

dence of Mess.^{rs} Thomas Ringgold and Robert Buchanan, and by the Examination of William Grainger, who is now Aged Twenty Years and three Months, that the carrying the Agreement entered into Betwixt the said Smith and Grainger into Execution will be greatly for the Benefit of the said Grainger, the Consideration, or purchase Money Offered for the Lot of Ground therein mentioned being much more, than, in the Opinion of these Gentlemen, the said Lot is worth, or than any Lot, so Situated in the same Town, hath ever been Sold for. Sent by Benedict Calvert Esq.

U. H. J.
Liber No. 36
Nov. 29

Read and Referred the Petition of Sundry Inhabitants of Dorchester County, and Sent by John Ridout Esq.

Mess.^{rs} Willson and Graham from the Lower House bring up the following Bills.

A Bill Entitled An Act continuing An Act Entitled An Act for repairing the Public Roads in this Province, and the Supplementary Act thereto

A Bill Entitled An Act continuing An Act Entitled a Supplementary Act to the Act Entitled An Act for ascertaining what Damages shall be Allowed upon Protested Bills of Exchange.

A Bill Entitled An Act continuing An Act entitled An Act to increase the Allowance of Jurors, attending the Provincial and County Courts, and for other Purposes therein Mentioned.

A Bill Entitled An Act continuing An Act entitled an Act to oblige infected Ships, and other Vessels coming into this Province, to perform Quarantine.

A Bill Entitled an Act continuing an Act entitled an Act to Ease the Inhabitants of this Province, and to empower the Justices of the Several Counties to bind out Persons, therein Mentioned, Apprentices.

These Bills Read the first and Second time in the Lower House, and will Pass—Read the first time in this house, and Ordered to lye on the Table

Mess.^{rs} Edward Tilghman and Gaunt from the Lower House bring up a Bill Entitled an Act for Issuing Replevins out of the County Courts of this Province, Read the first and Second time in the Lower House and will Pass—Read the first time in this House and Ordered to lye on the Table

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Adjourned until to Morrow Morning 10 of the Clock.

Thursday Morning 30.th November 1769.

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This House met again according to Adjournment.

Present as Yesterday.

Read and referred the Petitions of the following Prisoners, Viz.^l James Alexander of Dorchester County, John Hume and John