

Saturday Morning 11.<sup>th</sup> of December 1773.

The House met again according to Adjournment

U. H. J.  
Liber No. 36  
Dec. 11

Present as yesterday.

Read and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly the Petition of sundry Inhabitants of Baltimore Town— So endorsed and sent by Philip Thomas Lee Esq

Read the second Time in this House the Bill entitled. “An Act to continue the Acts therein mentioned” and will not Pass— So endorsed and sent to the Lower House by Philip Thomas Lee Esq.

Mess.<sup>rs</sup> Thomas and Solomon Wright bring up a Bill entitled “An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors and other Prisoners.” Read the first and second Time in the Lower House and will not Pass.

Mess.<sup>rs</sup> Thomas and Solomon Wright bring up the Bill entitled “An Act for the Amendment of the Law.”— Read the first and second Time in the Lower House and will Pass with the following Amendment Viz.<sup>t</sup> Leave out the Clause from the beginning of the sixth Page to the word “liable.” inclusive in the Eleventh line of the same Page.

Mess.<sup>rs</sup> Barnes and Tolley bring up the two following Bills, Read the first and second Time in the Lower House and will Pass. Viz.<sup>t</sup>

A Bill entitled “An Act for the Sale of Lands late the Property of Caleb Dorsey of Ann Arundel County deceased for Payment of Legacies.”

A Bill entitled “A Supplementary Act to the Act entitled “An Act for licensing Ordinary Keepers Hawkers, Pedlars and Petty Chapmen.”— Those two Bills were Read the First Time in this House and Ordered to lie on the Table

Mess.<sup>rs</sup> Deye and Tolley bring up a Bill entitled “An Act to Confirm a Lease made by Thomas Harrison of Baltimore County for part of a Lot of Land therein mentioned to the Commissioners of Baltimore Town and their Successors” and also a Bill entitled “An Act for the Relief of sundry Inhabitants of Potapsaco Lower Hundred in Baltimore County.” Read the first and second Time in the Lower House and will Pass, which said Bills were severally Read the first Time in this House and Ordered to lie on the Table p. 715

Read the second Time by an especial Order in this House a Bill entitled “An Act for the Sale of Lands late the Property of Caleb Dorsey of Ann Arundel County Deceased for payment of Legacies;” and will Pass with the following Amendment Viz.<sup>t</sup> Add the following Proviso at the end of the Bill “Provided always that nothing in this Act contained shall in any manner affect the Claim or Remedy of any Creditor or Creditors of the aforesaid Caleb Dorsey deceased.” So Endorsed and sent to the Lower House by John Ridout Esq

Adjourned until Monday Morning ten of the Clock