

And with this Indorsement, viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly, July 26, 1729.

Read a second Time, and will pass with the Amendments made in a Schedule herewith sent.

Sign'd per Order, John Ross, Cl. Up. H.

And the following Message, viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly, July 26, 1729.

Sundry Amendments made to the Bill, Intituled, An Act for the better Administration of Justice in Testamentary Affairs.

Page 2d, Line 3d. { That the Words, which Persons so to be appointed, shall hold and enjoy the respective Offices, so long as they shall well behave themselves therein, be left out.

Page 7th, Line 1st. { That Part of the Proviso, nor shall the Judge give any other Allowances to Administrator or Administrators, upon his, her, or their Accounts, but for Debts bona fide owing from the Deceas'd, and really paid, or secured to be paid by the severall and respective Administrators, together with the necessary Charges, be left out.

Page 9th, Line 1st. { That that Part of the Proviso, be lawful for the Justices of the severall County Courts, be left out; and that the Words, be lawful for the Governour and Council of this Province, be inserted instead thereof.

Same Page, Line 3d. { And that instead of the Words, the Protestant Religion, the Religion of the Church of England, be inserted.

Page 12th, Line 6th. { And that instead of the Words, apply'd to defray the Charges of the County, where the Accounts are directed, by this Act to be transmitted, the Words following be inserted, be apply'd to the Support of the Government of this Province.

Page 13th, L. the last. { Instead of the Words, to defray the Charge where the Offence shall be committed, put the Words, for the Support of the Government.

Page 16th, Line 16th. { That from the Words, by the Authority aforesaid, with the Advice and Consent aforesaid, the following Clauses and Paragraphs as far as the Words, to the contrary notwithstanding, in Page 18, Line 13, to be left out; and that instead thereof, it be inserted, That the Commissary General shall allow to all Executors and Administrators, the Salary of Eight per Cent. and no more, upon the Amount of the whole Estate of Deceas'd Persons, which shall come into their Hands.

Page 20th, Line 8th. { That the Words, Twenty Pounds be left out, and the Words Ten Pounds put instead thereof.

Page 23 Line 9. Add the Word, and, next after Tobacco.

Page 26th, Line 6th. { Instead of the Words, to defray the County Charges, where the Fact shall be committed, let the Words, for the Support of Government, be inserted.

Same Page, Line 14th. { That the Words, not exceeding Fifty Pounds in Money, be added next after Letters Testamentary.

Page 27th, Line 1st. { That the Words, for the Support of Government, be inserted next after Lord Proprietary, instead of, to defray the County Charges where the Deputy Commissary so offending, shall reside.

Page 27th, Line 4th. { That the Word only, be transposed, and put next after the Word Legacy.

Page 30th, Line 5th. { That next after the Words, of the good Usage, the Words of the Orphans of Persons dying Intestate, and the Condition of the Security for their Estates, be inserted instead of, and Condition of the Security or other Orphans.

Page 33d, Line 9th. { That the Words, for the Support of the Government, or to which any Orphan or Administrator shall be Entitled, to be left out.

Page 37th, Line 12th. { That the Words, Ten per Cent. if in Specie, Five per Cent. and no more, be left out, and the Words, Eight per Cent. but if in Specie nothing, be inserted.

Page 40, Line 1. That the Words, Deputy Commissary, be left out.

Page 44. { That all that Part of the Clause relating to the Commissary General, his giving Secular Oaths, be left out.

Sign'd per Order, John Ross, Cl. Up. H.

Edmund Jennings, Esq; from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, Intituled, An Act against Ingressors and Regrators; which was read the first Time, and order'd to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns until Monday Morning, at Eight of the Clock.

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