

L. H. J.
Liber No. 34

M^r Henry Hall
Carroll
P. Hammond
Worthington
Smith
Mackall

For Two Shillings

M ^r N. Goldsborough	M ^r Paca
I. Goldsborough	Wootton
Hooper	T. Hammond
Lecompte	Purnell
Gordon	
Buchanan	

The Governor communicated to M^r Speaker the following Answer, viz.

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly

In Answer to your Address, presented to me yesterday Evening, I assure you I shall be always ready to discountenance as far as in me lies, all oppressive and Illegal Acts of power, in any person whatsoever, against any of his Lordship's Tenants; and whatever particular Disputes may happen, with contentious people, I cannot but flatter myself in the main, that the ffarmers and Receivers of his Lordship's Quit Rents, will not only keep within the strict Letter of the Law, but make their several Collections as easy and Convenient to the people as possible; and this will always be the surest way they can take of Recommending themselves to the favour of the Government

Sam. Ogle.

The House adjourns until To morrow Morning 9 o'clock

June 17

Wednesday Morning, June 17th 1747.

The House met according to adjournment, &c.

Major Robert Jenkins Henry, a member returned to serve for Somerset County, appeared in the House. Col King and Col. Dashiell are sent to see him Qualified in the Upper House: They return, and acquaint M^r Speaker, they saw him take the Several Oaths to the Government, subscribe the Oath of Adjuration, and repeat and sign the Test. The Gentleman took his seat in the House.

The House proceeded on the second Reading of the Bill entituled, An Act for amending the Staple of Tobacco &c.

The House Adjourns until 2 of the Clock

Post Meridiem

The House met according to adjournment

The Question was put, Whether the paragraph relating to the appointment of the Inspectors by the Vestry, in the Bill entituled,