

The Bill, entitled, An Act to ease the People of this Province from trivial Suits in the County Courts, thus indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly June 26, 1773. Read the first Time and ordered to lie on the Table.

L. H. J.
Liber No. 54
June 30

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

"By the Upper House of Assembly, June 30, 1773. Read the second Time and will pass with the Amendments annexed.

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Leave out from the Word "Prosecution" in the Fourth Line of the first Page, to the Words "And whereas" in the 8.th Line of the same Page. In the last and second and third Lines from the Bottom of the First Page, instead of "Thirty three Shillings and four Pence Current Money of Maryland, or Four Hundred Pounds of Tobacco," insert "Three Pounds fifteen Shillings Sterling, Five Pounds Current Money of Maryland, or one thousand Pounds of Tobacco." Leave out from the Word, "notwithstanding," in the 5.th Line of the 3.^d Page, to the Word "provided" in the 11.th Line of the 4.th Page. Instead of the Words "Thirty three Shillings and Four Pence Current Money, or Four Hundred Pounds of Tobacco" in the thirteenth Line of the fourth Page, insert, "Thirty Shillings Sterling, Forty Shillings Current Money of Maryland, or Four Hundred Pounds of Tobacco," and Leave the Words "And no Arbitrators have been called in" out of the fourteenth Line of the same Page. Instead of "Two," in the fifth Line from the Bottom of the 5.th Page, insert "Four." Instead of the Words, "Six Pounds Current Money of Maryland, or fourteen hundred and forty Pounds," in the two last Lines of the fifth Page, insert the Words "Three Pounds fifteen Shillings Sterling, Five Pounds Current Money of Maryland, or One thousand Pounds." In the fourth and fifth Lines of the 8.th Page, instead of the Words "And wrote the Sum of Six Pence," insert "Two Shillings." Leave out from the Word "Money," in the ninth Line of the eighth Page, to the Word "And," in the tenth Line of the same Page, and instead of "Six Pence," in the same Line, insert "One Shilling." Instead of the Words "Thirty-three Shillings and four Pence," in the fourteenth Line of the 8.th Page, insert "Thirty Shillings Sterling, forty Shillings," and make a simular Alteration in the 2.^d and 3.^d Lines from the Bottom of the 8.th Page. After the Word "Notwithstanding," in the 9.th Line of the 9.th Page, insert, "for taking which Bond and granting Supersedeas the Justice shall be allowed Two Shillings Current Money of Maryland."

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Which Bill was read here, and the proposed Amendments were read; the first of which was rejected. Upon reading the second, the Question was put, That the Words "Thirty-three Shillings and four Pence Current Money of Maryland, or four hundred Pounds