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grossing. L. H. J.  
Lib. No. 45

Col Hammond from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill Entituled an Act Reviving and Continuing an Act of Assembly of this Province, Entituled an Act To prevent Cutting up Tobacco plants &c. Indorsed by the Upper House of Assembly. Read the second time and passed, which was here passed for Ingrossing.

A Bill Ascertainning the Gauge of Tobacco Hogsheads and to prevent Cutting, Cropping and Defaceing Tobacco, Taken on Board Ships, and Vessels and to prevent makeing Seconds, Read the first time and ordered to Lye on the Table. p. 611

The House Adjourns Untill to morrow morning at 9 of the Clock

Saturday Morning March the 27<sup>th</sup> 1736.

March 27

The House met according to Adjournment.

The Petition of Isaac Tunney a Languishing Prisoner in Talbot County Goal Praying Relief Read and granted as prayed.

The Petition of Richard Standforth, read and ordered that his Creditors have Notice to Attend this House on Wednesday next, to Shew Cause if any they Have against Granting the Petition.

Ordered that Coll<sup>o</sup> Gale bring in a Bill to Enable the Justices of the Provincial Court to send for all Necessary Books that are wanting for the use of the said Court.

The Bill Entituled an Act, for the further Assessment of Twenty Thousand pounds of Tobacco in the Taxable Inhabitants of Durham Parish in Charles County &c. read the second time passed, Sent to the Upper House by Coll Hanson and M<sup>r</sup> Middleton

Edmund Jenings Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker The Bill Entituled an Act, to Continue an Act Entituled an Act for raiseing a Duty of three pence p Hogshead on all Tobacco Ex-ported out of this Province for the uses therein mentioned Indorsed by the Upper House Read the second Time and will pass, which Bill here passed for Ingrossing.

The Bill Entituled an Act, to Cut of the Entail of a Tract of Land Containing One hundred and thirty Acres lying in Dorchester County &c. read the Second time passed and sent to the Upper House, by M<sup>r</sup> Goldsborough and Capt<sup>n</sup> Elliot

M<sup>r</sup> George Plater from the Upper House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker a Petition of Gidgeon Pearce &c. Referred here.

The Bill Entituled an Act for Ascertainning the Gauge and Tare of Tobacco Hogsheads &c<sup>a</sup> Read and Committed for amendment

The House Adjourns untill two of the Clock in the Afternoon.