U. H. J. establish a Market in Frederick Town in Frederick County and for Liber No. 36 the Regulation of the said Market."

A Bill entitled "An Act continuing An Act entitled An Act for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law, and the Supplementary Act thereto."

These Bills were severally Read and Assented to by this House and Ordered to be so Subscribed—the Paper Bills so Endorsed were sent to the Lower House by John Ridout Esq.

Read and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly the Petition of John Robert Holliday as also the Petition of sundry Criminals in Baltimore County Goal- so Endorsed and sent to the Lower House by John Ridout Esquire.

Read the second Time in this House the Bill entitled An Act to empower William Gaither and Elizabeth his Wife to make and execute the Conveyances therein mentioned and will not Pass.

Adjourned until three of the Clock in the Afternoon p. 725

Eodem Die Post Meridiem

The House met again according to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning

Mess. rs Smallwood and Chamberlaine bring up the following Engrossed Bill, Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly Viz.t

A Bill entitled "An Act for the Relief of the Poor of Saint Marys County." which was Read and Assented to by this House and Ordered to be so Subscribed—the Paper Bill so Endorsed was sent to the Lower House by George Steuart Esq.

Mess. 18 Smallwood and Chamberlaine bring up the two following Bills Read the first and second Time in the Lower House and will Pass Viz.t

A Bill entitled "An Act to render the Recovery of the Penalty for selling Liquors without Licence more certain." and

A Bill entitled "An Act for the Support of the Clergy of the Church of England in this Province." These Bills were Read the first Time in this House and Ordered to lie on the Table

Adjourned until to Morrow Morning ten of the Clock

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Friday Morning 17.th December 1773

The House met again according to Adjournment

Present as Yesterday

Mess. rs Earle and Maxwell bring up the two following Bills Read the first and second Time in the Lower House and will Pass Viz.t