

which being read and debated the House granted that Edition. (But put to the Question whether the Execution be suspended 12 or 18 Months (carried by Majority of Votes 12 Months be allowed)

Delivered the Committee of Laws being in a Bill to suspend the Execution of that Law for that time

Upon reading the Memorial of Mr Charles Carrott relating to the Land Law, being read and debated in the House was ordered to be indorsed as follows (Viz)

By the House of Delegates April 11<sup>th</sup> 1706. This House desiring to end this Session by what Expedition they can Do resolve not to enter in any Debate upon that Matter therefore refer the same to Consideration of the next Session of Assembly.

Signed by Order W. Taylard (Clerk of the House)

The foregoing Message and the Bill for preventing the Sin of Fornication sent up to the Council by Mr Joseph Gray and Mr Joseph Emmalls.

The House adjourns till to Morrow Morning Eight O'Clock.

Friday April 12<sup>th</sup> 1706.

The House met again according to Adjournment. (Being called over were present as Yesterday. Read what was done Yesterday.

Mr Joseph Gray and Mr Joseph Emmalls enter the House and say they delivered their message of last Night.

Bill for Advancement of Trade and erecting Ports and Towns in the Province of Maryland read the first time and referred to further Consideration.

Message from the Honble Council by John Edw. Lloyd and William Coursoy and delivers Mr Speaker Bill for ascertaining the Navigation of open Sloops of

Proposed to be read and considered of --- from the Honble Council of Francis Jenkins enters the House and delivers Mr Speaker a Message relating to some Persons prosecuted by Grand Jurors with a Book of the late Acts of Parliament. (Referred till Afternoon. The House adjourns till two O'Clock Afternoon

Past Meridien The House met again according to Adjournment and present as in the Morning. (Bill for Advancement of Trade &c) Read again and committed for Amendments. Delivered the Committee of Laws.

The House adjourns till to Morrow Morning Eight O'Clock.

Saturday April 13<sup>th</sup> 1706

The House met again according to Adjournment (Being called over were present as Yesterday (Bill for ascertaining the Navigation of open Sloops & Shallops &c)

Read the first and second time and ordered by the House to be thus indorsed.

By the House of Delegates April 13<sup>th</sup> 1706. This Bill being read in the House will pass with Amendment of lessening the Security to 30<sup>th</sup> Hoiling. Signed by Order W. Taylard (Clerk of the House)