Mr. Hollyday, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. L.H. J. Speaker a Bill, intituled, An Act continuing an Act intituled, An Act Cotober 9 to remedy some Evils relating to Servants.

Major Hall, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill, intituled, An Act continuing an Act intituled, A Supplementary Act to the Act intituled, An Act ascertaining the Height of Fences, to prevent the Evils occasioned by the Multitude of Horses, and restraining Horse Rangers within this Province, and to redress the great Evil accruing to this Province, by the Multiplicity of useless Horses, Mares and Colts, that run in the Woods.

All which Bills were severally read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns till the morrow Morning 9 of the Clock.

## Wednesday Morning, October 10, 1753.

October 10

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

A Petition of George Steuart, Esq; was preferred to this House, praying, that this House will grant him a longer Day (than was appointed by Order of the House on Yesterday), to appear to make his Defence to the Complaint of Doctor Alexander Hamilton, set forth in his Petition: Upon reading the said Petition, Ordered, That the Hearing on Doctor Alexander Hamilton's Petition be referred to Wednesday Morning next, being the 17th Instant; and Resloved, That the said Petition be then heard, at the Bar of this House.

The Bill, intituled, An Act for the Speedy Recovery of Small Debts out of Court, before one Justice of the Peace, was read the second Time, and passed, and was sent to the Upper House by Mr. Waggaman and Mr. Lee.

The House adjourns till 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

## Post-Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment.

Mr. Reynolds appeared in the House.

The Bill, intituled, An Act for issuing Writs of Replevin out of the County Courts, and the Bill, intituled, An Act to License Hawkers, Pedlars, and petty Chapmen, were severally read the second Time, and passed, and sent to the Upper House by Capt. Addison and Mr. Govane.

On motion, that a Bill be brought in, For repairing the Public Roads in this Province, Leave given: Ordered, That the Committee p. 270 of Laws do prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

On motion, Leave given, to bring in a Bill, To prevent Masters of Ships and Vessels from clandestinely carrying Servants and Slaves,