

Notes and Resolves,

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Lower House of Assembly of the Province of M A R Y L A N D.

(Tuesday July 22, 1729.)

THE House met according to Adjournment. The Members were call'd, and all present as Yesterday. The Proceedings of Yesterday were read over.

The Question being put, Whether there should be a Contribution made by the Publick, to the Reparation or Enlargement of the Church in the City of *Annapolis*; or not? Resolv'd in the Affirmative.

The Petition of the Rector, Churchwardens, Vestrymen, and Parishioners of St *Anne's* Parish in *Anne-Arundel* County, praying Leave to bring in a Bill, *to impower them to assess Forty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco on the Parishioners for the Reparation and Enlargement of the Church in the City of Annapolis; and for the building a Chapel of Ease in the said Parish*, was read and granted, according to the Prayer.

Ordered, That the Publick be assessed with a fourth Part of the Charge of the Reparation and Enlargement of the Church in the City of *Annapolis*; Provided there be Room left for to make convenient Pews for the Governour and Council below Stairs, if they are inclinable to leave the Gallery; one Pew for the Speaker, and five large Pews for the rest of the Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly.

Col. *Ward*, from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Bill, Intituled, *An Act for raising a Duty of Three Pence per Hoghead on all Tobacco exported out of this Province, for the Uses therein mentioned*, thus Indors'd, *viz.*

By the Upper House of Assembly, July 21, 1729.

Read the first Time, and order'd to lie on the Table.

Sign'd per Order, *John Ross, Cl. Up. Ho.*

And thus Indors'd, *viz.*

By the Upper House of Assembly, July 22, 1729.

Read a second Time, and will pass; with the following Amendment, *viz.* That the Continuance of the said Act be for Three Years.

Sign'd per Order, *John Ross, Cl. Up. Ho.*

The House adjourns 'till Two of the Clock in the Afternoon.

(Tuesday, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon.)

The House met according to Adjournment. The Members were call'd, and all present as in the Morning; except Mr. *Thomson*.

Order'd, That no Petition be received in this House after *Friday* next,
John