U.H. J. might reasonably have expected a different answer than to be told Calvert Paper they were mentioned in order to destroy the Bill, when the manner of the Proposal plainly shews the Contrary, and that Answers of this Kind to Proposals made by one Branch of the Legislature to any of the others will only serve to prevent that necessary and friendly Intercourse that ought to Subsist between them, and may in many things prove of ill Consequence to the Publick; However as Our House, are willing to do every Thing that may Conduce as well to the Safety and Security of the Province, as to the Dispatch of the Publick Business, and hasten the Sessions to a Conclusion, which has already continued to a great Length, We are desired to acquaint you that they agree to the Bill in the manner you have proposed with the Addition of a Preamble setting forth the Reason of Increasing the former Sum

All which is humbly submitted to the Consideration of both Houses

Signed p Order Thos Jennings Clk.

p. 79 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 Bill from the Lower House by Mess^{rs} Smith and Lloyd Entituled An Act reviving the supplementary Act to the Act laying an Imposition on Negroes and on several Sorts of Liquors imported and also on Irish Servants to prevent the importing too great a Number of Irish Papists into this Province thus Endorsed

By the Lower House of Assembly 26 May 1740
Read the first time and ordered to lye on the Table
Signed p Order M. Macnemara Ct Lo Ho.

By the Lower House of Assembly 26 May 1740
Read the second time by an Especial Order and will pass.

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo Ho.

and the following Message

By the Lower House of Assembly 26 May 1740 May it please Your Honours

We herewith send you a Bill Entituled An Act reviving an Act Entituled a Supplementary Act to the Act Entituled An Act laying