

is going to and returning from the Southward: Beside as our Neighbours have thought it pro-
 per to give the *Indians* some Presents, to keep them steady in their Friendship to his Majesty's
 Subjects; if we do nothing of the same Kind, it is very probable the *Indians* will conclude,
 that we not only have no Regard for them, but also that we are really their Enemies; and
 how far upon such a Conclusion they may carry their Reientment, cannot be foreseen.
 Signed per Order, J. Ross, Cl. Up. Ho.

On reading the Bill entituled, *An Act for processioning Lands,*
 &c. the Question was put, Whether Six or Twelve Months be gi-
 ven to two or more Persons legally intituled to the Lands contigu-
 ous, in their own Right, or in the Right of any Infant, to have
 the Pre-emption and Liberty of taking Vacancy, in proportion
 to the Number of Acres contained in the contiguous Tracts, in
 which they are so interested as aforesaid.

The House being divided on the Question, the same was deter-
 mined by Vote of the Honourable Speaker, That Six Months
 Time be given.

	For Six Months,			
Messrs	{ Key,	P. Hammond,	R. Henry,	Paca,
	{ Barnes,	Worthington,	Lloyd,	Gordon,
	{ Mills,	Harrison,	Hooper,	Delany,
	{ J. Gresham,	King,	George,	Tilghman,
	{ R. Gresham,	Daniel,	Pearce,	J. Henry,
	{ Harris,	Handy,	Buchanan,	Scarborough.
	For Twelve Months,			
Messrs	{ Bond,	Wilkinson,	Sullivan,	Stoddert,
	{ Carroll,	N. Goldsborough,	Hyland,	Addison,
	{ Smith,	Thomas,	Bayard,	T. Hammond,
	{ Brome,	J. Goldsborough,	Sheredine,	Hopper,
	{ Mackall,	Enalls,	J. Hall,	Robins,
	{ Smallwood,	Lecompte,	Wootton,	Purnell.

The Question was put, Whether the Bill entituled, *An Act for*
processioning of Land, &c. be committed for Amendment, or not?
Resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. Mackall hath Leave to go home.

The House adjourns until Tomorrow Morning at 9 a Clock.

Thursday Morning, May 26, 1748.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c. All ap-
 peared as yesterday, except Mr. Mackall.

Capt. Enalls hath Leave of the House to go home.

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