VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, November 1769.

STION. Against putting the Q U E

Ringgold, Bordley.

Gresham, Worthington, Johnson,

Griffith, Chase, Ware,

Harrison, Beall,

Tyler, Luckett.

The Question was put, that Leave be given to bring in the Bill? Resolved in the Affirmative. ORDERED, That the Committee appointed to bring in the other continuing Bills, do also prepare and bying in the last mentioned Bill.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill to continue an Act, entitled, An Act for the speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province, and for the Encouragement of Anne Catharine

Green, of the City of Annapolis, Printer.

ORDERED, That the said Committee do also prepare and bring in the Bill last mentioned. ORDERED, That Mr. Johnson be added to the Committee appointed to bring in a Bill for emit-

ting Bills of Credit, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

John Ridout, Esq; from the Upper House, delivered to Mr. Speaker, the Paper Bills that were fent to the Upper House, with the engrossed Bills delivered by Mr. Goldsborough and Mr. Beall: Which Paper Bills were thus severally indorsed: " By the Upper House of Assembly, December 46 2, 1769. The engrossed Bill, whereof this is the Copy, read and assented to. U. Scott, Cl. Up. Ho." Signed by Order,

George Stewart, Esq; from the Upper House, delivered to Mr. Speaker, the Petition of William Thomas of Anne-Arundel County: Which was read the First Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Mr. Gantt has Leave of Absence.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill for appropriating a Sum out of the Bills of Credit

now in the Office, to the Use therein mentioned.

ORDERED, That Mr. Gresham, Mr. Hall, Mr. Hollyday, Mr. M. Tilghman, and Mr. Ringgold, do prepare and bring in the same.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Pill for the Support of an Agent in London. ORDERED, That Mr. E. Tilghman, Mr. Hall, and Mr. Chase, do prepare and bring in the same. On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill for appointing Places for holding the next Elec-

tion of Delegates for Baltimore County.

ORDERED, That Mr. Hollyday, Mr. Ringgold, Mr. Hall, and Mr. Allen, do prepare and bring

in the same. The Report of the Committee appointed to state the Facls set forth in the Petition of Thomas Smyth, Mary Granger, and William Granger, read the Second Time, and concurred with.

Leave given to bring in a Bill according to Prayer.

The Petition of the Inhabitants of Dorchester County, read a Second Time, and rejected for

Want of that Notice being given which is required by a Resolve of this House.

Mr. Grahame brought in, and delivered to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, An AEt to repeal an Act, entitled, An Act to encourage the destroying of Wolves, Crows and Squirrels: Which was read the First Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Mr. Goldsborough brought in, and delivered to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, An Act continuing an Att, entitled, An Att for amending the Staple of Tobacco, for preventing Frauds in his Majefly's Cuftoms, and for the Limitation of Officers Fees, and the Supplementary All thereto: Which was read the

First Time, and ordered to lie on the Table. On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill to repeal Part of an Act, entitled, An Act providing what shall be good Evidence to prove foreign and other Debts, and to prevent vexatious and unnecessary Suits at Law, pleading Discounts in Bar, and for repealing on Act of Assembly therein mentioned; and also, a Bill to repeal Part of an Act, entitled, An Act for the Advancement of Justice.

ORDERED, That Mr. Chase and Mr. Johnson, do prepare and bring in the same.

The House adjourns 'til Monday Morning IX o'Clock.

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THE House met according to Adjournment. The Members were called, and appeared as on Saturday, except Mr. E. Tilghman, Mr. M. Tilghman, Mr. Chase, Mr. Worthington, Mr. Ganti, Mr. Hayward, and Mr. T. Dashiel.

Mr. Paca and Mr. Baxter appeared in the House.

The Proceedings of Saturday were read. William Fitzbugh, Esq; from the Upper House, delivered to Mr. Speaker, the Petition of Sundry of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of Christ-Church Parish, in Calvert County. Walter