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L. H. J. and great Conococheague Creeks being obstructed was because we thought that private Property acquired or improved under the General Credit and Faith of Our Laws ought not to be affected by a Subsequent Act, who or whe. r any pson might be affected by the Act were it to pass according to its Original Frame we did not enquire for if none would be affected that part of the Bill we proposed to p. 298 amend would be improper for Want of an Object and if any would be affected it would be productive of an Effect not consistent with either policy or Justice

Upon reconsidering the Matter and perusal of your Message no Reason occurs to us to induce an Alteration of the Opinion we formed upon the Reasons we have explained nor do we perceive on this Occasion a Competition of Interests in which a Regard to the Welfare of the Public ought to be preferred to that of a single person or why it would not be more equitable to provide for the General Convenience at the General Expence than by an Injury to private property gained or rendred more valuable under the Faith & Credit of existing Laws

Signed by Order UScott Cl Up. Ho

M. I. Goldsborough delivers to M. Speaker a Bill Entitled an Act to establish a Road from Hunting Creek in Dorchester to Dover in Talbot County which was read the first Time and Ordered to lye on the Table

On Reading the Second Time the Report bro.t in by M.r Chase relative to the Laws that will expire (if not revived) this Session the House concurs therewith

Ordered that the Committee which was appointed to revise the Laws do prepare and bring in the several Bills which this House directed to be brought in mentioned in said Report

On Reading the following Message viz

By the Lower House of Assembly Nov. 29. 1765 May it please y.r Hon.rs

We herewith send you the Journal of Accounts and List of Debts incurred on Account of the late War which we hope your Honours will assent to

The Question was put that this House do approve the same? Resolved in the Affirmative

For the Affirmative

Gibson Tacob Plater Tyler Kev Sulivane Wolstenholme R. Goldsborough Chase J. Hollyday Travers Lloyd Wright Cockey Deye Buchanan