

Was sent to the Upper House by Mr. *Murdock*, and Mr. *Paca*.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock Afternoon.

POST-MERIDIEM. The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Mr. *Beall* appeared in the House.

Col. *Tilghman* brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *An Act for giving a Bounty for Indian Scalps and Prisoners*; which was Read the first Time, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

The Petition of several Inhabitants of *Somerset County*, was Read the second Time, and thereupon ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill according to Prayer; ORDERED, That Mr. *Hayward*, Mr. *Smallwood*, Mr. *J. Tilghman*, Mr. *Allen*, Mr. *W. Adams*, and Mr. *J. Adams*, do prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

A Bill, entitled, *An Act to empower John Paca, Robert Adair, Moses Hill, and Margaret his Wife, to sell and dispose of the Lands therein mentioned, late the Lands of William Hammond, of Baltimore County, deceased, for the Payment of the Debts of the said William Hammond*; which was Read the first Time, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

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

Wednesday, October 26.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c.

The Bill, entitled, *An Act for giving a Bounty for Indian Scalps and Prisoners*, was Read the second Time, and will pass; and was sent to the Upper House by Mr. *Magruder* and Capt. *Chapline*.

Mr. *Hanson* brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Report, viz.

By the Committee appointed to examine into the Facts contained in the Petition of *Draper Lusby and Frances his Wife, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of John Hynson, late of Kent County, deceased, and Matthew Bryan, of Queen-Anne's County, and to Report the same to the House.*

YOUR Committee upon Examination of the Last Will and Testament of the said *John Hynson, deceased*, and a Deed from the said *Draper Lusby, and Frances his Wife, to Matthew Bryan*, and other Papers, do find that the several Facts alledged in the said Petition are True.

Signed per Order, ISME BAILY, Clerk Committee.

Which was Read the first and second Time, and the House concurs therewith.

On Motion, Leave given to the Petitioners, to bring in a Bill according to Prayer.

The Bill, entitled *An Act to empower John Paca, Robert Adair, Moses Hill, and Margaret his Wife, to sell and dispose of the Lands therein mentioned, late the Lands of William Hammond, of Baltimore County, deceased, for the Payment of the Debts of the said William Hammond*, was Read the second Time, and Passed; and sent to the Upper House by Mr. *Gantt* and Major *Waring*.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock Afternoon.

POST-MERIDIEM. The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Mr. *Harris* brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *A Supplementary Act to an Act, entitled, An Act for erecting a County School in Worcester County, and appointing Visitors for the same*;

Which was Read the first Time, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

On Motion, the Question was put, That the College Bill be Read the second Time, on the Morrow Morning, at the Sitting of the House. RESOLVED in the Negative.

For the NEGATIVE,

Messrs	{	J. Hall,	Dent,	Murdock,	Ringgold,	Gantt,
		Beall,	Wilmer,	Smallwood,	Waring,	Steuart,
		Hayward,	Dulany,	Grahame,	J. Tilghman,	Magruder,
		Hanson,	Paca,	Crefap,	Stoddert,	Chapline.

For the AFFIRMATIVE,

Messrs	{	J. Adams,	Goldborough,	Ward,	E. Tilghman,	Allen,
		W. Adams,	Sulivane,	N. Baker,	Wright,	Chaille,
		Waters,	Gray,	Jacob,	Harris,	Beatty.
		Thomas,				

The Bill, entitled, *An Act to aid the Proceedings of the Vestry of St. Stephen's Parish in Cecil County*, was Read the second Time, and will Pass; and was sent to the Upper House by Mr. *N. Baker* and Mr. *Ward*.

On Reading the second Time, the Petition of *George Beall, of Frederick County*, complaining of an undue Survey made in laying out *George-Town, in Frederick County*, to the manifest Prejudice and Injury of the said Petitioner; ORDERED, That an Hearing be had on the said Petition, at the Bar of this House, on Wednesday next, being the 2d of November; and that all Parties concerned have Notice, and that the Petitioner and all Parties have Summonses for Witnesses, and all Evidences relative to proving the Facts in the said Petition contained, on Application to the Clerk.

ORDERED,