

For the NEGATIVE,

Messieurs	{	Hynson,	Hammond,	J. Tilghman,	Baker,	E. Tilghman,
		Ringgold,	Gantt,	Deye,	Beall,	Wright,
		Richard Lloyd,	Stoddert,	Dorsey,	Jacobs,	Chapline,
		Worthington,	Smallwood,	Ward,	Murdock,	Magrader,
		H. Hall,	Hanson,	Earle,	Robert Lloyd,	Beatty.

For the AFFIRMATIVE,

Messieurs	{	J. Hall,	Hayward,	C. Goldsborough,	Steuart,	Allen,
		Plater,	W. Adams,	Gray,	Hollyday,	Chaille,
		Johnson,	J. Adams,	Lee,	Harris,	Crefap.
		Grahame,	Thomas,	Dulany,	Selby,	

On Motion, Leave was given, to bring in a Bill for repairing and maintaining the Public Roads in Baltimore County, at the Expence of that County;

And Ordered, That Mr. Lee, Mr. Johnson, and Mr. Dorsey, do prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Smallwood brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Report relating to the State and Condition of the Arms and Ammunition, and Accounts relating thereto; which was Read, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

His Excellency communicated to Mr. Speaker, the following Messages :

GENTLEMEN of the Lower House of ASSEMBLY,

THE Commissary-General having informed me, that the external Part of the South Porch of the Court-House, where the Records and Papers of his Office are kept, is in so ruinous a Condition, that without speedy Repairs, that Office, and the Records and Papers there, will be entirely open to Embezzlement of any Person, and to the Weather; I think it my Duty to recommend it to both Houses to appoint a Committee to inspect all the Public Buildings, and to appropriate such a Sum, as may be necessary to make such Repairs in all the Buildings, as may be thought expedient.

14th April, 1762.

H O R °. S H A R P E.

GENTLEMEN of the Lower House of ASSEMBLY,

AS I want to be at Newcastle the 22d of this Month, to attend a Meeting of the Commissioners that are appointed to carry into Execution the Articles of Agreement, which the Lord Proprietary of this Province, and the Proprietors of Pennsylvania, have entered into, for running divisional Lines between their respective Territories, I must press you to dispatch all the Business before You, as well as that in particular which I recommended to you at the Opening of this Session, so that a Conclusion may be put to it the End of this, or the Beginning of the next, Week.

14th April, 1762.

H O R °. S H A R P E.

Which were Read, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock.

Post-Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment.

Mr. Harris brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Report :

By the Committee appointed to examine into the Facts set forth in the Petition of Mary Clajon, Administratrix or Executrix of Gamaliel Butler, late of the City of Annapolis, deceased.

YOUR Committee having carefully examined into the Allegations contained, do find, by an Account passed by the Commissary-General, and lodged in the Prerogative Office, that the said Petitioner hath fully administered her deceased Husband's Estate, and overpaid the same Ninety-four Pounds Three Shillings and one Penny Half-penny, and that there still remains several large Sums of Money due from the said Deceased on Bonds and otherwise; which is humbly submitted to the Consideration of the Honourable House.

Signed per Order, WILLIAM WILKINS, Clerk.

On Motion, Leave was given, to bring in a Bill for lessening the Allowance of the Members of the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly.

Ordered, That Mr. Allen, Mr. John Hall, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Smallwood, and Mr. Gantt, do prepare and bring in the same.

Richard Lee, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Bills :

A Bill, entituled, An Act for Erecting a Public Warehouse at Vienna-Town, in Dorchester County;

A Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for the Relief of such Persons as cannot find Surety for their Appearance, to testify as a Witness against any Person arrested, accused or prosecuted, for any Criminal Matter.

A Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for the more effectual destroying Crows and Squirrels in the Counties of Kent, Queen-Anne's and Talbot, and for destroying Red Foxes in the said Counties;

A Bill, entituled, An Act to impower the Justices of Somerset and Worcester Counties to levy on the taxable Inhabitants of Coventry Parishes, partly in Somerset and Worcester Counties, the Quantity of 62,400 lbs. of Tobacco, for the Uses therein mentioned;

A Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for destroying of Crows and Squirrels in particular Counties;

A Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for Repairing the public Roads in this Province, and the Supplementary Act thereto.

Severally thus Indorsed, " By the Upper House of Assembly, 14th April, 1762. Read the first and second Time by especial Order, and will Pass."

Which said Bills were here Read, and Passed for Ingrossing.