L. H. J. County relating to a Court House &c Indorsed. By the upper House Liber No. 46 of Assembly, referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly.

Benedict Calvert, Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House, delivers to M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the following Message; (See page 23)

On reading the Bill entituled An Act for processioning Lands &c. the Question was put, Whether Six or Twelve Months be given to two or more persons legally entitled to the Lands contiguous in Their own Right, or in the Right of Any Infant, to have the preemption and Liberty of taking Vacancy, in proportion to the Number of Acres contained in the contiguous Tracts, in which they are so interested as aforesaid.

The House being divided on the Question, the same was determined by Vote of the Honourable Speaker, That Six Months Time be given.

## For Six Months

p. 769 M <sup>r</sup> Key	Mr Harrison	Mr Pearce
Barnes	King	Buchanan
Mills	Dashiel	Paca
J. Gresham	Handy	Gordon
R. Gresham	R. Henry	Dulany
Harris	Lloyd	Tilghman
P. Hammond	Hooper	J. Henry
Worthington	George	Scarborough

## For Twelve Months

Mr Bond	Mr Thomas	Mr Wootton
Carroll	J. Goldsborough	Stoddert
Smith	Ennalls	Addison
Brome	Sulivane	T. Hammond
Mackall	Hyland	Hopper
Smallwood	Bayard	Robins
Wilkinson	Sheredine	Purnell
N. Goldsborough	J. Hall	

The Question was put, Whether the Bill entituled, An Act for processioning of Land, &c. be committed for Amendment or not, resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr Mackall hath Leave to go home.

The House adjourns until Tomorrow Morning at 9 a Clock.

## May 26

Thursday Morning May 26th 1748.

The House met according to Adjournment &c. All appeared as yesterday except M<sup>r</sup> Mackall. Capt. Ennalls hath Leave of the House to go home.