

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

Of the Lower House of ASSEMBLY.

Monday Morning, May 26. 1740.

THE House met according to Adjournment.
All Present that were on Saturday.

Mr. *Weems*, Mr. *Courts*, and Mr. *Edward Lloyd* appeared in the House this Day.

The Petition of *Benjamin Howard*, praying Leave to bring in a Bill to cut off the Entail of a Tract of Land called *Roper's Neck*, and to Entail other Lands of equal value in lieu, Read and referred to the Consideration of next Assembly.

The Petition of *Thomas Spalding* and *Catharine* his Wife, praying Leave to bring in a Bill to cut off the Entail of a Tract of Land called *Cooper's purchase*, and to Entail in lieu thereof a Tract of Land called *Crackburn's purchase* of equal value; Read and referred to the Consideration of the next Assembly.

The Petition of *Joseph Williams* and *Richard Snowden* of *Ann-Arundel* County, praying Leave to cut off the Entail of a Tract of Land called *Williams's Range* lying in *Prince George's* County, and to Entail other Lands of equal value in lieu thereof; Read and referred to the Consideration of the next Assembly.

A Bill, entituled, *An Act Reviving an Act, entituled, A supplementary Act to the Act, entituled, An Act laying an Imposition on Negroes and on several sorts of Liquors Imported, and also on Irish Servants to prevent the Importing too great a number of Irish Papists into this Province*: Read the First Time, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

The House Adjourns to 2 of the Clock in the Afternoon.

Post Meridieum.

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

The Bill, entituled, *An Act Reviving an Act, entituled, A supplementary Act to the Act laying an Imposition on Negroes and on several sorts of Liquors Imported, and also on Irish Servants to prevent the Importation of too great a number of Irish Papists into this Province*: Read the Second Time, by an especial Order, and Passed; which Bill, and