I must also recommend to you to grant a sum of Money at this U.H.J. Time for the Support of Some French prisoners that were Lately brought into this Province and of any others that may be brought hither, until they can be sent to some French Port in exchange for an equal Number of French [sic] Sailors, or until I have an opportunity of Shipping them to Great Britain

Ordered that the Petition of Nathan Baker and John Smith Son and Heir of John Smith Late of Cæcil County Deceased and the Remonstrance of Robert Alexander be referred to the Consideration of the next Session of Assembly

Read the Petition of Mary Stansbury of Baltimore County & referred to the Consideration of the next session of Assembly and ordered that Proper vouchers be then produced in Support of the said Petition

Read the Petition of Robert Freeland Son and Devisee of Robert Freeland Late of Calvert County Deceased praying relief referred to next session of Assembly and ordered that the petitioner give notice to the Parties interested then to attend.

Adjourned till tomorrow Morning at 10 of the Clock

Wednesday Morning 20th Decem. 1758

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This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as yesterday

Read the Petition of Several of the Freeholders of Frederick County praying a repeal of the act of Assembly Passed in 1757 prohibiting the raising Swine and Geese in the said County rejected

A Bill from the Lower House by Mess.rs Carroll and Steuart entituled an Act for the keeping a Publick Warehouse for Inspecting Tobacco on Land of Ease on South River thus endorsed

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By the Lower House of Assembly 20th of Decemb. 1758 Read the first and Second Time by an especial order and will pass. Signed p order M. Macnemara Cl. Lo. Ho

Read the first and Second Time in this House by especial order, passed and Sent to the Lower House by Col.º Tasker

Adjourned till 3 of the Clock in the afternoon

Eo. Die post Meridiem

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

Read the petitions of William Dames, Joseph Clift, James Chambers, Emanuel Pride, John Eccles, and John Hollingsworth of Queen