

582 VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, IN NUMBER 5773.

Resolved, That this House will on Monday next, take the following into Consideration: —
Daniel Dulany, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Petition for the Division of Baltimore County, & a Petition of Henry Waring, for a Warehouse Act, Petition against the Removal of Chapin's and Piles's Warehouses; and a Petition against Chapin's and Piles's Warehouses, severally indorsed: “By the Upper House of Assembly, November 30, 1773: Read and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly.”

“ Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho.”
The Petition for the Division of Baltimore County was read and granted, and leave given to bring in a Bill for the Division of Baltimore County. ORDERED, That Mr. Day, Mr. J. Hall, Mr. Paca, and Mr. J. Hall, do prepare and bring in the same.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill to regulate the Payment of Attorneys Fees; and that Mr. Chase, Mr. Paca, Mr. J. Hall, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Beall, Mr. Wootten, and Mr. S. Wright, do prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. John Hall brings in, and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entitled, *An Act for the Regulation of Officers Fees*: Which was read the First Time and ordered to lie on the Table.

Daniel of Saint Thomas Twp., Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Paper Bill No. 1, thus indorsed: “By the Upper House of Assembly, November 30, 1773: The ingrossed Bill whereof this is the Original, read and assented to.”

“ Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho.”
The Bill, entitled, *An Act to explain an Act relating to Leases, made by the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens of Saint Anne's Parish*. The Bill, entitled, *An Act for quieting sundry the Inhabitants of Frederick County in their Possession*; And, the Bill, entitled, *An Act to enable Martha Roundell and others to make Partition of the Land therein mentioned*, severally indorsed: “By the Upper House of Assembly, November 27, 1773: Read the First Time and ordered to lie on the Table.”

“ Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho.”
By the Upper House of Assembly, November 30, 1773: Read the Second Time and will pass.

“ Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho.”

Which Three last mentioned Bills were severally read here and passed for ingrossing.

The House being informed that Mr. Lawrence O'Neill, Sheriff of Frederick County, was attending in Obedience to the Order of Wednesday last. ORDERED, That he be called in, and he appeared at the Bar accordingly; where he was ordered to amend his Return of a Delegate for that County, in the Room of Mr. Jonathan Hagar, by annexing the Writ of Election to the Indenture: Which being done, Mr. O'Neill was called to the Bar, and by Direction of the House, reprimanded by the Speaker for his Neglect of Duty, and informed that upon Payment of Fees to the Officers of this House he was discharged from further Attendance.

ORDERED, That Mr. Beall and Mr. Paca be a Committee to tax the Fees arising due upon the said Order of Wednesday last.

John Ridout, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill, entitled, *An Act for the Amendment of the Law*, thus indorsed: “By the Upper House of Assembly, November 30, 1773: Read the First and Second Time by an special Order and will pass.”

“ Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho.”

And a Petition of Mary Ann Christy Abigail Armitt, of Frederick County, praying an Act may pass to declare her Marriage with a certain Samuel Armitt, null and void to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever, as fully and effectually as if the same had not been had or taken Place between the said Samuel Armitt and the Petitioner, thus indorsed: “By the Upper House of Assembly, November 30, 1773: Read and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly.”

“ Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho.”

The House adjourns till 3 o'Clock.

P O S T M E R I D I N E M.

The House met.

Mr. Ridgely and Mr. Robbins appeared in the House.

The ingrossed Bills, No. 2, 3, 4, were severally read and assented to, and sent to the Upper House with the Paper Bills thereof, by Mr. Beall and Mr. Griffith.

Benedict Calvert, and Daniel Dulany, Esqrs, from the Upper House, acquaint Mr. Speaker that the Governor desires the Attendance of this House immediately in the Council Chamber to see the Inspection Law, passed.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and attended by the Members of the Lower House, went to the Upper House and presented to his Excellency an ingrossed Bill, entitled, *An Act for the Regulation of the Trade of Tobacco, and for preventing Frauds in his Majesty's Customs*: Which his Excellency passed into a Law in the usual Manner.

The House returned. Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The House adjourns till To-morrow Morning 9 o'Clock.

WEDNESDAY,

DAVIES & CO.