

And also it has been found pernicious by most of the Inhabitants of this Province for that the Shortness of Time for the Payment of the said Bills has occasioned the Return of many ~~of~~ which is humbly referred to the Consideration of the House of Delegates. Signed & Ordered J^r. Beale ~~the~~
 Which being read ^{by the House} is likewise allowed to be an Aggravation and Ordered the Committee of Laws prepare a Bill to lessen the Damages on Protested Bills to 10 Pounds of Cost and three Shillings and six Pence Charge of Protest

It's humbly moved to this Committee as an Aggravation, that whereas for some Time past the several Sheriffs within this Province has taken upon themselves to adjourn the Elections from the most usual Places that has been used for many Years past from Day to Day and from Place to Place contrary to the usual Method heretofore used which is humbly offered by this Committee as an Aggravation to the Inhabitants of this Province therefore prays the Hon^{ble} House to take it into Consideration that the same may be redressed as the Hon^{ble} House as the shall soon meet

Signed & Ordered J^r. Beale ~~the~~

Resolved likewise that it is an Aggravation

Ordered the Law directing the Manner of electing Delegates ~~to~~ be revised

It's humbly offered as an Aggravation that whereas the several Practitioners in the Provincial Court has made it their Business to procure from the Clerk of the Provincial Court blank writs to be by them filled up when so fit to the Disturbance of many of the Inhabitants of this Province and the multiplying of Law Suits which would be prevented if they were filled up by the Clerks as they ought; therefore this Committee offer the same as an Aggravation to the Hon^{ble} House of Delegates and prays the House to consider thereof

Signed & Ordered J^r. Beale ~~the~~

Resolved it is an Aggravation but referred for Consideration till the next Session of Assembly

Bill empowering Trustees to sell certain Lands for Redemption of a Mortgage for the Benefit of Christian Stirling a Minor, Read the second Time & will pass Sent up to the Council by Mr. Tyler and Mr. Worthington. They return and say they delivered the Bill. The Petition of Talbot County Inhabitants relating to the Removal of their Court House Read. The Hon^{ble} Major General Boyd and Col^l Wm Coursoy ^{in the House} informed Mr. Speaker what they had to say and then withdrew and the whole matter