

To avert which Evils we are obliged thus humbly to apply to your Lordship & to beseech you to commiserate the unhappy Condition to which your Tenants will certainly be reduced and to accept of a Sum of Mony to be raised in the best and easiest manner It can be by the Legislature in lieu of your Quit Rents and Alienation Fines, and that your Lordship will be pleased to give Instructions to his Excell^{ty} the Governour or Directions in such other manner as your Lordship shall think fitt concerning this important Affair

U. H. J.
Lib. No. 33

The following message is sent to the Lower House with the Address by Benjamin Tasker Esq^r

By the Upper House of Assembly 23^d April 1735

Gentlemen

Upon reading and considering the Address to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary sent up by your House We do approve of the same and have sent it in Order to be Engrossed as proposed in your Message of this Day by M^{rs} King and Sprigg

Signed p Order John Ross Ct Up Ho.

Read the first and second time by an especial Order the Bill prepared in this House Entituled an Act concerning Tobacco passed, and sent to the Lower House by Col Ward

An Engrossed Bill from the Lower House by M^{rs} Ward and Hawkins Entituled an Act to Enable the Secretary of this Province for the Time being to record and Enter up the Proceedings of the Provincial Court which were Omitted to be done during the Continuance of Vachel Denton in the office of the said Clerk in the said Court thus Subscribed p. 367

23^d April 1735

Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo Ho.

Read & Assented to by this House & ordered to be so Subscribed the Paper Bill so Endorsed is sent to the Lower House by George Plater Esq^r

Adjourned until two of the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die post Merediem

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

An Engrossed Bill from the Lower House by M^{rs} Johnson and Trippe Entituled an Act for taking out of the Office of the Comm^{rs}