

the Governor and Council on the Taxable Inhabitants of this Province, *Resolved* unanimously, That the Levying the same is Illegal and Oppressive.

And *Ordered*, That an Address be prepared to his Excellency, on the Subject Matter of that Message, and that the Committee of Laws prepare and bring in the same.

Daniel Dalany, Esq; from the Upper House delivers Mr. Speaker a Petition of the back Inhabitants of *Prince-George's* County, praying that a Bill may be brought in for the Division of the said County :

And a Petition of the said back Inhabitants, complaining of the Injuries done them by Deer-Hunters, and praying that a Bill may be brought in for their Relief :

Which Petitions were thus Indorsed, *viz.* " By the Upper House of Assembly, *Aug.* 27, 1745, Read, and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly. Signed *per Order*, *J. Ross*, Cl. Up. Ho."

Philip Thomas, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers Mr. Speaker, a Petition of *Samuel Preston Moore*, *Margaret Moore*, *Richard Moore*, *Mordecai Moore*, *Thomas Moore*, and *Charles Moore*, praying Leave to bring in a Bill to confirm a Deed of Bargain and Sale, between *Mordecai Moore*, and *William Mitchell*, *Edward Mitchell*, and *Grace* his Wife, for a Tract of Land called *Mitchell's Chance* :

And a Petition of *Elisabeth Hanson*, praying that an Act may Pass to entitle her to a Tract of Land lying in *Charles* County, containing One Hundred Acres, conveyed by a certain *James Connell* and *Anne* his Wife, of *St. Mary's* County, to a certain *John Dunbar* :

Which Petitions were thus Indorsed, *viz.* " By the Upper House of Assembly, *Aug.* 27, 1745, Read, and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly. Signed *per Order*, *J. Ross*, Cl. Up. Ho."

Col. Hollyday, from the Upper House, delivers Mr. Speaker the Bill, entitled, *An Act for Limitation of Officers Fees*, Indorsed, " By the Upper House of Assembly, *Aug.* 27, 1745, Read the Second Time by especial Order, and will not Pass. Signed *per Order*, *J. Ross*, Cl. Up. Ho."

And the following Message, *viz.*

By the Upper House of Assembly. *August* 27, 1745.

Gentlemen,
ALTHOUGH we cannot agree to Pass the Bill, entitled, *An Act for Limitation of Officers Fees*, as it is now framed, yet we are most sincerely disposed to concur in any reasonable Measures that may conduce to the Ease and Happiness of the People.

Signed *per Order*, *J. Ross*, Cl. Up. Ho.

The House adjourns 'til To-morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.



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