Upon consideration of the Petition of Wm Smith touching the repair of the House of Assembly resolved that it be referred to the Lower House their consideration

The House Adjourned till afternoon

The House met again & Adjourned till morning

September the 9th Present as before with Mr Henry Lowe

Then was read an Act sent from the Lower House for the preservation of the several harbours within this province voted to pass with an Additional Clause for Copy thereof to be given to the Master of a ship & providing of pay for the Secretary for writing of the sd Copys & then to pass & Sent to the Lower house for their approbation of the said additional Clause

Then was read an Act sent from the Lower House for Encourag[illegible] [illegible] & sent to the Lower House for their Concurrence

Then was read an Act sent from the Lower House for providing a Magazine Voted to pass

Then was read an Act for payment of Fees due from Criminal persons [illegible] voted to pass & to be sent to the Lower House for their Consideration

Then was read an Act for reviving certain Laws within this province voted to pass & then Sent to the Lower House with the Amendments for their Concurrence

Then came from the Lower House Wm Dent Esqr with the following paper as an answer to the message sent to the Lower House concerning the Articles with the Susquehannah Indians viz:

The sense of this House is, as to the making good of the Articles with the Susquehannah Indians that ten Volunteers with a Commander be raised upon any urgent occasion when the Governor & Council shall think fit to be Employed in Assisting the Susquehannah Indians for the Continuance of the Articles & that each Volunteer be allowed & paid him [illegible] tobo. per month & the Commander one thousand pounds of tobo. per month during such their Service & Employment, which said Charge shall be defrayed by the publick

And it is thought by this House very necessary that the Governor & Council appoint two or three Inhabitants in Baltimore County viz Col Nathaniel Utye Capt Thos. Stockett & Mr Edward Wright whom this house think fit persons for that Employment if the Governor & Council shall approve thereof or any two of them in the name of the Governor & Council to treat with the Susquehannah Indians as often as need shall require & to signify the result thereof to them as occasion shall be needfull & the sd Persons to give & receive presents at their own Charge & Discretion & if the Upper House shall Condescend to [illegible]