

L. H. J. was put, whether there should be any Alteration in that part of the Bill, which mention's a place for Building a Court House on?

Resolved that there be an Alteration.

On Reading a Second time the Bill entituled, An Act to divide Prince George's County, and to erect a new County on the Upper part thereof; the Question was put, whether the said Bill shall pass, or not? Resolved in the Affirmative,

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M ^r Waughop	M ^r N. Goldsborough	Capt. Gordon
Capt. Chesley	M ^r Thomas	M ^r Pemberton
M ^r Calder	Capt. Ennalls	Capt. Wright
M ^r Smith	Capt. Hindman	M ^r T. Hammond
M ^r Weems	M ^r Lecompte	Capt. Purnell
M ^r Smallwood	M ^r George	Capt. Robins
Capt. Harrison	Col. Colvill	Col. Henry
M ^r W. Wilkinson	M ^r Pearce	Capt. Selby
Col. King	Capt. Hyland	
Col. Gale	M ^r O. Sprigg	

ffor the Negative

M ^r Swann	Doctor Carroll	M ^r Stoughton
M ^r R. Gresham	Major Hall	M ^r J. Goldsborough
M ^r Wilson	M ^r Worthington	Major Trippe
M ^r J. Gresham	M ^r Brome	M ^r Wootton

William Stoughton Esq^r delivers M^r Speaker a Bill entituled An Act continuing An Act of Assembly of this province entituled, An Act for the more effectual punishment of Certain offenders, and for taking from them the Benefit of Clergy; and the Bill entituled, An Act continuing An Act of Assembly of this Province entituled, An Act for the more effectual punishment of Negroes and other Slaves, and for taking away the Benefit of Clergy from certain offenders, and to an Act entituled, an Act to prevent the tumultuous Meeting and other Irregularities of Negroes and other Slaves, and directing the manner of Trying Slaves; which Bills were here Severally Read the ffirst time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

The House Adjourns until the Morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.

May 19

Saturday morning, May 19th 1744

The House met according to Adjournment &c, All Members appeared as yesterday except M^r Magruder and M^r Philip Hammond

The Chairman of the Committee of Accounts having acquainted M^r Speaker, that there were Several officers accounts delivered in to