

N.<sup>o</sup> 19, 20, 21, 22, and the Paper Bills thereof by M.<sup>r</sup> Robins and M.<sup>r</sup> Purnell.

L. H. J.  
Liber 54  
Apr. 18

The Bill, entitled, An Act relating to Criminals was read the second Time, passed, and sent to the Upper House, with the Bill, entitled, An Act relating to Criminals in certain Cases, by M.<sup>r</sup> Steele and M.<sup>r</sup> Dallam.

On reading a second Time the Bill, entitled, An Act to regulate the Payment of Attornies Fees, the Question was put, that the following Clause to wit, "And be it further enacted, That if any Attorney, or other Person practising the Law in any of the Courts of this Province, shall deliver or send out his List of Fees to the Sheriff of any County for collecting the same, before the several Actions on which such Fees are charged be prosecuted or defended to final Judgment, Agreement, or other End thereof, such Attorney, or other Person practising the Law as aforesaid, shall for every such Offence, forfeit and pay the Sum of twenty Pounds Current Money, one half thereof to the Use of the County where the Offence shall be committed, to defray the publick Charge thereof, the other half to the Informer to be recovered by Action of Debt, Information or Bill of Indictment, any Thing herein to the Contrary notwithstanding. be inserted in the Bill? Carried in the Negative.

For the Negative.

Mess. <sup>rs</sup>	{	Key,	Steele,	Gilpin,	
		Barnes,	Tolley,	Ward,	
		Maxwell,	Chamberlaine,	Purnell,	
		Johnson,	Lloyd,	Robins,	
		Chase,	Tyler,	Beatty,	
		J. Hall,	T. Wright,	Aq. Hall,	
		Parran,	So. Wright,	Dallam,	
		Waters,	Veazy,		[23]

For the Affirmative.

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Mess. <sup>rs</sup>	{	Worthington,	Ridgely,	Earle,	
		Hammond,	Deye,	Hyland,	
		Lyles,	Ridgely Son of	Bond Son of Tho.	
		Somervell,	John,	Love.	[11]

The Question was then put, that the said Bill do pass? Resolved in the Affirmative; and sent to the Upper House by M.<sup>r</sup> Earle and M.<sup>r</sup> Bond Son of Thomas.

On Motion, Ordered, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill for regulating the Gauging of Casks in the Town of Baltimore; and that M.<sup>r</sup> Ridgely, M.<sup>r</sup> Tolley, M.<sup>r</sup> Deye, M.<sup>r</sup> Ridgely Son of John, and M.<sup>r</sup> Chase, do prepare and bring in the same.

The House adjourns till 3 O'Clock.