

On Motion of a Member for Leave to bring in a Bill to lay out L. H. J. the Town anew commonly called Snow Hill Town leave is given

A Bill entituled an Act for laying out the Town a new commonly called Snow Hill Town Read the first time and Ordered to lie on the Table

Mr Joseph Hall hath Leave of the House to go home

The House Adjourns until the Morrow Morning at nine of the Clock

Saturday Morning October 16. 1742

October 16

The House met according to Adjournment

All Members appeared at the call that were present Yesterday

On Motion of a Member that Leave be given to bring in a Bill to raise A Sum of Money for Support of an Agent for this Province in Great Britain Leave is Given and Ordered that the Committee of Laws prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly

On Motion of a Member that Jonas Green be allowed a Sum of Money in the Journal of Accounts for Services done for the Country

The Question was put Whether Jonas Green shall be allowed in full Consideration of all Services he did for the Country and disappointments met with before the Act passed in his favour in July 1740 took place? Resolved that the Allowance be £120 and that the same be allowed in the Journal of Accounts

On Motion of a Member that Leave be given to bring in a Bill to enable his Excellency Thomas Bladen Esq^r to purchase Lands whereon to build a House for a Governor and to repeal an Act Entituled an Act &c^a Leave is given and Ordered that the Committee of Laws prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

Mr Magruder from the Committee of Aggrievances delivers Mr Speaker the following Report viz.

By the Committee of Aggrievances and Courts of Justice October 15. 1742

Whereas Richard Fiddiman and Robert Roles both of Talbot County have complained to your Committee that Ridsen Bozman Surveyor of the said County, and Benjamin Young Esq^r Examiner have in an extortionate manner charged them the said Complainants Surveyors and Examiners fees, and which upon Perusal of the Acco^{ts} of the said Gentlemen appear to be really so; the Surveyors Fees for 361 acres in two dividends amounting to 3196 Pounds of Tobacco; and to the Examiner 1960 in the whole 5156 as p Accounts hereunto annexed Which said Service Your Committee apprehend in our Neighbouring Colony of Virginia would not have exceeded 1200 Pound of Tobacco or in the Province of Pennsylvania two Pounds ten Shillings which is so Manifest and unreasonable a