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Mr. Wilson brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entituled, A Supplementary Act to an Act, entituled, An Act for Limitation of certain Actions, for avoiding Suits at Law; which was Read the first Time, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

Mr. Edward Gantt appeared in the House.

Richard Lee, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Message, viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly, May 4, 1758.

Gentlemen,

[This long message is printed in full in Upper House Journal pp. 499-519]

Benedict Calvert, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Message, viz.^t

By the Upper House of Assembly, May 4, 1758.

Gentlemen,

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We sent you a Bill the 19th of last Month, Reducing the Allowances of the Members of the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, of which you have not been pleased to take the least Notice to us; but on the second Instant, you sent us a Bill, entituled, An Act for Reducing the Allowances of the Councillors, Deputies and Delegates, that shall serve in the General Assembly, the Judges of the Court of Appeals, and the Commissioners of the Provincial and County Courts of this Province, for ascertaining the Allowances of the Clerks and other Officers of both Houses of Assembly, and securing the Independency of the said Deputies and Delegates, and other Purposes therein mentioned.

As we apprehend that the Bill sent from us ought first to be considered, and the Method you have pursued is inconsistent with all Rules of Proceeding, we have Rejected your Bill upon a View of the Title of it, and hope that you will not adhere to a Mode of Proceeding, which can't but defeat the End we proposed, of Easing the good People of this Province.

Signed p Order, J. Ross, Cl. Up. Ho.

And the Bill, entituled, An Act for Reducing the Allowances of the Councillors, Deputies and Delegates, &c. which had been sent from this House to the Upper House.

On Motion, the Question was put, That Joshua Hall be allowed in the Journal of Accounts for a Servant named John Gale, valued, as p Certificate from the Justices of Baltimore County Court, to the Sum of £66. Resolved in the Negative.