

21st Upon the petition of the Pennsylvania Merchants.

Thought in the law for 10th cent be continued and put in Execution.

22^d Mr Thomas Bridges acc^t of ye 4th Batt. (referred to the house.

Resolved the Committee of Acc^t inspect the same and make their reports to this house.

23^d That his Ex^y is pleased to represent that he has sold ye publique Lot^s given towards building the Church at Annapolis for 13th cent which he hopes may be for the good of the County, and proposes that some care be taken and order made about building ye R^e Church and the Freehold, there being a Brickmaker now in Town.

Resolved that his Ex^y has wisely disposed of the same for which the thanks of this house ought to be returned, as for the building.

Resolved a Committee be appointed to inquire into them matters what money the work will amount to and what parts thereof is gathered or like to be gathered, what Dimensions may be properest for the same and which most requisite to be done.

24th That the Scverall Chapells be made bigger though they make a happels of Ease.

Thought the Law already made is sufficient, and that it is one and the same thing since liberty is given to one Minister to hold a Plurality of Benefices.

Ordered. That the votes and Resolves of this house upon his Ex^y proposals be sent up to the Hon^{ble} Council.

Resolved by this house that Capt. Edw^d Blay, Mr. W^m Hutchison and Major be a Committee appointed to inspect and ready raised towards building the Church and that proposals or probability the How much the building is likely to amount to and the Dimensions the same ought to be.

House adjourned for halfe an hour.

Post Meridien. House met again.

Mr Charles Carroll G^{nt} for his Lord^{sh} the R^e Hon^{ble} the Lord Baron of Baltimore Lord Proprietary of this Province appears in the house and acquaints them, that whereas the house had formerly desired to know what power his Lord^{sh} Agent Col. Henry Darnall granted lands and that then the R^e Colonel Henry Darnall's Commission being interwoven with other things he could not shew the same, but since having received a separate Commission therefore - The said Mr. Carroll produced the same, and it was read in the house, and Ordered to be recorded in the Secretarys office.

House adjourned till 9 of the Clock to Morrow Morning.