

the Matter contained in the Depositions of Serjeant *Willis*, *John Hamwood*, and *William Swallow*, that the Rioters who obstructed his Majesty's Levies, and used such disloyal and traitorous Language, may be punished according to Law.

Which was read and assented to, and signed, by Order of the House, by the Honourable Speaker.

Ordered, That Mr. *Murdock* and Mr. *Smallwood*, do acquaint his Excellency, That this House hath prepared an Address to be presented to him, and desires to know when, and where, he will please to receive it. They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, the Governor was pleased to signify, he was ready to receive the Address immediately in the Conference Chamber.

Ordered, That Mr. *Murdock* and Five more, do present the Address to the Governor.

Col. *Hammond*, from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the following Message, *viz.*

By the Upper House of Assembly, *May* 27, 1754.

Gentlemen,

IN Answer to your Message of this Day, by Messieurs *Hollyday* and *Earle*, this House is willing that an Ordinance of both Houses be made on the Treasurer of the Western Shore, for the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds Current Money, as a Present, to be delivered to the Six Nations of *Indians* at *Albany*; and One Hundred and Fifty Pounds Current Money, to defray the Expences of the Commissioners upon that Service.

Signed per Order, *J. Ross*, Cl. Up. Ho.

Samuel Chamberlaine, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition of fundry Inhabitants of *Frederick* County, praying that the Sum of 500 *l.* Currency may be allowed by the Public for building a Prison, in the said County; indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly."

Richard Lee, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition of fundry Inhabitants of *Baltimore-Town*, and *Baltimore* County, praying to have Acres of Land laid out into Lots, as an Addition to the said Town; indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, read and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly;" which Petition was here read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns till the morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.

Tuesday, *May* 28, 1754.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c.

The Bill entituled, *An additional Supplementary Act to the Act entituled, An Act for amending the Staple of Tobacco, for preventing Frauds in his Majesty's Customs, &c.* was read the second Time, and will pass.

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