

of the Public, occasioned, in great Measure, by the Want of a circulating Medium of Commerce, and, by the Non-Payment of the Public Debt, think it the most probable Mean to bring about a Passage of the Journal, that there should be a Conference between the two Houses, which it is hoped will not only effect that good Purpose, and thereby restore Public Credit, but lay a Foundation for the Emission of a Paper Currency. We therefore propose, if your Honours think proper to signify your Approbation of the Measure, to nominate some of our Members to confer upon this Subject, with such of yours, as you shall choose to appoint.

L. H. J.
Liber No. 52
Nov. 19

Signed per Order. MMacnemara, Cl. Lo. Ho.

Which was Read and sent to the Upper House, by T. Ringgold, and S. Chase, Esq.^{rs}

On reading the Amendments proposed by the Upper House to the Bill for regulating Innholders and Ordinary Keepers within this Province; this House doth not concur therewith.

On Motion of T. Ringgold, Esq Leave is given to bring in a Bill to remedy the Evils arising from the retailing Strong Liquors in small Quantities, without License, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

Ordered, That Thomas Ringgold, W. Allen, D. Wolstenholme, S. Chase, and T. Johnson, Esq.^{rs} do prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read, the House took into Consideration the Petition of the Inhabitants of the Town of Baltimore, in Baltimore County.

On Application of the Petitioners in the aforesaid Petition named, and of Thomas Harrison the Person complained of in the said Petition:

Ordered, That Leave be given to the aforesaid Petitioners, and Thomas Harrison, to be heard at the Bar of this House by their Council.

The House proceeded to examine Evidence in relation to the Facts contained in the above Petition, and hearing Council Ordered, That the same be taken into further Consideration, Afternoon.

B. Calvert, Esq from the Upper House, delivers to M.^r Speaker, the following Message, Viz^t

By the Upper House of Assembly, Nov.^r 19, 1766.

Gentlemen,

In Answer to your Message of this Day, by Mess.^{rs} Ringgold, and Chase, this House doth agree to confer with you on the Subject Matter therein proposed; and, in Order thereto, hath appointed Daniel Dulany, and John Ridout, Esq.^{rs} as Conferrees from this