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Friday Morning, September 20. 1745

The House met according to Adjournment. All members present as Yesterday except Maj. Sherredine and M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Hall.

The Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

Edmund Jennings Esq<sup>re</sup> from the Upper House, delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill entituled, An Act to enable the Commissary General to enter and record, amongst the Records of his Office, the last Will and Testament of Henry Staples deceased, for the Purposes therein mentioned, (See page 42)

Which Bill was here read, and passed for Ingrossing.

Daniel Dulany Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Upper House, delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker a Bill entituled, An Act to prevent Frauds and to secure the Estates of Purchasers; and a Bill entituled, An Act to remedy some Inconveniences in the present Practice relating to Attachments: Which Bills were thus Indorsed (See page 42)

The House adjourns 'til 2 of the Clock.

#### Post Meridiem

The House met according to Adjournment.

The Bill entituled, An Act for Limitation of Officers Fees, was read the second Time, passed, and sent to the Upper House by M<sup>r</sup> Courts, and M<sup>r</sup> Pearce.

An ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act for the Trial of all Matters of Fact in the several Counties where they have arisen or shall arise, was read and assented to, and sent to the Upper House, with the Paper Bill, by M<sup>r</sup> Hyland and Capt. Hopper.

On reading an Ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act for laying an Imposition on Tobacco, and other Commodities therein mentioned, for the Discharge of his Lordship's Quit Rents, and Support of Government, the Question being put, whether the House will assent thereto? It was Resolved in the Affirmative.

#### For the Affirmative

M <sup>r</sup> Bond	M <sup>r</sup> D. Wilson	M <sup>r</sup> Hyland
Abell	Dennis	Gordon
Barnes	Thomas	Pemberton
G. Wilson	I. Goldsborough	T. Wilkinson
I. Gresham	Hooper	T. Hammond
R. Gresham	Ennalls	Hopper
Harris	Lecompte	Henry
Courts	George	Purnell
Stoughton	Colvill	Selby
King	Pearce	Oутten