

“ per House of Assembly, *May 23, 1751.* Read the second Time, and
 “ will pass, with the following Amendments: In Page 1, Line 9, after the
 “ Word *happen*, put *or the Party resides*. In Line 10, between the
 “ Words *Plaint* and *Information*, insert the Word *or*; and in the same
 “ Line leave out the Words *or Indictment*. In Page 2, Line 3, between
 “ *happen* and *by*, insert *or the Party resides*, From the Word *That*, in
 “ Line 5 of the same Page, to the Word *is* in the 9th Line, to be omit-
 “ ted; and insert the following Words, *As often as any Magistrate shall*
 “ *be informed by any credible Person, on Oath, or Affirmation if a Qua-*
 “ *ker, that he suspects and verily believes some trashy Tobacco to be in a-*
 “ *ny particular Tobacco-House, Storehouse, Warehouse, Barn, or other*
 “ *Outhouse, Ship, or other Vessel, Inclosure, or other Place whatsoever,*
 “ *designed or intended to be carried or exported out of the Province with-*
 “ *out Inspection; it shall and may be lawful to and for such Magistrate,*
 “ *and he.* After the Word *into*, in the 13th Line of the same Page, insert
 “ the Word *it*; and the following Amendment in a Parenthesis, (*Except*
 “ *such House or Place be on the Plantation whereon such trashy or un-*
 “ *merchantable Tobacco shall appear, by the Oath, or Affirmation if a*
 “ *Quaker, of the Owner, to have been made; and also except Inspecting-*
 “ *Houses, and other Houses used by Inspectors, for the convenient Carrying*
 “ *on and Execution of the Inspection-Law*). After the Word *Case*, in the
 “ 18th Line of the same Page, to the Word *sold* in the 19th Line, to be
 “ left out; and the following Words inserted, *the same Quantity so in-*
 “ *formed against.* In Page 5, Line 3, between the Words *then there*, in-
 “ sert *and*. In the 6th Line of the same Page, instead of the Words *Bill of*
 “ *Indictment*, insert *Presentment*. Between the 17th and 18th Lines of
 “ the same Page, omit the whole Interlineation. In Page 6, Line 2, after
 “ the Word *not*, to the Word *be*, to be left out; and insert the Word
 “ *intended*. In the same Page, the 5th Line, after the Word *Penalties*,
 “ insert *other than the Loss and Burning of such trashy Tobacco*, instead of
 “ the Words *by this Act, on such Tobacco so taken under Carriage as a-*
 “ *foresaid. The three Provisoos*, in the 7th Page, to be left out. The
 “ 8th and 9th Pages to be left out; and the 10th Page, to be left out, to
 “ the Word *This*, in the 24th Line.

“ Signed per Order, *J. Ross*, Cl. Up. Ho.”

George Plater, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a
 Petition of the Vestrymen, &c. of that Part of the late Mr. *Donaldson's* Pa-
 rish, which lies in *Charles* County, praying an Act to empower them to
 build a Church, &c. and a Petition of the Inhabitants of the North Side of
Elk River in *Cæcil* County, and others, praying an Act to build a new Court-
 House and Goal on the public Ground in *Charles-Town*, &c. Which Peti-
 tions were severally Indorted, “ By the Upper House, referred to the Con-
 sideration of the Lower House.”

On reading the Amendments proposed by the Upper House, to the Bill
 for preventing the Sale and Exportation of trashy Tobacco, &c. the Ques-
 tion was put, Whether this House agrees to leave out the three following
 Provisoos, proposed by the Upper House, or not; viz.

“ *Provided always, and it is hereby Enacted and Declared*, That from
 “ and after the End of this present Session of Assembly, every Information
 “ to be made, in order to search and seize as aforesaid, shall be made within
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