

and Hammond to prepare an Address to the Right Honourable the U. H. J.  
Lord Proprietary conformable to the Report of the Conferees in  
Relation to the Advancement of the Credit of the Paper Currency

Signed p Order John Ross Ct Up Ho.

A Bill from the Lower house by M<sup>rs</sup> Belt and Jordan Entituled  
an Act for the Relief of Isaac Tunney a languishing Prisoner in  
Talbot County Goal William Pratt in the same Goal Richard  
Standforth in Charles County Goal and Samuel Steel in Queen Anns  
County Goal thus Endorsed

By the Lower house of Assembly 6 April 1736

Read the first and second time by Especial Order & will pass

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo Ho

Read the first time in this house & Ordered to lye on the Table

Read the second time the Bill Entituled an Act ascertaining the  
Gauge of Tobacco hogsheads and to prevent cutting cropping and de-  
facing Tobacco taken on board Ships and Vessels upon freight and to  
prevent making seconds; passed with the following Amendm<sup>ts</sup> in  
the last Line of the first Page instead of the Words, the last Day  
of August, put, the first Day of October, and the Words; One  
Moiety thereof to the Use of the Lord Proprietary and the Other  
Moiety; in the 3<sup>d</sup> Page to be left out, in Page 7<sup>th</sup> the Words; One  
Moiety thereof to the Use of the Lord Proprietary and the Other  
Moiety; to be left out the Proviso in the 8<sup>th</sup> Page to be omitted, in  
10<sup>th</sup> Line of 9<sup>th</sup> Page the Words, the End of this present Session p. 54  
of Assembly, to be left out and the following Words inserted, after  
the first Day of October next; in 12<sup>th</sup> Line of 9<sup>th</sup> Page, the Words;  
or Vessel, to be left out and in the same Line and Page, the Word,  
and, to be inserted, instead of, or, and the Continuance of the Act to  
be for three Years instead of One; and sent by Philip Lee Esq<sup>r</sup>

Adjourned till to Morrow Morning nine of the Clock

Wednesday Morning 7 April 1736

April 7

This house met again according to Adjournment

Present as Yesterday

Two Engrossed Bills from the Lower house by M<sup>rs</sup> Belt & Stod-  
dert One Entituled an Act for the Payment of a Sum of money to  
Andrew Ramsay Henry Maccaul & William Gordon of Glasgow  
in the Kingdom of Great Britain Merchants, the Other Entituled an  
Act for the further Assesment of so much money on the taxable