

# Thursday Morning, October 25, 1753.

**T**HE House met according to Adjournment, &c. all appeared as Yesterday, except Mr. George.

The Bill intituled, *An Act for the Advancement of Justice*, was read, and, with the Amendments proposed by the Upper House, passed for ingrossing.

The Bill intituled, *An Act continuing an Act intituled, An Act for relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law, &c.* was read, and, with the Amendments proposed by the Upper House, passed for ingrossing.

The Bill intituled, *A Supplementary Act to an Act intituled, An Act to prevent the injuring Harbours within this Province, &c.* was read the second Time; and the Question was put, Whether the said Bill shall pass, or Not? *Resolved* in the Affirmative.

### FOR THE AFFIRMATIVE.

Messieurs	Bond,	J. Mackall,	J. Goldsborough,	Pearce,	Selby,
	Barnes,	B. Mackall,	Hopper,	Earle,	Scarborough,
	Mills,	Reynolds,	Gray,	Addison,	D. Dulany,
	Rafin,	Gantt,	Govane,	Fraiser,	Crabb,
	Carroll,	Stoddert,	Buchanan,	Hawkins,	Chaplin,
	Hall,	Smallwood,	Ridgely,	W. Dulany,	Magruder.
	Gassaway,	Harrison,	Paca,		

### FOR THE NEGATIVE.

Messieurs	Williamson,	Gillis,	Tilghman,	Hopper,	Holliday,
	Gresham,	Henry,	Travers,	Wilkinson,	Purnell,
	Malconar,	Handy,	Hyland,	Tillotson,	Evans.
	Waggaman,	Oldham,			

The said Bill was accordingly indorsed, Read the second Time and will pass, and was sent to the Upper by Mr. *Buchanan*, and Major *Ridgely*.

On reading the Account of *George Scott*, laid before the Committee of Accounts, for the Fees charged on Prosecution of Criminals, before an especial Court appointed to be held in *Prince George's County*, by Commission for that Purpose; the Question was put, Whether the Charges arising by special Courts, be paid by the Public, or by the Counties where the Criminals are tried? *Resolved*, That the Charges be paid by the Public.

### FOR THE CHARGES-being paid by the PUBLIC.

Messieurs	Bond,	J. Goldsborough,	Paca,	Purnell,	Crabb,
	Barnes,	Tilghman,	Earle,	Selby,	Chaplin,
	Key,	Govane,	W. Dulany,	Evans,	Magruder,
	Hall,	Buchanan,	Hopper,	Scarborough,	Hyland,
	Harrison,	Ridgely,	Holliday,	D. Dulany,	Pearce.
	Henry,				