

Wednesday Morning, June 21, 1749.

**T**HE House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as yesterday except Col. Hooper. The Proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Lloyd, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill entituled, *An Act directing the former Sheriffs of the several Counties within this Province, to account with the Justices of the several County Courts, for the Tobacco therein mentioned*; which was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Col. Henry, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill entituled, *An Act to prevent Non-Residents from hunting within this Province*; which Bill was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

On reading a second Time the Bill entituled, *An Act for raising a Duty of three Halfpence Sterling upon all Tobacco exported out of this Province, for the Use of the several and respective County Schools*; the Question was put, Whether the said Bill be rejected, or Not? Resolved in the Affirmative.

	For the AFFIRMATIVE,				
Messrs	Carroll,	Stoddert,	Oldham,	Gordon,	Selby,
	Worthington,	Lee,	Sullivan,	Dulany,	Scarborough,
	Bordley,	Wilson,	Lecompte,	Tilghman,	J. Henry,
	J. J. Mackall,	King,	Travers,	Hopper,	Crabb,
	Heighe,	R. J. Henry,	Buchanan,	Wilkinson,	Chaplain,
	B. Mackall,	Handy,	Paca,	Davis,	Owen,
	Bond,	Waggaman,	Addison,	Robins,	Prather,
	Smallwood,	N. Goldsborough,	Murdock,		
	For the NEGATIVE,				
Messrs	Richard Lloyd,	Wilmer,	Lux,	Woolton,	Sprigg,
	Harris,				

The Bill entituled, *An Act for the building a Chapel of Ease in the upper Part of Stepney Parish, in Worcester County; and to impower the raising and levying a Quantity of Tobacco for that Purpose*; was read the second Time, and passed:

The Bill entituled, *An Act for dividing Part of Stepney Parish lying in Somerset County, and for adding such Part, when so divided, to Somerset Parish in said County*; was read the second Time, and passed:

Which Bills were sent to the Upper House by Col. Robert Jenckins Henry and Col. Scarborough.

Col. John Henry delivers to Mr. Speaker the following Report; viz.

July 1, 1748.

**I**N Pursuance of an Order of both Houses of Assembly, bearing Date at the City of Annapolis, the 14th Day of May last past, met at the main Branch of Nauticoke River, called the North-East Branch, Bartholomew Ennalls, Isaac Nicholls, John Henry, John Scarborough, Benjamin Handy, George Dashiell, named in the said Order; who were authorized, impowered, and appointed to settle the Bounds between Dorchester and Worcester Counties; and they having considered and enquired into the Premises, from the Inhabitants living adjacent thereto, They determine the Branch running up to the Widow Ownis, lately the Wife of William Ownis, and from thence up the main Branch between John Marriott and Edward Burris, to be the Division between the two Counties of Dorchester and Worcester, as aforesaid. All which we humbly certify to the Honourable Houses of Assembly for their Approbation and Confirmation: In Testimony of which we have put our Hands, the Day and Year aforesaid.

B. ENNALLS,	JOHN SCARBOROUGH,
ISAAC NICOLLS,	BENJA. HANDY,
J. HENRY,	GEO. DASHIEL.

Which was read, and referred for Consideration the next Session of Assembly.

Mr. Golds-