

Which Bill was read here, and passed for ingrossing.

Major Hall, from the Committee of Laws, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker an ingrossed Bill entitled, *An Act for the Adjournment and Continuance of Queen-Anne's County Court*; which was read and assented to, and sent to the Upper House, with the Paper Bill, by Mr. Casson and Mr. Benjamin Handy.

Benedict Calvert, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Paper Bill entitled, *An Act for the Adjournment and Continuance of Queen-Anne's County Court*; indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, March 22, 1756. The ingrossed Bill, whereof this is the Original, is read and assented to.

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

The House adjourns till II of the Clock Afternoon.

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

Mr. J. Mackall, Mr. J. Goldsborough, Capt. Tolley, Mr. Beall, Capt. Crabb, and Capt. Sprigg, appeared in the House.

His Excellency the Governor communicated to Mr. Speaker the following Message, viz.

"Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,

"AS it may possibly be some Time before the Bill, which you are preparing, in Consequence of a Vote for granting a Sum of Money, for his Majesty's Service, can be enacted into a Law, I must recommend it to you to make some farther Provision immediately for the Support of the several Parties of Men that are ordered to range on the Western Frontiers, for the Protection of the Inhabitants.

"HOR^o. SHARPE."

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Samuel Chamberlaine, Esq; and Col. Benjamin Tasker, from the Upper House, acquaint Mr. Speaker that the Governor requires the Members of the Lower House to attend him immediately in the Upper House.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and (with the Members of the Lower House) went to the Upper House, and presented to his Excellency the ingrossed Bill entitled, *An Act for the Adjournment and Continuance of Queen-Anne's County Court*; which his Excellency passed into a Law in the usual Manner.

Mr. Speaker (with the Members of the Lower House) returned and re-assumed the Chair.

The House adjourns until the Morrow Morning at IX of the Clock.

TUESDAY MORNING, March 23, 1756.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Mr. Lloyd and Col. Tilghman appeared in the House.

On Motion, Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do forthwith issue his Warrant to the Deputy Secretary of this Province, to make out a Writ of Election, directed to the Sheriff of Charles County, to elect a Delegate or Burgesses to serve in the General Assembly of this Province, now sitting, in the Room of Mr. Henry Moore, who, since his being elected a Delegate for the said County, hath removed from this Province to reside in Virginia.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock Afternoon.

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

Mr. Matthew Tilghman and Mr. Edge appeared in the House.

Major Hall hath Leave to go home.

The House adjourns until the Morrow Morning at IX of the Clock.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, March 24, 1756.

THE House met according to Adjournment: All the Members appeared as Yesterday, except Major Hall.

Col. Fitzhugh, Mr. Bracco, and Col. Addison, appeared in the House.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Supplementary Bill to the Act For amending the Staple of Tobacco, for preventing Frauds in his Majesty's Customs, and for the Limitation of Officers Fees. Ordered, That Colonel Fitzhugh, Mr. Edge, Mr. J. Goldsborough, Col. J. Henry, and Mr. Stoddert, do prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

The House adjourns until II of the Clock Afternoon.

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