

ORDERED, That Mr. Beall, Mr. Chase, and Mr. Tilghman, be a Committee to tax the Fees arising due on the said Petition.

ORDERED, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Secretary of this Province, requiring him to make out a new Writ of Election, directed to the Sheriff of Charles County, to elect Two Delegates to serve in this present Session of Assembly, in the Room of Mr. Francis Ware and Mr. Josias Hawkins, whose Seats are vacated.
The House adjourns till To-morrow Morning 9 o'Clock.

TUESDAY, October 15, 1771.

THE House met. All Members present as on Yesterday, except Mr. Tilghman and Mr. Earle. The Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

Mr. T. Wright appeared in the House.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill for the Adjournment and Continuance of the High Court of Appeals.

Mr. Paca brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the said Bill: Which was read the First and Second Time, by an especial Order, and will pass. Sent to the Upper House by Mr. Paca and Mr. Hall.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill to prevent the Exportation of Flour, Staves and Shingles, not merchantable, from the Town of Baltimore or Fell's-Point, in Baltimore County, and to regulate the Weight of Hay and Measure of Grain, Salt, Flax-seed and Fire-wood within the said Town; and that Mr. Moale, Mr. Deye, Mr. Ristean, Mr. Owings, Mr. Paca, and Mr. Chase, do prepare and bring in the same.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Supplementary Bill to the Act, entitled, *An Act for the Building of a Parish Church in Christ-Church Parish, in Calvert County*; and that Mr. Grahame, Mr. Mackall, Mr. Parran, and Mr. Weems, do prepare and bring in the same.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill for the Inspection of Flour at George-Town, in Frederick County; and that Mr. Wootton, Mr. Luckett, Mr. Beatty, and Mr. Chase, do prepare and bring in the same.

ORDERED, That the Order of Day for taking into Consideration the Petition of Robert Dick, and others, be read; and it was read accordingly.

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ORDERED, That a Paper, entitled, "A List of Tobacco damaged at Bladensburg Warehouse, by the Fresh and high Tide, in the Night between the 14th and 15th of August 1767, with what is cut off each Hoghead," be read; and it was read accordingly.

ORDERED, That Mr. Chase, Mr. Hall, Mr. Beall, Mr. Handy, Mr. Cantee, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Paca, be a Committee to enquire into the Facts set forth in the said Petition and Papers, and report the same, as it shall appear to them, to the House; and they have Power to send for Persons, Papers and Records.

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

October 15, 1771.

By the COMMITTEE appointed to tax the Fees and Allowances arising due to the Officers of this House, and sundry Witnesses on the Petition of Robert Henley Courts, of Charles County.

IN Obedience to the Order of the honourable House, your Committee have proceeded to tax the Fees and Allowances on the above Petition as follows:

To the Clerk for issuing Nine Summons, at 3 s.	-	-	-	-	£. 1	7	0
To the Serjeant, for serving Eight Summons, at 3 s.	-	-	-	-	1	4	0
To John Luckett, One Day's Attendance, and Four Days Itinerant Charges, at Five Shillings,	-	-	-	-	1	5	0
To John Parran, for the same,	-	-	-	-	1	5	0
To Anthony Gray, for the same,	-	-	-	-	1	5	0
To Ignatius Ryan, for the same,	-	-	-	-	1	5	0
To Ignatius Middleton, for the same,	-	-	-	-	1	5	0
To Thomas Reeder, for the same,	-	-	-	-	1	5	0
To Edward Bearman, for the same,	-	-	-	-	1	5	0
					£. 11	6	0

All which is submitted to the Consideration of the honourable House.

Signed per Order,

W. WRIGHT, Cl.

Which was read and concurred with.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill to aid defective common Recoveries; and that Mr. Paca and Mr. Chase do prepare and bring in the same.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill for licensing Ordinary-Keepers, Hawkers, Pedlers and Petty Chapmen; and that Mr. Grahame, Mr. Beall, Mr. Tyler, Mr. Allen, Mr. Hall, Mr. Harrison, and Mr. Dennis, do prepare and bring in the same: And that the said Gentlemen be a Committee to bring in the continuing Bills.

ORDERED, That the Order of the Day for taking into Consideration the Compass Bill, &c. be read; and it was read accordingly.

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