

L. H. J.
Liber No. 52
Dec. 3

The Supplementary Bill for amending the Staple of Tobacco, &^{ta} was read the second Time, and will pass; and was sent to the Upper House, by M.^r Grahame, and M.^r Buchanan.

The Supplementary Bill to the Act, entitled, An Act for the Direction of Sheriffs in their Offices, &^a was read the second Time and will pass.

B. Calvert, Esq from the Upper House, delivers to M.^r Speaker, the Supplementary Bill to the Act, entitled, An Act for amending the Staple of Tobacco, &^{ta} Indorsed "By the Upper House of Assembly, December 3, 1766: Read the first Time, by an especial Order, and will pass, leaving out the fifth and sixth Pages.

Signed by Order, U. Scott, Cl. Up. Ho."

On reading the aforesaid Alteration proposed, the first and second Time, the House concurs therewith, and the said Bill was indorsed, Read, and with the Alteration proposed, passed for ingrossing.

The House adjourns till the Morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.

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Thursday, December 4.

The House met.

A Bill, entitled, An Act for amending and repairing the Public Roads in Baltimore and Frederick Counties was read the first Time, and ordered to lye on the Table.

A Bill, entitled, An Act to prevent the Exportation of Flour, Staves and Shingles, not merchantable from the Town of Baltimore, in Baltimore County, and to regulate the Measure of Grain, and Firewood within the said Town; was read the first Time, and ordered to lye on the Table.

A Bill, entitled, An Act concerning the Name of John Beale Bordley, was read the first Time, and Ordered to lye on the Table.

p. 476 D. Dulany, Esq from the Upper House, delivers to M.^r Speaker, the Bill, entitled, An Act for the Relief of several languishing prisoners, &^{ta} And the following Message, Viz.^t

By the Upper House of Assembly, December 4, 1766.

Gentlemen,

We make no Doubt, but you received from the Evidence offered to your House, full Satisfaction upon your Enquiry into the Foundation of the Allegations contained in the Petition of Mess.^{rs} Slye and Barnett, against the Relief of Mayberry Helmes, Jun.^r of Baltimore County, nor is any Thing in that Petition the Ground of our objecting to his Name's being inserted in the Bill for Relief of languishing Prisoners; and we presume, also, that you had sufficient Cause for rejecting the Petitions of several Prisoners who have applied this Session for Relief. Our Objection to the Relief