

TUESDAY, April 1, 1760.

THE House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as Yesterday, except Mr. James John Mackall, and Mr. Gibson. The Proceedings of Yesterday were Read.

Mr. Dorsey brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entituled, *An Act to raise a Fund for the Support of an Agent in Great-Britain, for the Service of this Province*; which was Read the first and second Time by an especial Order, and the Question was put, That the said Bill do pass. *Resolved* in the Affirmative.

For the AFFIRMATIVE,

Messieurs	{	Greenfield,	B. Mackall,	C. Goldborough,	Ward,	Lloyd,
		Williamson,	Gantt,	Travers,	Mauldin,	Tilghman,
		Hynson,	Hanson,	Cockey Deye,	Murdock,	Purnell,
		Hammond,	Dent,	Govane,	Frazer,	Selby,
		Gaffaway,	Stoddert,	Owings,	King,	Chapline,
		Carroll,	Lee,	Earle,	Beall,	E. Dorsey.
		Worthington,	Sulivane,	Baker,	Dulany,	

For the NEGATIVE,

Mr. Steuart.

On Resolution of the foregoing Question, the said Bill was Indorsed, "Read the first and second Time by an especial Order, and will pass."

Mr. Lloyd brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker,

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act to prevent Persons from secreting Boats, Flats, and other Vessels, drove by Stress of Weather, or otherwise, from Landings or Moorings.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for the speedy Recovery of small Debts out of Court, before one Justice of the Peace.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act to prevent Masters of Ships and Vessels from clandestinely carrying Servants and Slaves, or Persons indebted, out of this Province.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, A Supplementary Act to the Act, entituled, An Act for the Relief of Creditors in England against Bankrupts, who have imported Goods into this Province not accounted for.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for the Gauge of Barrels, for Pork, Beef, Pitch, Tar, Turpentine, and Tare of Barrels for Flour or Bread.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, A Supplementary Act to the Act ascertaining the Height of Fences, to prevent the Evil occasioned by the Multitude of Horses, and restraining Horse-Rangers within this Province; and to redress the great Evil accruing to this Province, by the Multiplicity of useless Horses, Mares and Colts, that run in the Woods.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act to remedy some Evils relating to Servants.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for Relieving the Inhabitants of this Province from some Aggrievances in the Prosecution of Suits at Law, and for continuing the Supplementary Act thereto.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for the Advancement of Justice.*

A Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for preventing Indians disaffected to the British Interest in America, from coming into this Province as Spies, or on any other evil Design.*

Which Bills were severally Read the first and second Time by an especial Order, and will pass.

Capt. Gaffaway brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entituled, *An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act directing the Manner of punishing Fornication and Adultery before a single Justice of the Peace, out of Court*; which was Read the first and second Time by an especial Order, and will pass.

The Petition of the Inhabitants of Prince-George's Parish in Frederick County;

The Petition of the Justices and Grand-Jurors of Cæcil County;

The Petition of fundry the Inhabitants in and about George-Town, in Frederick and Prince-George's Counties;

The Petition of the Subscribers, Inhabitants of Chester-Town in Kent County;

The Petition of Thomas Bacon, Clerk;

The Petition of the Vestry and Church-Wardens of All-Saints Parish in Frederick County; And,

The Petition of Robert Adair, &c. of Baltimore County;

Were severally Read, and Referred to the Consideration of next Assembly.

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