

Other Lands and Tenements to the same uses read and Assented to and sent to the Up^r House with the Paper Bills by M^r Tench Francis and M^r Pemberton

L. H. J.
Lib. No. 45

A Bill Entituled a Supplementary Act to the Act Entituled an Act for the Application of such Intestates estates as leave no Legal representatives and for forcing proceedings against Timerary Administrators read the first time and Ordered to Lye on the Table.

George Plater Esq^r from the Up^r House Delivers M^r Speaker the following Message. (See page 20.)

And the following Address to his Majesty. (See page 26.)

And the following Address to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales (See page 27.)

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Cot Mackall Delivers M^r Speaker the following Report.

By the Committee Appointed to Search the Journals and make Enquirey into the former manner of Appointing Treasurers May 23^d 1737, Viz.

Cot John Mackall

M^r Philip Hammond

M^r William Stoughton

M^r Tench Francis.

Who make Choice of Cot John Mackall Chairman and Thomas Lynn their Clerk.

We your Committee upon Enquiry find that few of the Journals of this House until the Year 1693 have been preserved.

Upon Examining those few Journals we Cannot find any Transaction about appointing Treasurers.

We find that on the 17th of August 1695 the Lower House of Assembly Appointed a Treasurer on Each Shore of this Province without any Concurrence of the Governour or Council that Appears.

We find that from the time of such Appointment hitherto upon Vacancy's the Lower House of Assembly have Nominated all Publick Treasurers to receive the money of the Province and have recommended them to the Upper House of Assembly for their Concurrence in such Nomination and that such Nomination and Concurrence Obtained have been the only Authorities Appearing in the Journals of this House under which such Treasurers have acted since the first mentioned Appointments and Submit the Same to the Consideration of the House.

Signed p order of the Committee Tho^s Lynn

Michael Howard Esq^r from the Up^r House Delivers M^r Speaker the Bill Entituled an Act to Encourage the Apprehending some felons and for trying Accessaries to felonies &c^a Indorsed (See page 20) which Bill was here read and passed for Ingrossing.