

To the Writ for *Calvert County*, we find annexed four several Instruments of Writing, between the Sheriff of the said County, of the one Part, and *James John Mackall, James Heigbe, Benjamin Mackall, junior, of Patuxent, and Benson Bond*, and several of the Freeholders and Electors of the same County, of the other Part, under the Hands and Seals of the said Sheriff and Electors; but not Indented.

We find four several Indentures between the Sheriff of *Kent County*, of the one Part, and *Matthias Harris, Richard Lloyd, Simon Wilmer, and Nicholas Smith*, and several of the Freeholders and Electors of the said County, of the other Part, under the Hands and Seals of the said Sheriff and the said Electors; but we do not find any Writ from that County.

All which is submitted to the Consideration of your Honourable House; and whether the sending for the Sheriffs abovementioned, and passing such Censure on them as to the Wisdom of the House shall seem meet, would not be a Mean to prevent such Remissness for the future.

Signed per Order, *Thomas Harwood, junior, Cl. Com.*

On reading thereof, the House concurs therewith.

Ordered, That the Clerk of this House do issue a separate Summons for the Sheriffs of *Kent, Dorchester, and Calvert Counties*, to attend at the Bar of this House on Friday the 9th Day of *June* Instant.

*The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock.*

*Post Meridiem.*

The House met according to Adjournment.

The Bill entituled, *An Act to abolish June County Courts, &c.* was read the second Time and will pass, and was sent to the Upper House by *Mr. Bordley* and *Mr. Benjamin Mackall*.

*Samuel Chamberlaine, Esq;* from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Bill entituled, *An Act for issuing Writs of Replevin, &c.* Indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, Read the second Time, and will not pass. Signed per Order, *J. Ross, Cl. Up. Ho.*"

*Col. Hammond*, from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition of *Jacob Holland, Richard Gott, and Richard Holland*, praying to have Leave to bring in a Bill to cut off the Entail of Part of a Tract of Land, called *Holland's Choice, &c.* a Petition of the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens, and Parishioners of *Somerset Parish* in *Somerset County*, and some of the Inhabitants within the Bounds of *Stepney Parish*; a Petition of the Vestry and Churchwardens of *Stepney Parish* in *Somerset County*, and sundry of the Inhabitants of the said Parish; and a Petition of the Inhabitants of the upper Part of *Stepney Parish*, lying in *Worcester County*, praying to have the aforesaid Parishes divided, as in the said Petitions described; a Petition of the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens, and other the Inhabitants of *St. Paul's Parish* in *Baltimore County*, praying Leave to bring in a Bill to have the Quantity of 40000 *lb.* of Tobacco levied and assessed on the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, &c. Indorsed severally, "By the Upper House, referred to the Consideration of the Lower House."

Which Petitions were severally read here, and ordered to lie on the Table.

*Edmund Fenings, Esq;* from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition of several of the Inhabitants of *Charles County*, praying to have a Warehouse at *Allen's Fresh, &c.* a Petition of *Mrs. Catharine Pritchard*, praying Relief against a certain *Rebecca Tilly*, who administered on her Husband's Estate; and a Petition of *Hugh Jones*, Rector of *St. Stephen's Parish* in *Cecil County*, praying to have a Square of four Acres of the Glebe Land of the said Parish transferred to him, &c. Which Petitions were severally referred by the Upper House to the Consideration of the Lower House; and were here read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

*The House adjourns until Tomorrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.*