

L. H. J. They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, that the Governor was pleased
 Liber No. 49 to signify he would receive the Address in a Quarter of an Hour in
 Dec. 5 the Conference Chamber.

Ordered, That Col. Henry, with Three more, do present the Address to his Excellency.

Mr. Williamson is added to the Committee appointed to Tax the Fees which have accrued due to the several Officers of this House, and Others, on the several Petitions complaining of undue Elections.

Mr. Govane brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Report, viz.^t

By the Committee appointed to enquire into the Facts set forth in the Petition of Susanna Risteau, Widow and Administratrix of Talbot Risteau, late of Baltimore County, Deceased. December 5. 1757.

It appears to your Committee, by a Letter from Col. William Young, Deputy Commissary of Baltimore County, that the said Susanna Risteau hath fully Administred and Paid away the Deceased's Personal Estate, and that the same was not sufficient to discharge his just Debts. Your Committee find in October Provincial Court 1755, Judgment was obtained by Sampson Levy, against the said Susanna Risteau, in her Capacity aforesaid, for the Sum of p. 126 £767.18.0 Sterling of which only the Sum of £143.11.1 appears to have been paid by the said Administratrix, and, as your Committee are informed, great part of the said Judgment still remains unsatisfied, as also several other Debts.

Your Committee well know the House mentioned in the said Petition to be in a ruinous Condition, and without a Tenant for some Time past, and that it stands in a Town unlikely to Flourish, or that the Houses therein will ever be more valuable than at this present Time; for which Reasons your Committee conceive the Sale of the said House and Lots according to the Petitioner's Prayer would tend greatly to the Advantage of the Orphan and Heir at Law of the said Talbot Risteau, Deceased. All which is humbly submitted to the Consideration of the Honourable House.

Signed 7^p Order, Wm. Wilkins, Clerk.

On Reading the said Report, the House Concurr therewith; and Ordered, That Leave be given to the said Susanna Risteau to bring in a Bill according to Prayer.

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

Post Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment.

Mr. B. Mackall, Mr. Tilden, Mr. Earle, and Mr. Waggaman, appeared in the House.

Mr. Matthew Tilghman brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Ingressed Address, viz.