

Tuesday Morning, April 8, 1735.

THE House met according to Adjournment. All present except Mr. *Waugbop*. The Bill, intituled, *An Act for Regulation of Ordinaries, &c.* Read the second Time, pass'd; and sent to the Upper House, by Col. *Gale*, and Mr. *Smith*. Order'd, that Mr. *Dulany*, and Col. *Gale*, prepare an Address to the Governour, to request His Excellency, to order the Accounts of the Disposition of the Money heretofore raised on the Three Pence per Hoghead, for Arms, and Ammunition; to be laid before this House. Mr. *Dulany*, and Col. *Gale*, bring in the following Address to the Governour.

To His Excellency SAMUEL OGLE, Esq; Governour of MARYLAND.

The Humble ADDRESS of the Lower House of Assembly.

May it please your Excellency,

THIS House having taken into Consideration, the raising a Fund for supplying the Country with Arms, and Ammunition, for its necessary Defence; and it being the undoubted Right of the People, to know how such Money as has been levied on them, for the Publick Use, has been applied; We pray that your Excellency will be pleas'd to give Directions, that the Accounts of the Three Pence per Hoghead, for purchasing Arms and Ammunition, heretofore raised, be laid before this House.

Which was read, approved, and order'd to be ingross'd.

The Bill, intituled, *An Act ascertaining the Gauge and Tare of Tobacco-Hogheads, &c.* Read a second Time, pass'd; and sent to the Upper House by Mr. *Key*, and Mr. *Hemsley*.

The House adjourns 'til Two o' Clock in the Afternoon.

Tuesday, Post Meridiem.

The Petition of *John Brannock*, complaining of an undue Election, in *Dorchester County*, being read, on full Hearing, was rejected.

Col. *Gale*, delivers Mr. Speaker, the Address to the Governour, ingross'd.

Col. *Gale*, and Col. *Hooper*, sent to acquaint the Governour, this House hath prepared an Address to His Excellency; and desireth to know when and where he will receive it.

They return, and acquaint Mr. Speaker, the Governour will receive it To-morrow Morning at Eleven of the Clock, in the Conference Chamber.

A Bill, to cut off the Entail of Two Tracts of Land, in *Baltimore County*; the one called *Morning's Choice*, the other called *Morning's Choice Addition*; And to entail, in Lieu thereof, Part of *Vulcan's Rest*, in *Cecil County*: Read the first and second Time, by especial Order; pass'd; and sent to the Upper House, by Mr. *George*, and Mr. *Johnson*.

The House adjourns 'til To-morrow Morning, Nine o' Clock.

Wednesday Morning, April 9, 1735.

THE House met according to Adjournment. Order'd, That a Bill be brought in, to amend the Act preventing the Importation of trashy Tobacco from *Virginia*.

The Bill, intituled, *A Supplementary Act, to the Act, intituled, An Act for quieting Possessions, &c.* Read the second Time, and will not pass.

Col. *Gale*, and Twelve more, were order'd to attend the Governour with the Address prepared Yesterday.

Col. *Gale* brought in a Bill, intituled, *A Supplementary Act, to the Act, intituled, An Act for laying an Imposition on Negroes, and on several sorts of Liquors imported; and, also on Irish Servants; so prevent the Importing too great a Number of Irish Papists into this Province*: Which was read the first Time, and order'd to lie on the Table.

Mr. *Key* brings in a Bill, intituled, *An Act, empowering the Rector, Vestry-Men, and Church-Wardens, of King and Queen Parish, in St. Mary's and Charles Counties, to purchase Two Acres of Land in the said Parish, in St. Mary's County, to build a Church on: And for raising a Fund, as well to compleat the said Purchase, and Building, as to repair New-Port Church in Charles County, within the said Parish*: Which was read, the first Time, and order'd to lie on the Table.

Wednesday, Post Meridiem.

Col. *Belt* added to the Committee of Aggrievances and Courts of Justice.

Col. *Gale* brings in a Bill, intituled, *An Act for relieving sundry Inhabitants in this Province, from the Charges of Prosecutions, for not burning Tobacco, in Pursuance of an Act of Assembly, intituled, An Act for emitting, and making current, Ninety Thousand Pounds, current Money of Maryland, in Bills of Credit*.

Which Bill he read in his Place, and afterwards it was read in the House, the first Time, and order'd to lie on the Table.

The Hearing on Mr. *Tilden's* Petition continued.