

M.^r Chamier,

This House is of Opinion that you have misconducted yourself at the last Election of Delegates for Baltimore County, in closing the Polls on the Second Day of the Election, against the consent of one of the Candidates, and when you had reason to believe that a Number of Persons were on their Way, and that many others might be expected the next Day, to vote at the said Election; whereby the People were prevented from having a full and free Election. You are therefore admonished to be more circumspect for the future in your Conduct as Sheriff; and you are discharged, on your paying £4.13.6 to the Officers of this House, and £5.18.0 to M.^r Thomas Cockey Deye, for his other Charges in prosecuting the Petition against you; which Fees and Charges have been taxed by a Committee of this House, of which Taxation you may, by applying to the Clerk, have a Copy.

L. H. J.
Liber No. 54
Dec. 14
p. 30

M.^r Thomas Contee, a Delegate returned for Prince Georges County, and M.^r Andrew Heugh, a Delegate returned for Frederick County, appeared in the House.

Ordered, That M.^r Beall, M.^r Ware, and M.^r Lockett, do go with those Gentlemen to the Upper House, and see them Qualified. They return and acquaint M.^r Speaker, they saw them Qualified in the usual Manner.

The Gentlemen took their Seats in the House

George Steuart, and William Fitzhugh Esquires, from the Upper House, acquaint M.^r Speaker that the Governor requires the Attendance of the Members of this House immediately in the Upper House

M.^r Speaker left the Chair, and (attended by the rest of the Members of the Lower House) went to the Upper House, and there presented to his Excellency the following Bills, which he passed into Laws in the usual Manner.

A Bill, entitled, An Act for the Naturalization of Peter Haldimand.

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, 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.

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

A Bill, entitled, An Act continuing an Act, entitled, An Act to encrease the Allowance of Jurors attending the Provincial and County Courts, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.