

By the Council in Assembly  
May the 23<sup>d</sup> 1715

L. H. J.

Read in Council by especial Order the first and second Time with a Clause obliging all who have a Right to Vote to appear at the Election and give their Votes under the Penalty of a hundred Pounds Tobacco to the use of the County unless on Sufficient Excuse at the next County Court to be admitted by the said Court

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Council

Eodem Die.

Read again in the House of Delegates after the Amendm<sup>ts</sup> made, and past for ingrossing

Resolved Nemine contradicente That no Allowance ought p. 552 to be made for the Notary's Fee for protested Bills of Exchange to any Person whatever nor ought any Person or Persons whatever to exact demand or receive the same the Damages allowed by Law being sufficient to satisfy all.

Col<sup>o</sup> Richard Tilghman from the Hoñble Council acquaints M<sup>r</sup> Speaker that the Hoñble Council assented to the three several ingrossed Bills following

On the 23<sup>d</sup> Day of May 1715

An ingrossed Bill for the publishing and recording the Laws &<sup>ts</sup> and transmitting Journals of the House of Delegates and Council in Assembly into the Secretary's Office.

An ingrossed Bill against Adultery and Fornication

An ingrossed Bill for Stay of Execution after the tenth of May Yearly.

M<sup>r</sup> James Harris from the Committee of Laws delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker a Bill appointing Court Days in the Provincial and several County Courts in this Province which was read the first Time and sent up to the Committee of Laws for Amendment.

Philemon Lloyd Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Hoñble Council delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker a Bill for rectifying the ill Practices of Attorneys in this Province and ascertaining Fees to the Attorney General &<sup>ts</sup> thus indorsed.

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Read in Council the first and second Times and will pass with the Amendments made. And the Word "by" in the 11<sup>th</sup> Line of the 9<sup>th</sup> Folio omitted

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