Eodem Die post Meridiem

U. H. J.

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

Four Bills from the Lower House by Mess^{rs} Henry and Rumsey One Entituled An Act ascertaining the Gauge of Barrels for Pork and Beef and the Nett Quantity of Pork and Beef to be therein contained; One Entituled An Act continuing an Act of Assembly of this Province Entituled a supplementary Act to the Act Entituled an Act for the more effectual Punishment of Negroes and other Slaves and for taking away the Benefit of Clergy from certain Offenders and to an Act Entituled An Act to prevent the tumultuous Meeting and Other Irregularities of negroes and other Slaves and directing the Manner of trying Slaves; One Entituled An Act continuing an Act of Assembly of this Province Entituled an Act for the more effectual Punishment of Certain Offenders and for taking p. 10 from them the Benefit of Clergy, and the Other Entituled an Act for the Benefit of the Poor and Encouragement of Industry severally thus Endorsed

By the Lower House of Assembly 10 July 1740 Read the first time and Ordered to lye on the Table

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo H.

By the Lower House of Assembly 14 July 1740

Read the second time and will pass

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo H.

A Bill from the Lower House by Mess^{rs} Hanson and Thomas Entituled An Act for the Tryal of all Matters of Fact in the several Counties where they have arisen or shall arise thus Endorsed

By the Lower House of Assembly 11 July 1740

Read the first time and Ordered to lye on the Table

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo H.

By the Lower House of Assembly 14 July 1740

Read the second time and will pass

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo H.

Two Bills from the Lower House by Mess^{rs} Denton and Sprigg One Entituled An Act for the speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province and for the Encouragement of Jonas Green of the City of Annapolis Printer, the Other Entituled An Act to prevent cutting up Tobacco Plants destroying of Tobacco and Tobacco Houses and for ascertaining the Punishment of Criminals guilty of the said Offences severally thus Endorsed

By the Lower House of Assembly 10 July 1740 Read the first time and Ordered to lye on the Table
Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo H.