

which is more than any Office that I have, the Disposal of brings
in clear & almost as much, as I have been myself able to save in
any one Year: It might perhaps be urged that he is indebted for
this Office to the Assembly only as his Name was inserted in the
Bill by the Lower House, but as the Approbation of the other
Branches of the Legislature, had it in their power to object to him
& did not. I cannot but think that some Acknowledgment is due
to them likewise. I ask Your Ldps Pardon for being so prolix on
this Subject but I was desirous to shew that I would have obliged
Mr Hanbury to the utmost of his Wishes if it had been possible
& that as it is he has indeed no room to complain of his Friends
being neglected. I have by this Opportunity of Conveyance sent
Mr Calvert an exact Map of Prince Georges County which has
been surveyed agreeable to Your Ldps Instructions, I have also sent
a Copy of the Journall of the Proceedings of the Upper House &
also One of the Proceedings of the Burgesses during the last Session
of Assembly together with Copies of the Acts that were then made
which I hope Your Ldp will be pleased to approve of. I did intend
to have transmitted also by this Ship a Rent Roll & some Platts of
Your Ldps Mannours but as she carries no Guns & as I understand
that other Vessels are to sail some Day next Month under Convooy
of His Majesty's Ship the Garland I have thought it more advis-
able to send the other Papers by one of those Vessels & the rather as
it is doubtful whether this Vessel also will not wait in Virg^a for
the Benefit of the same Convooy. Having acknowledged the
Receipt of Your Ldps Instructions & promised to observe such of
them