

The House being Divided on the Question, it was determined by the Vote of the Speaker, That the Bill do pass. L. H. J.
Liber No. 34

The Bill entituled, An Act for Raising 3^d Sterling per Hogshead on all Tobacco to be exported, for purchasing Arms and Ammunition, and for an Immediate Supply of Arms for the Defense of this Province, was Indorsed, "Will pass" and was sent to the Upper House by M^r Harrison, and Cap^t Hyland.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, An Act, continuing An Act entituled, An Act for punishment of Horse Stealers, and other Offenders:

An Ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act continuing An Act of Assembly of this province entituled, A Supplementary Act to the Act 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 Meetings, and other Irregularities of Negroes, and other Slaves, and directing the manner of trying Slaves:

An Ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act continuing An Act of Assembly of this province entituled, An Act for the more effectual punishment of certain Offenders, and taking from them the Benefit of Clergy:

An Ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act continuing An Act to prevent the injuring Harbours within this province, and for repealing the Act therein mentioned:

An Ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act continuing An Act entituled, An Act to prevent cutting up of Tobacco Plants, destroying of Tobacco and Tobacco Houses; and for ascertaining the punishment of Criminals guilty of the said Offences:

And an Ingrossed Bill entituled An Act continuing An Act entituled, A Supplementary Act to an Act entituled An Act laying an Imposition on Negroes and several Sorts of Liquors imported; and also on Irish Servants, to prevent the importing too great a number of Irish Papists into this province: were severally Read and Assented to, and sent to the Upper House, with the paper Bills, by Major Barnes and Capt. Paca.

The House Adjourns 'til 2 of the Clock.

Post Meridiem

The House met, &c.

On Motion for Leave to bring in a Bill, to raise Three Halfpence Sterling per Hogshead on all Tobacco exported, for the use of the Governor; the Question was put, whether Leave be given now to bring in a Bill for the purpose or not? Resolved in the Affirmative