

These Papers contain Matters of the greatest Importance to the Country in general; and therefore we think that all means ought to be used to discover the Author, or Authors, as well as the Matters contained in them; and to make such a Law, as may deter evil-minded Persons from destroying, or attempting to destroy any Inspection House.

Signed per Order, J. Rose, Cl. Up. Ho.

Mr. Harris, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Bill entituled, *An Act to restrain the ill Behaviour of Clergymen*, with Amendments; which were read, and the Question was put, Whether the said Bill shall pass, or not? *Resolved* in the Affirmative.

For the AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs	{	Key,	Harrison,	Hyland,	Gordon,
		Barnes,	King,	Pearce,	Dulany,
		Bond,	Dashiel,	Bayard,	Hopper,
		Mills,	Handy,	Sheredine,	Robins,
		Harris,	R. J. Henry,	Paca,	J. Henry,
		Smith,	Annals,	J. Hall,	Scarborough,
		Mackall,	Lecompte,	Addison,	Purnell.
		Smallwood,	Sulivane,		

For the NEGATIVE.

Messrs	{	J. Gresham,	Worthington,	Lloyd,	Wootton,
		R. Gresham,	Wilkinson,	J. Goldsborough,	T. Hammond,
		H. Hall,	N. Goldsborough,	Hooper,	Tilgaman.
		Carroll,	Thomas,	Buchanan,	

Which Bill was Indorsed, "Read the second Time, and will pass."

The House adjourns until Tomorrow Morning at 9 a Clock.

Wednesday Morning, May 18. 1748.

TH E House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Mr. Philip Hammond appeared in the House.

The Bill entituled, *An Act to restrain the ill Behaviour of Clergymen*, was sent to the Upper House by Col. Dashiel and Mr. Harris.

Ordered, That no Petitions to this House be received after Tuesday next.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill to erect a Town, by the Name of *Newport*, in *Worcester County*: *Ordered*, that the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

Col. Hammond, from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition of several Freeholders of *Prince George's County*;

and