

Wednesday Morning, May 16, 1750.

THE House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as Yesterday. The Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

Samuel Chamberlaine, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition of *Grundy Pemberton*, of *Queen Anne's County*; and a Petition of sundry Inhabitants of *Talbot County*; praying that *Pemberton's Houses*, in *Oxford Town*, may be expressly appointed by Law for Warehouses: which Petitions were severally Indorsed, "By the Upper House, read, and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House."

Samuel Chamberlaine, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition of the Justices and others, Inhabitants of *Kent County*; a Petition of the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens, and several of the principal Parishioners of *William and Mary Parish*, in *Charles County*; a Petition of the Rector, Vestrymen, Churchwardens, and other Inhabitants of *St. George's Parish*, in *Baltimore County*; a Petition of the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens of *Queen Caroline Parish*, in *Anne Arundel County*; a Petition of the Inhabitants of that Part of the *Indian-Town* in *Worcester County*, that lies between *Nasaongo Creek* and *Accongo Branch*; a Petition of the Rector and Vestrymen of *Great Choptank Parish*, in *Dorchester County*; a Petition of the Inhabitants of *Baltimore County*; a Petition of *George Catto*, of *Cecil County*, Gent. and *Araminta* his Wife, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of *William Alexander*, of *Cecil County* aforesaid, her former Husband, deceased; and a Petition of sundry the Freeholders and Traders of *Prince George's* and *Charles Counties*; severally Indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, May 15, 1750: Read, and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly."

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

The House adjourns 'til 2 o' Clock.

Post Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as in the Morning, except *Capt. Travers*.

Mr. James John Mackall appeared in the House.

Mr. Walter Dulany, a Member returned to serve in this Assembly for the City of *Annapolis*, appeared in the House. Ordered, That *Capt. Gordon* and *Mr. Heighe* do go to the Upper House with *Mr. Dulany*, to see him qualified: They return, and acquaint *Mr. Speaker*, they saw him qualified in the usual Manner.

The Gentleman took his Seat in the House.

On a further Consideration of the Law for amending the Staple of Tobacco, &c. The Question was put, Whether the several Counties shall have the whole Advantage of all Tobacco, Inspected in the several Warehouses in such Counties; or Not? Resolved in the Affirmative.

For the AFFIRMATIVE,

Messrs
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 Mills,
 Key,
 Barnes,
 Smith,
 Richard Lloyd,
 Wilmer,

Carroll,
 Worthington,
 Bordley,
 Smallwood,
 Stoddert,
 Lee,
 Wilson,

R. J. Henry,
 Handy,
 Waggaman,
 N. Goldsborough,
 J. Goldsborough,
 Robert Lloyd,
 Oldham,

Hooper,
 Lecompte,
 Baker,
 Baxter,
 Sheredine,
 Wootton,

Murdock,
 Gordon,
 Dulany,
 Hopper,
 Wilkinson,
 Davis,