

Original Journal. Voted whether a new port shall be constituted in Potomack River or not. Carried in the negative.

Moved that yesterdays votes concerning the ports in Puttuxent and Monochin Rivers be reassumed.

Voted whether they shall be reassumed or not, and carried in the affirmative.

p. 18 Voted whether a Bill shall be drawn to make ports in Puttuxent and Monochin Rivers, Carried in the Negative.

Mr Speaker orders all Committees to attend in the afternoon, and Adjournes the house till two of the Clock.

Post Meridiem. The house again mett, and the following proposalls from his Ex<sup>ty</sup> the Governor in Councill are laid before them (Viz<sup>t</sup>)

First. That in the additionall Act for secureing Orphans Estates a clause be added that the personall Estate be sold by out crye

Whereupon Voted in the house if such clause shall be added and carried in the negative.

2<sup>d</sup> That a clause be incerted in the additionall Act to Religion, that the Clarke of the Vestry shall Register all births, Marriages, and Burialls, and the names of all Servants comeing into this province, and the names of the places from whence they come, for which Registering the clerke to have six pounds of Tobacco p name.

Voted Whether the Clarke of the County or clarke of the vestry shall keep such Register, and carried by majority of voices that the clarke of the vestry shall keep the same.

3<sup>rdly</sup> Proposed that a Brass Standard of Weights and good measures be sent for out of England, to be kept in the Secretaryes office by which the severall county Standards in this province upon all ocasions may be tried.

Upon which Debated in the house if it will not be more convenient that the Com<sup>r</sup> of the Severall Countys send for one brass halfe hundred weight to be kept as af<sup>d</sup> to the End af<sup>d</sup> by the clarkes of the respective county's.

And thereupon Resolved that the Com<sup>r</sup> of the Severall Countys send for such an halfe hundred weight to be kept as af<sup>d</sup> to the end af<sup>d</sup>

4<sup>thly</sup> Proposed that some method be prescribed, for redressing of the under valuemnt of the publique faith.

Whereas. It is the sense of the house that the Severall Sheriffes in this province, are within the provision of the Act for the relief of Debtors.

5<sup>thly</sup> Proposed that a Division be made of S<sup>t</sup> Marys, Charles and Calvert Countyes.