

3d Line from the Bottom thereof, add, " or any other Parish within this Province." Leave out, in the 3d Line of the 2d Page, the following Words, viz. " and who have not Mortgages on his Real or Personal Estate. Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho."

Which Amendments were agreed to, and the Bill ordered to be ingrossed.

The Petition of *Eleanor Duvall*, read the second Time, and rejected.

The Petition of *John Marshall*, and *George Scroggin*, read the second Time, and rejected.

The Address to his Excellency, read the second Time, approved of, and ordered to be ingrossed.

The Letter from *Peyton Randolph*, Esq; Speaker of the House of Burgesses of the Colony of *Virginia*, as also the Resolve of that House, respecting a Light-House, were read the second Time, and referred to the Consideration of the next Assembly.

Mr. *Goldborough*, from the Committee of Accounts, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Journal of Accounts, and List of Debts.

The Report of the Committee, appointed to state the Facts contained in the Petition of Captain *Richard Pearis*, read the second Time. The House concurs therewith, and allowed him One Hundred and Fifty Pounds, as a Compensation for his Services.

The ingrossed Bill, entitled, *An Act to empower Mary Philpot, Widow and Administratrix of Brian Philpot, late of Baltimore-Town, in Baltimore County, Merchant, deceased, to sell the Real Estate of her said Husband, for the Payment of the Debts of the said Brian Philpot*: Read, and assented to.

The House proceeded to tax the following Bills, viz.

The Bill, entitled, *An Act to enable Mary Darnall, an Infant, to enter into, and accept of a Marriage-Settlement and Agreement.*

To the Honourable Speaker, - - - - - £ 10 0 0

To the Clerk, - - - - - 5 0 0

*An Act confirming to Spedding Bromwell, of Talbot County, certain Lots of Land therein mentioned.*

To the Honourable Speaker, - - - - - £ 1 0 0

To the Clerk, - - - - - 0 10 0

*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; of the said City, to a Lot of Ground therein.*

To the Honourable Speaker, - - - - - £ 1 0 0

To the Clerk, - - - - - 0 10 0

*An Act to give Thomas Harrison further Time to effect the Removal of a Nuisance, in Baltimore-Town, in Baltimore County.*

To the Honourable Speaker, - - - - - £ 1 0 0

To the Clerk, - - - - - 0 10 0

*An Act to empower Mary Philpot, Widow and Administratrix of Brian Philpot, late of Baltimore-Town, in Baltimore County, Merchant, deceased, to sell the Real Estate of her said Husband, for the Payment of the Debts of the said Brian Philpot.*

To the Honourable Speaker, - - - - - £ 1 0 0

To the Clerk, - - - - - 0 10 0

RESOLVED, That the Honourable Speaker, Messieurs *William Murdock, Matthew Tilghman, Thomas Ringgold, Thomas Johnson, Jun.* and *John Hall*, be a Committee to correspond, in the Recess of Assembly, with *Charles Garth*, Esq; our Agent, for conducting and managing the Dispute, between the Lord Proprietary, and the People of this Province.

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

T U E S D A Y, JUNE 21.

THE House met according to Adjournment. The Members were called, and all appeared as on Yesterday. The Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

The Report of the Committee appointed to inspect into the Records and Proceedings in the several Public Offices, read the second Time, and concurred with.

Mr. *Hall* brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Message :

By the LOWER HOUSE of ASSEMBLY, June 21, 1768

May it please your HONOURS,

THIS House agree to the Passage of the Bill, entitled, *An Act for amending and declaring the Law in the Cases therein mentioned*, with all your proposed Amendments, except the Fifth, which, we are apprehensive, might be productive of too much Delay, and therefore inconvenient in the County Courts, as those Courts do not generally sit seven Days at one Time. We therefore propose, that instead of the fifth Amendment, the Proviso be as follows: " Provided always, that such Award shall remain seven Days in the Provincial Court, during their Sitting,