

Jennings esquire to a lot of ground therein; indorsed: By the upper house of assembly June 10.th 1768: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass

L. H. J.
Liber No. 52
June 10

Sign'd by order U. Scott cl: up: ho:

Which is read here and pass'd for ingrossing

On motion leave given to bring in a bill entitled an act for the security of purchasers and others, being protestants, claiming by or from aliens. Ordered that M.^r Chase, M.^r Jennings, and M.^r Cresap, do prepare and bring in the same.

On motion, M.^r Johnson, M.^r Hollyday, M.^r Hall, M.^r Chase, M.^r Jennings, M.^r Wilson, M.^r Hayward M.^r Bordley, M.^r N. Thomas, M.^r Paca, and M.^r Ringgold are appointed a committee to consider that part of his excellencys speech, relative to the criminal laws, and report their sense thereon, to the house.

On reading the second time the bill entitled an act for the recovery of certain americiaments and also upon defaults on executions; the question was put, whether the following clause be added viz.^t "Provided always that in all actions of trespass upon the case, where no declaration shall be sent with the writ, expressing the true cause of action, the sheriff or coroner shall not be amerced upon such writ above the sum of eight thousand pounds of tobacco; and that the judgment for such americiament shall be absolute without any assignment of the cause of action to be offered or tendered to the said sheriff or coroner?" Resolved in the affirmative.

For the affirmative

Eden	Gale	Baxter	
Key	Wilson	Tyler	
Buchannan	Goldsborough	Hall	
Bordley	N. Thomas	Hollyday	
Griffith	Sullivan, e,	Wright	
Mackall	Hooper	Allen	
Hanson	Steele	Selby	
Ware	Ridgley	Purnel	
Smallwood	Moale	J. Dashiel	
Harrison	Adair		[31]
Hayward	Veazy		

For the negative

Wolstenholme	Parran	Ward	
Ringgold	Gantt	Beall	
Gresham	Grahame	Murdock	
Chase	Dickinson	Cresap.	
Worthington	M. Tilghman		[16]
Johnson	Deye		