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L. H. J. where the within named Richard Lee jun. resides, as he is informed, Liber No. 54 and that he was told by some of the Family, that the said Richard Lee was gone to Virginia and would not return before Christmas.

R Ghiselin. Dec. 13.th 1769

Resolved, That an Address be prepared to his Excellency, requesting him to remove from his Office, Richard Lee jun' Sheriff of Charles County, for his cruel Treatment to his Prisoners. Ordered, That M. E Tilghman, M. Hollyday, M. Chase, M. Johnson, M. Hall, M. Paca, and M. M. Tilghman, be a Committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The Serjeant at Arms returned the Order of this House of the 30.th of November last, against Daniel Chamier, Sheriff of Baltimore County, with the following Indorsement viz. December 9.th 1769. Summoned the within mentioned Daniel Chamier.

> William Lux Robert Saunders Serj. t at Arms.

Ordered, That the same be taken into Consideration To-morrow Morning.

- M.r Ringgold brought in, and delivered to M.r Speaker, the engrossed Message; which was read and assented to, and sent to the Upper House by M. E Tilghman, and M. Chase
- M. Ringgold brought in, and delivered to M. Speaker, a Bill entitled, An Act to redress the Evil arising from the Variation of the Compass in surveying Lands: Which was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.
- M. Gresham brought in, and delivered to M. Speaker, the engrossed Bill, entitled, An Act for applying a Sum of Money, in Bills of Credit, to the Use therein mentioned.
- M. Ringgold brought in, and delivered to M. Speaker, the engrossed Bill, entitled, An Act to secure to Thomas Smyth the Right in a Lot of Land in Chester Town.
 - M. Paca brought in, and delivered to M. Speaker, the engrossed Bill, entitled, An Act for appointing Places for holding the next Election of Delegates for Baltimore County.

Which Bills, together with the engrossed Bill, entitled, An Act continuing an Act, entitled, An Act for amending the Staple of Tobacco, for preventing Frauds in his Majesty's Customs, and for the Limitation of Officers Fees, and the Supplementary Act thereto, were read and assented to, and with the Paper Bills thereof, sent to the Upper House by M. Paca, and M. Griffith.

The Journal of Accounts read, and assented to. Sent to the Upper House, by M. Sulivane, M. Wright, M. Dickinson, and M. Allen

M.r Sulivane brought in, and delivered to M.r Speaker, a Bill, entitled, An Additional Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An