town of Joppa in Baltimore County praying a Bill may be brought in to appoint Comm<sup>rs</sup> to dispose of the Lotts not formerly Taken up in the said Town, and to dispose of the money due to the said Town for the Lotts taken up therein, Rejected

Read the Petition of James Maxwell and Ann Maxwell of Baltimore County and Hannah Johns Relict and Devisee of Asel Maxwell Deceased praying Leave to bring in a Bill to make Valid the Will of James Maxwell deceased, Rejected the Petition<sup>rs</sup> not having Complied with the Resolution of this House made at a Session of Assembly Anno 1731

The following Message being prepared is sent to the Lower House by Cot Ward

By the Upper House of Assembly 22<sup>d</sup> March 1732

Gentlemen

This House hath Nominated Cot Matthew Tilghman Ward and Edmund Jenings Esq<sup>rs</sup> Conferees to joyn such Members as your House shall appoint, in Relation to the Bill for Regulating the Militia &c. as proposed by your Message of this Day by Cot Gale and Cot Hanson

Signed p Order John Ross Ct. Up Ho.

A Message from the Lower House by Cot Gale and three more

By the Lower House of Assembly 22<sup>d</sup> March 1732

May it please Your Hon<sup>rs</sup>

This House hath Nominated Cot Gale Cot Hanson Cot Belt and Major Sprigg to join Members Appointed by your House in a Con-

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