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L. H. J. must observe that Mr Shirley is not well advised of what this House had done in favour of the Expedition to Cape Breton, since it was well known, that a Bill passed this Branch of the Legislature, making a generous and suitable Provision for the security and support of that Acquisition.

The Expedition against Canada will we hope be Attend<sup>d</sup> with success, and therefore remove the Evil complained of by these Gentlemen, and in Particular as to Albany, that being the Place of Rendezvous for such a part of his Majesty's Forces who we hope will not only be able to Defend that and the adjacent Territories, but also annoy the Common Enemy.

The Sum already given for the support of this Expedition is to the full of what the People of Maryland can bear, for which and the former Reasons we doubt not but we shall stand excused if we bring no further Charge upon the Province in Consequence of those Letters.

The Bill entituled, an Act for the Tryal of all matters of Fact in the several Counties where they have Arisen or shall Arise, was read the second Time, passed, and sent to the upper House by Mr George and five others

Mr Lloyd and Mr Bond ordered to Acquaint his Excellency that this House hath prepared an address to him and desires to know when and where he will be pleased to receive it. They return and Acquaint Mr Speaker his Excellency will be ready immediately to receive it in the Conference Chamber

The same Gentlemen sent to present the address They return and Acquaint Mr Speaker they have presented it

The House adjourns 'til To-morrow Morning 9 of the Clock.

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## Wednesday Morning June 25. 1746

The House met according to Adjournment, and the Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

M<sup>r</sup> Addison and M<sup>r</sup> Dulany appear in the House

Colo<sup>1</sup> Lloyd from the Upper House delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill entituled, An Act continuing An Act entituled An Act for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law, and for continuing the Supplementary Act thereto: And the Bill entituled An Act continuing an Act entituled, an Act for the advancement of Justice Indorsed

Which Bills were here read, and Passed for Ingrossing The House adjourns 'til 2 of the Clock