

Viz.^t Strike out the Names of "William Lock, Joseph Miller, John Rourke, John Smith, Moses Barney, Thomas Waters, John Brown, and Isaac Dawson, of Baltimore County, and Charles Kedwards of Ann Arundel County"—Sent by Benedict Calvert Esq. together with the following Message.

U. H. J.
Liber No. 36
Dec. 18

By the Upper House of Assembly 18.th December 1769
Gentlemen.

Upon Representations made to this House, since the Petitions of William Lock, Joseph Miller, John Rourke John Smith Moses Barney Thomas Waters John Brown and Isaac Dawson of Baltimore County, and Charles Kedwards of Ann Arundel County, were referred to your Consideration, We think the above named Persons are not proper Objects of Relief, and have therefore, by Our Amendment to the Bill, Entitled "An Act for the Relief of certain Languishing Prisoners in the Several Goals therein Mentioned," proposed to Strike out their Names.

Signed by Order U : Scott Cl. Up. Ho.

Adjourned until to Morrow Morning 10 of the Clock.

Tuesday Morning December 19.th 1769.

Dec. 19

This House met again according to Adjournment.

Present and Yesterday and Col.^o Hammond.

Mess.^{rs} Johnson and Lucket bring up a Bill, Entitled An Act to aid the Navigation of Potowmack River—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} Hayward and Contee bring up a Bill, Entitled an Act for imposing a further Additional Duty of ten Pounds Current Money per Poll on all Negroes imported into this Province. Read the first and Second time in the Lower House, and will Pass—Read the first and Second time, by an Especial Order, in this House, and will not Pass—so Endorsed & Sent by W.^m Fitzhugh Esq.

Mess.^{rs} Beall and Buchanan bring up the following Engrossed Bills, Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly p. 436

A Bill, Entitled an Act to repeal part of an Act to encourage the destroying of Wolves Crows and Squirrells

A Bill Entitled An Act to Appropriate the half Acre of Ground, therein mentioned, to the Use of the Publick School in Frederick County

A Bill Entitled a Supplementary Act to the Act entitled an Act ascertaining the Height of Fences, to prevent the Evils occasioned by the Multitude of Horses, and restraining Horse Rangers within