

pears that he hath acted as an Inspector, within two Years next before the said Election.

On reading the Petition of Mr. *Thomas Franklin*; Ordered, That *Thomas Sheredine*, Esq; Sheriff of *Baltimore County*, do attend this House on Monday the third Day of *June* Instant; and that he bring with him the Poll taken for the said *Thomas Franklin*, and the several Polls taken by him the said Sheriff, for the several Candidates at the last Election had for the said County.

The Bill entituled, *An Act to annex certain Extra-parochial Lands, &c.* was read the second Time, and passed.

The Governor communicates to Mr. Speaker the following Message; *viz.*

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,
IN your Address relating to the Papers laid before you from the Governors of *New-York* and *Pennsylvania*, you observe, That those two Governments are greatly concerned in Trade with the several Nations of *Indians* in Alliance with the *English*, whereas we neither receive any Benefit from Traffick, or are provided with suitable Presents for them, That therefore you cannot consistent with your Duty, increase any Charge upon your Constituents for this Purpose; however, I think it my Duty to observe to you, That many Warriors of the Six Nations often pass through this Province in order to make War on the *Catawbas*, and expect that we and our neighbouring Colonies should provide Provisions for them in their March, and if they should be refused, it cannot be doubted, but that they would take it by Violence: And I am apprehensive, That as the Governments to the Southward as well as the Northward of us, allow those Warriors Provisions in their March, that were they to be refused the like Allowance in this Province, they would consider such Refusal as a Violation of the Treaties with us, and be induced to treat our back Inhabitants as Enemies, and how far the Consequence may reach, cannot be easily foreseen: It is easy to prevent any Evils of this Kind, by making a proper Provision for those People at the Public Expence, which is but a mere Trifle, in Comparison with the Safety of the People.
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Which was read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns until Monday Morning 8 of the Clock.

Monday Morning, *June 3, 1751.*

THE House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as on Saturday, except Mr. *Wilkinson* and Mr. *Baxter*. The Proceedings of Saturday were read.

Col. *Henry*, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill entituled, *An Act for regulating the Interest upon Tobacco and Money*; which was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Mr. *Bordley* delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill entituled, *An Act for erecting a new Market-House in the City of Annapolis*; which was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock.

Post Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment.

On motion of a Member, the Question was put, Whether the following Question shall be now put; *viz.* Whether Mr. *Robert Yeates* be discharged from any further Attendance on this House; or Not? Resolved in the Negative.