

Point, &c. Indorsed, " By the Upper House of Assembly, June 19, 1752.
" Read the second Time, and will not pass.

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

Col. Tasker, from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Bill entituled, *An Act to prevent the setting the Woods on Fire*; Indorsed, " By the Upper House of Assembly, June 19, 1752. Read the second Time, and will pass, with the following Amendment: Leave out the Words from *adjacent Lands*, in the 7th Line, to the Word *committed*, in the 11th Line; and insert the following Words, *And that whoever shall offend in the Premises, and shall be sued for the same by the Party grieved, in the County Court where the Offence shall be committed, that the Plaintiff, upon obtaining a Verdict and Judgment, or Judgment upon Demurrer, or otherwise, shall recover his or her treble Damages, and double Cost.*

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

His Honour the President communicates to Mr. Speaker the following Message:

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,

THE Cannon belonging to the Public being so much worn, that it was thought adviseable to send for new; which have been some Time arrived, but not yet fixed: And it appearing, from the Accident which happened a few Days since, that it is dangerous to use the old Cannon; I therefore desire that some Gentlemen of your House may be named, to join some of the Members of the Upper House, to agree with proper Persons for fixing the New.

BENJA. TASKER.

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock.

Post Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment.

On considering the President's Message of this Day.; *Ordered*, That Dr. Carrell, Mr. Worthington, Major Hall, and Mr. Govane, be appointed to join such Members as shall be appointed by the Upper House, to agree with proper Persons for fixing the new Cannon.

Ordered, That an Answer be prepared to his Honour the President, in Answer to his Message of this Day, communicated to Mr. Speaker; and that the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in the same.

On reading and considering the Bill entituled, *An Act to prevent the setting the Woods on Fire*, and the Amendments propoted to be made by the Upper House to the said Bill; the Question was put, Whether this House doth agree, to the Amendments proposed by the Upper House to be made to the said Bill; or Not? *Resolved* in the Negative.

For the NEGATIVE,

Rafin,
Worthington,
Carroll,
J. J. Mackall,
B. Mackall,
Reynolds,

Gantt,
Stoddert,
Smallwood,
Harrison,
Waggaman,
Gillis,

Handy,
Ermonson,
Hooper,
C. Goldsborough,
Sulivane,
Govane,

Franklin,
Pearce,
Addison,
Fraser,
Hopper,

Wilkinson,
Tilloson,
Purnell,
Evans,
Magruder.