U.H.J. Read the Petition of Francis Ware, referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly & Sent by John Ridout Esqr Adjourned till 3 of the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die post Meridiem

This house met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

His Excellency is pleased to communicate to this house the following Message

Gentlemen of the Upper house of Assembly

In consequence of the Address You were pleased to present to me last Tuesday together with the Report of a Committee of both Houses I sent His Lordships Attorney General a Bond for the sum of One Thousand Pounds Sterling that was executed and delivered to me the 14th of March 1755 by Henry Darnall, John Darnall and Charles Carroll Esqrs conditioned for the said Henry Darnall's due Execution of the Naval Office of Patuxent District requiring him at the same time to take proper Steps in order to recover for the Use of the Publick the Money which it is apprehended the said Henry Darnall has not accounted for and paid as he ought to have done in answer to my letter the Attorney General now Informs me that he hath received from John Darnall and Char: Carroll Esqrs Bills of Exchange for the sum of One Thousand Pounds Sterling being the penalty of the Abovementioned Bond and he desires my Order for the disposal of the said Bills I should Gentlemen be glad of your Advice on this matter that I may give the Attorney General an Answer, and Also to know what father steps you thing ought to be taken in Order to recover the Money which M^r Darnall may still owe on Account of Duties received by him a Naval Officer of Patuxent for the use of the Country

The 30.th of April 1761

Horatio Sharpe

p. 484 Benedict Calvert, and John Ridout Esq. rs present to his Excellency the following Address

To his Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esq^r Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of Maryland

The humble Address of the Upper House of Assembly May it please your Excellency

We are much Obliged to your Excellency for the Measure you have been pleased to take in Consequence of Our Address Relative to the Naval Officer of Patuxent

We think that the Bills received of John Darnall & Charles Carroll Esq^{rs} may be properly delivered to the Commissioners of