

D^r Carroll, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to M^r Speaker A Bill entituled An Act for making Convict persons Evidence against other persons convict; and for repealing part of An Act entituled An Act directing the Payment of Fees arising due on the prosecution of white Servants, which shall hereafter be imported into this province: which was read the first Time and Ordered to lie on the Table. A petition of Thomas Brooke A Languishing Prisoner in Prince George's County Goal was read and granted.

L. H. J.
Liber No. 46
May 24

The House Adjourns until Tomorrow Morning at 9 o'Clock.

Wednesday Morning May 25. 1748.

May 25

The House met according to adjournment. On motion That A Bill be brought in to oblige Masters of Ships, or other Vessels, lading Tobacco on board for great Britain at the Time they set up Notes to publish their Freight that they likewise publish whether their owners have made Insurance of the Tobacco to be taken on board, in order to be carried to Great Britain; Leave is given: Ordered That the Committee of Laws prepare and bring in a Bill Accordingly.

M^r Key from the Committee of Laws delivers to M^r Speaker a Bill entituled An Act for Ascertainning the Bounds of King and Queen parish in St. Mary's County, and for making the same and All Faith's compleat parishes on the death of the Reverend M^r John Urquhart, present Incumbent of All Faith's parish lying in St. Mary's and Charles Counties; which was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

George Plater Esq^r from the Upper House, delivers to M^r Speaker a petition of Stephen Lewis, Indorsed, by the Upper House of Assembly, referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly. On reading the petition aforesaid, Col King, M^r Harrison, and M^r Bond, are appointed a Committee to examine the Facts and Allegations relating to the aforesaid petition, and report the same to the House. On motion to bring in A Bill to assess on the parishoners of Christ Church parish on Kent Island 37100 lb of Tobacco, to repair the parish Church; Leave is given: ordered, That the Committee of Laws prepare and bring a Bill accordingly.

Ordered, That the Vestry of prince George's Parish be empowered by the Act to nominate two Inspectors for the Warehouse at Bladensburgh p. 768

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock in the afternoon.

Post Meridiem

The House met according to adjournment.

Richard Lee Esq^r from the upper House delivers to M^r Speaker a Petition of the Freeholders and Inhabitants of Prince Georges