

L. H. J. was Read, and with the Amendments proposed by the Upper House,
 Liber No. 50 passed for Ingrossing.
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The House adjourns till Monday Morning at 8 of the Clock.

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Monday, May 8, 1758.

The House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as on Saturday, except Mr. Edward Dorsey. The Proceedings were Read.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, A Supplementary Act to the Act, entituled, An Act for Granting a Supply of £40,000 was Read and Assented to, and sent to the Upper House, with the Paper Bill thereof, by Mr. Gassaway and Mr. Owings.

On Reading the second Time the Resolves prepared to be Entered on the Journal, as the Resolves of this House, the Question was put, That the following be made and entered as the Resolve of this House, viz.

Resolved, That no Person is Punishable for obstinately Refusing to appear and serve in Arms for the necessary Defence of this Province, by Virtue of that Clause of the Act for Ordering and Regulating the Militia of this Province, for the better Defence and Security thereof (admitting it were in Force) which vests a Power in the Justices of the Provincial Court to fine and imprison, after a Procedure according to the due Course of Law, and Conviction of such obstinate Refusal and Disobedience as aforesaid, except upon a Foreign Invasion.

For the Affirmative,

Reeder,	Edmondson,	Baker,	
Williamson,	Oldham,	Ward,	
Hynson,	Sulivane,	Woodward,	
Hammond,	Lecompte,	Murdock,	
Gassaway,	Govane,	Fraser,	
Carroll,	J. H. Dorsey,	T. Gantt,	
Worthington,	Cockey Deye,	King,	
J. J. Mackall,	Owings,	Lloyd,	
Hanson,	Hyland,	E. Tilghman,	
M. Tilghman,	Earle,	Bracco.	[30]

For the Negative,

Sothoron,	Wilson,	Harris,	
E. Gantt,	Dulany,	Chapline,	
Waggaman,	Handy,	Beatty.	[9]