

Thomas Biddle appeared and desired a view of the Errors assigned by Thomas Bother the Attorney of Capt. Thomas Cornwallis.

Ordered that he have a Copy of the Errors & that he put in his answer ag. Mund ay Morning

Then was read an Act prohibiting the sale of powder at 4 dayes. and dayes of Generall Mustring

Ordered that the words be inserted viz. Provided also that it may be lawfull for any Sheriff to arrest any person or persons at a Mustring day. that is not bound to attend the Mustring here to be made & to payne: & that it be subscribed the upper house have assented. & that it be sent to the lower house for their assent also.

Then was read an Act for Attorneys for business out of England.

The upper house thinke it not fit to pass the same Cause of this Act concerning Attorneys out of England for this reason viz. the person paynt is liable to any Arrest or Imprisonment for any unjust or unjust motion and further it would do him any wrong for seeking his due in person in the Province though never for just, for fears he shal be hindered in Acquaintance wth his Country.

Then was read an Act for the Erecting of a Pillory for the and Drowning stocks in every County of the Province

Ordered that this Act be subscribed the upper house have assented.

Ordered that the Speaker be desired to expedite the Act for more certain payments of the publick Treasurie

The Act for punishment of Contempts in Court by not standing uncovered &c.

The Act for punishment of such as forswere Court marke &c. and dispos. of titles of the same seized upon by the Sheriff &c.

Upon the petition of Coll Edward Jorj for 20 men for attending the Court General he & his heirs 4 dayes heild &c. of powder & liberty of the Cross.