

appear ever to have been recorded, and that the several Facts set forth in the said Petition are true. All which is humbly submitted.

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Signed by Order, Benjamin Ford, Cl. Com.

Which was read, and the Petition of Benjamin Harris of Frederick County was read a second Time and granted, and Leave given the Petitioner to bring in a Bill pursuant to the Prayer of the said Petition. p. 350

On Motion, Resolved, That this House will, on Thursday next, take into Consideration the several Matters recommended by his Excellency.

M.^r Paca hath Leave of Absence.

M.^r Holland brings in and delivers to M.^r Speaker a Bill, entitled, An Act to assess and levy on the taxable Inhabitants of All-Hallows Parish in Worcester County, a Quantity not exceeding Forty-five Thousand Pounds of Tobacco for the Purpose of erecting a Chapple of Ease in the said Parish. Which was read the first Time and ordered to lie on the Table.

M.^r Lyles brings in and delivers to M.^r Speaker a Bill, entitled, An Act for the building of a Parish Church in all-Saints Parish in Calvert County. Which was read the first Time and ordered to lie on the Table.

Philip Thomas Lee, Esq from the Upper House delivers to M.^r Speaker a Petition of Leonard Hollyday; a Petition of Joseph Ensor; and a Petition of sundry Creditors of Francis Hepburn, against his Releasement out of Anne-Arundel County Jail.

The Petition of Leonard Hollyday was read. Ordered. That the same be referred to the Consideration of a Committee, and that they do examine the Matter thereof, and report the same as it shall appear to them to the House; and M.^r Beall, M.^r J. Hall, and M.^r Somervell, are appointed a Committee accordingly, and they have Power to send for Persons, Papers and Records.

The Petition of Joseph Ensor was read. Ordered, That the same be referred to the Consideration of a Committee, and that they do examine the Matter thereof, and report the same as it shall appear to them to the House; and M.^r Deye, M.^r Ridgely, M.^r Tolly, and M.^r Chase, are appointed a Committee accordingly, and they have Power to send for Persons, Papers, and Records.

The Bill, entitled, An Act for the Regulation of Officers Fees, which had been committed for Amendments, was read a second Time with the Amendments, and passed.

The House adjourns till 3 O'Clock.