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tes and Ordered, That Mr. Beall, Mr. Richardson, Mr. So. Wright, and eedings Mr. T. Wright, be a Committee to enquire what Laws will expire House, with the Close of this Session.

Mr. Paca is added to the Committee of Elections and Privileges. A Bill, entitled, An Act to explain an Act relating to Leases made by the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens of Saint Anne's Parish, was read the first Time and ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns till 3 o'Clock.

POST MERIDIEM.

The House met. Mr. Somervell appeared in the House. The following Certificates, viz.

Anne-Arundel Thereby certify, that on the 17th Day of County, ss.

November, 1773, came Gabriel Duvall before me the Subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, and took the several Oaths to the Government required by Law, subscribed the Oath of Abjuration, repeated and signed the Test, and took the following Oath, to wit. "I Gabriel Duvall do swear, that I will true Entries make of all such Matters and Things as shall be to me directed by any Committee of the Lower House of Assembly for whom I shall act as Clerk; and that I will not divulge the Secrets of the said House, or of any Committee thereof, but will in all Things well and truly demean myself, according to the best of my Skill and Knowledge. So help me GOD."

R. GHISELIN.

Anne-Arundel Interest certify, that on the 17th Day of County, ss. November, 1773, came John Courts Jones before me the Subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, and took the several Oaths to the Government required by Law, subscribed the Oath of Abjuration, repeated and signed the Test, and took the following Oath, viz. "I John Courts Jones do swear, that I will true Entries make of all such Matters and Things as shall be to me directed by any Committee of the Lower House of Assembly for whom I shall act as Clerk; and that I will not divulge the Secrets of the said House, or of any Committee thereof, but will in all Things well and truly demean myself, according to the best of my Skill and Knowledge. So help me GOD."

R. GHISELIN.

Anne-Arundel Thereby certify, that on the 18th Day of County, ss. Inovember, 1773, Benjamin Ford came before me the Subscriber, one of his Lordship's Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid, and took the several Oaths to the Government required by Law, subscribed the Oath of Abjuration, repeated and signed the Test, and took the following Oath, viz. "I Benjamin Ford