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L. H. J.

Extract from the Journal of the Lower House in April Session 1737 relating to the receiving Gold per the Lord Proprietarys Agents &c^a

On Motion of a Member that the Entry on the Journal relating to this House's Approbation of Ferdinando John Paris Esq^r his Conduct in presenting the congratulatory Address of this House to his most Excellent Majesty be Printed. Ordered that M^r Jonas Green Printer do immediately Print 250 Copies

M^r Denton from the Committee of Laws, brought in a Bill entituled An Act for laying out and applying a Sum not exceeding £ to the uses therein mentioned A Bill entituled An Act for the Relief of John Blandford and Hannah Ratcliffe

And the Bill entituled An Act for raising per hogshead on all Tobacco to be exported for purchasing Arms and Ammunition for the defence of this Province Which Bills were severally Read the first time and Ordered to lie on the Table

On Motion to bring in a Bill to repair Calvert County Court House Leave is Given

James Harris Esq^r from the Upper House delivers M^r Speaker the following Petitions

The Petition of Patrick MacVey a languishing Prisoner in Cecil County Goal, and a Petition of William Bafoot a languishing Prisoner in Ann Arundel County Goal Which Petitions were severally Indorsed By the Upper House of Assembly, Read and Referred to the Consideration of the Lower House: Which Petitions were here Read and Granted

The House Adjourns until two of the Clock in the Afternoon

Post Meridiem

The House met according to Adjournment.

M^r Smith Brings in a Bill entituled An Act empowering the Justices of Calvert County and others to repair the Court House of that County by an Assessment on the Inhabitants thereof which was Read the first time and Ordered to lie on the Table p. 271

A Bill entituled An Act to cut of the Entail of a Parcel of Land called Ropers Neck and to enable Benjamin Howard to Convey the same in Fee in Exchange for other Lands Read the first time and Ordered to lie on the Table

The Bill entituled An Act for the Limitation of Officers Fees was Read the second time and will Pass which Bill was sent to the Upper House by William Stoughton Esq^r & M^r Read