

TUESDAY, April 21, 1761.

THE House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called, and all appeared as Yesterday, except Mr. Frazer, who hath Leave of Absence.

Mr. Murdock appears in the House.

Col. Hopper hath Leave of Absence.

Mr. Tisaen hath Leave of Absence.

Mr. John Goldsborough brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Report, viz.

By the Committee appointed by the Honourable the Lower House of Assembly to enquire what Laws will expire this Session,

DO find, that the following Laws will expire at the End of this Session, unless continued:

An Act, entitled, An additional and explanatory Act to the Act, entitled, An Act empowering the Commissioners of the County Courts to levy and raise Tobacco, to defray the necessary Charges of their Counties and Parishes, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, 10th Day of May, 1748.

An Act, entitled, An Act for destroying Wolves in Frederick County, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, 15th Day of May, 1751.

An Act, entitled, An Act to prevent certain Evils and Inconveniencies attending the Sale of strong Liquors, and running of Horse-Races, near the yearly Meetings of the People called Quakers; and to prevent the tumultuous Concourse of Negroes and other Slaves during the said Meetings, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 16th Day of May, 1747; and also one other Act, entitled, An Act to amend and explain an Act, entitled, An Act to prevent certain Evils and Inconveniencies attending the Sale of strong Liquors, and running of Horse-Races, near the yearly Meetings of the People called Quakers; and to prevent the tumultuous Concourse of Negroes and other Slaves during the said Meetings, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 3d Day of June, 1752.

An Act, entitled, An Act for Punishment of Horse-Stealers, and other Offenders, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 11th Day of May, 1744.

An Act, entitled, A Supplementary Act to an Act, entitled, An Act laying an Imposition on Negroes and several Sorts of Liquors imported, and also on Irish Servants, to prevent the Importing too great a Number of Irish Papists into this Province, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 20th Day of March, 1754.

An Act, entitled, An Act to enable the several and respective County Clerks within this Province, to remove some of the County Records and Papers from the Public Offices, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, 10th Day of May, 1748.

An Act, entitled, An Act for the more effectual Punishment of certain Offenders, and for taking from them the Benefit of Clergy, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 26th Day of April, 1737.

An Act, entitled, An additional Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act relating to Servants and Slaves, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 10th Day of May, 1748.

An Act, entitled, An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Negroes and other Slaves; and for taking away the Benefit of Clergy from certain Offenders; and a Supplementary Act to an Act, entitled, An Act to prevent the tumultuous Meeting and other Irregularities of Negroes and other Slaves, and directing the Manner of trying Slaves, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 15th Day of May, 1751.

An Act, entitled, An Act to exempt Persons appearing at Musters from Arrests in Civil Cases, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 10th Day of May, 1748.

An Act, entitled, An Act to make the Testimony of convicted Persons legal against convicted Persons, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 15th Day of May, 1751.

An Additional Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act for issuing and taking out of the Office of the Commissioners or Trustees appointed for emitting Bills of Credit, established by Act of Assembly, the Sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred Pounds Current Money, for Encouragement of such able-bodied Freemen as shall voluntarily enlist themselves into his Majesty's Service for the intended Expedition against Canada, and for maintaining and conveying them to the Place of Rendezvous; and also for replacing of the said Sum, and for the better regulating Ordinaries and Ordinary-Keepers, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 28th Day of September, 1757.

An Act to make it Penal to forge or counterfeit the Bills of Credit of Virginia, Pennsylvania, New-York, East or West Jerseys, or the Three Lower Counties on Delaware, called New-Castle, Kent, and Suffex, or to utter or tender the same in Payment within this Province, knowing them to be such, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the 28th Day of March, 1758.

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