

Which Bill is read here, and passed for ingrossing.

On resuming the Consideration of the Order of the Day, for taking into Consideration that Part of his Excellency's Speech, that respects the Variation of the Compass, Mr. Ringgold, Mr. Beall, Mr. Steele, Mr. Moale, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Dickinson, Mr. M. Tilghman, Mr. Johnson, and Mr. Wright, are appointed a Committee to confer with Messieurs Prigg and Calder, Mathematicians; and report to the House, their Opinions of the proper Measures to be taken to remedy the Evils arising therefrom.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill, entitled, *An Additional Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act for the Establishment of Religious Worship, &c.* ORDERED, That Mr. Johnson, Mr. Hollyday, Mr. Ringgold, Mr. Murdock, Mr. M. Tilghman, Mr. Chase, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Paca, do prepare and bring in the same.

On Motion, ORDERED, That a Bill be brought in for Relief of such Persons, being Protestants, who conscientiously scruple the taking of an Oath; and that Mr. Jenings, Mr. Lockett, Mr. Chase, and Mr. Bordley, do prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Moale brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *An Act for erecting a Court-House and Public Prison for Baltimore County, in the Town of Baltimore, and for making Sale of the old Court-House and Prison.*

Mr. Ringgold brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *An Act to prohibit raising of Swine and Geese in George-Town, in Kent County, and in Snow-Hill Town, in Worcester County.*

Mr. Jenings brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *An Act for turning Part of a Street, called East-Street, in the City of Annapolis, and for confirming the Title of Thomas Jenings, Esq; to a Lot of Ground therein.*

Mr. Baker brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *An Act for the Preservation of the Breed of Fish.*

All which Bills are read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Charles Hammond, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Petitions of sundry languishing Prisoners in the several Jails within this Province, a List of which was indorsed: "June 7, 1768: Read, and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly." "Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho."

The Petition of Sarah Flinn, and the Petition of Henry Miles, indorsed: "June 8, 1768: Read, and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly." "Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho."

*The House adjourns 'til II o'Clock.*

POST MERIDIEM. The House met according to Adjournment.

Mr. Griffith appeared in the House.

The Petitions of the languishing Prisoners, and the Petitions of Sarah Flinn, and Henry Miles, are read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Mr. Murdock brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *An Act to promote and forward the Appeal now depending before his Majesty, in Council, on Behalf of the People of this Province: Which is read the First Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.*

*The House adjourns 'til To-Morrow Morning IX o'Clock.*

## T H U R S D A Y, J U N E 9.

**T**HE House met according to Adjournment.

The Members were called, and all appeared as on Yesterday.

The Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

The Petition of Rachel, Elisabeth, and Mary Bacon, read a second Time; and the Question put, Whether the said Petition be granted? Resolved in the Negative.

### F O R   t h e   N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Eden,	Parran,	Gale,	Moale,	Hall,
	Buchanan,	Gantt,	Wilson,	Veazy,	Wright,
	Ringgold,	Grahame,	Goldsbrough,	Ward,	Allen,
	Bordley,	Smallwood,	M. Tilghman,	Baxter,	Selby,
	Chase,	Harrison,	Sulivane,	Beall,	Purnell,
	Worthington,	Hayward,	Ridgely,	Tyler,	J. Dashiell,
	Johnson,	T. Dashiell,	Deye,	Murdock,	Lockett.
	Griffith,				

For