

intituled, *An Act for the Confirmation of the Lands therein mentioned to Richard Bennett, Esq;* the Question was put, Whether the following Words, *viz.* [upon the Application and Sollicitation of the then Commissioners of the Customs in *England*], mentioned in the Preamble of the said Bill as a Recital, between the Words *Power* and *by*, and on the second Reading contained in the said Bill, be left out of the said Bill, or Not? On a Division of the House, *Resolved* that the said Words be left out.

On a further Reading the said Bill, the Question was put, That the Words *and Richard Bennett*, as now inserted in the Bill, between the Words *Birckfield* and *and*, be left out? On a Division, *Resolved* that the said Words be not left out.

On Reading throughout the Bill intituled, *An Act to repeal an Act intituled, An Act for the Confirmation of Lands, &c.* the Question was put, Whether the said Bill do pass, or Not? On a Division, *Resolved* in the Affirmative.

*The House adjourns till Monday Morning at 8 of the Clock.*

Monday Morning, November 12, 1753.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c. the Members were called, and all appeared as on Saturday, except Mr. *J. J. Mackall*, Col. *Hooper*, Mr. *C. Goldsborough*, Mr. *Edmunson*, and Mr. *J. Tillotson*.

Mr. *Crabb* appeared in the House.

*Samuel Chamberlaine*, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Petition of *Daniel Hull*, a languishing Prisoner in *Talbot* County Goal; indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly."

Which Petition was read here, and granted: *Ordered*, That the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in a Bill for the Petitioner's Relief.

The Bill intituled, *An Act to repeal an Act intituled, An Act for the Confirmation of the Lands therein mentioned to Richard Bennett, Esq;* was sent to the Upper House by Mr. *Crabb*, and Mr. *Frasier*.

*The House adjourns till 2 of the Clock Afternoon.*

*Post-Meridiem.* The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

*Benedict Calvert*, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Bill intituled, *An Act for the Vesting and Settling an Estate of Inheritance in Fee Simple, of and in a certain Parcel or Lot of Ground, in the City of Annapolis, &c. on Horatio Samuel Middleton, and his Heirs for ever;* the Bill intituled, *An Act to enable the Persons therein named to levy, &c.* and, the Bill intituled, *An Act empowering the Justices of Prince Georges County,*