

U. H. J. with you, for althô all fines go to the King for this Reason that the
 Liber No. 34 Courts of Justice are Supported at his Charge for the Protection of
 November 17 his People, the People of Maryland and not his Lordship Support the
 Courts of Justice by an assessment and Charge on themselves and
 what fines are already transferred to, or given the Lord Proprietary
 are and have been applied to the private use of the Lord Proprietaries
 and not for the Support of the Courts of Justice or of the Govern-
 ment in any way that is known to this house, and although the Late
 Lord Proprietary has yearly taken and Received from the Trade
 and People of this Province very great Sums yearly for Support of
 Government, We know of no application of more than what is paid
 to the Governor for the time being so that the rest is put to a private
 use and not for Support of Government.

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And We think it very hard that his Majestys Subjects of Maryland
 alone should be deprived of the Power of raising Money to be applied
 to such purposes as may be of General Service to them and we are
 apprehensive that such Refusal may withdraw the affection of the
 People from his Lordships Government, which from good offices
 from those presiding ought to be promoted, but as We expect this
 Session is drawing to a Conclusion We shall not again Send up that
 Bill, but hope at another time your honours will agree to what we
 have proposed in Relation thereto.

Signed p Order M Macnemara C^t Lo H.

Three Bills from the Lower house by Mess.^{rs} Hamilton & Bond
 The Bill entituled an Act continuig an Act entituled an Additional
 Supplementary Act to the Act entituled an Act for laying out &
 erecting a Town at a place called Long Point on the West Side of
 North East River in Cecil County, The Bill entituled an Act to enable
 the Persons therein Named to levy assess and apply the Money therein
 mentioned The Bill entituled an Act empowering the Justices of
 Prince Georges County to levy on the taxable Inhabitants of the said
 County a Sum not Exceeding three thousand pounds of Tobacco for
 the uses therein mentioned; Severally thus Endorsed

By the Lower house of Assembly 17 November 1753.

Read the first & Second time by an especial Order & will pass

Signed p Order M Macnemara C^t Lo H.

Read the first and Second time by an Especial Order in this house
 & will pass Sent to the Lower house by Cof Hammond.

Adjourned till three of the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die post Meridiem

This house met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

Eight Engrossed Bills from the Lower house by Mess.^{rs} Harrison
 and Rasin viz.^t The Bill entituled an Act continuig an Act entituled