

The Bill entitled, *An Act enlarging the Jurisdiction of the County Courts within this Province*: Read the Second Time, and will Pass.

Sent to the Upper House by Mr. Aisquith and Mr. Caswell.

The Bill entitled, *An Act reviving an Act, entitled, An Act to prevent the injuring Harbours within this Province*: Read the Second Time, and will Pass.

Sent to the Upper House by Mr. Moale and Mr. Robert Lloyd.

The Bill *empowering the three Commissioners therein named, together with the Justices of Calvert County, to Repair the Court House of that County by an Assessment on the Inhabitants thereof*: Read the Second Time, and will Pass.

Sent to the Upper House by Mr. Weems and Mr. Hall.

The Bill entitled, *An Act reviving an Act, entitled, An Act for Licensing Pedlars and Hawkers*: Read the Second Time, and will not Pass.

The Bill entitled, *An Act reviving an Act, entitled, A supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act laying an Imposition on Negroes, &c.* Read the Second Time, and will Pass.

The Bill entitled, *An Act to vest an Estate of Fee Simple of and in a Tract of Land called Roper's Neck, in Benjamin Howard, and for Setting other Lands of equal Value in lieu thereof*: Read the Second Time, and will Pass.

Which Two Bills were sent to the Upper House by Mr. Gassarway and Capt. Ennalls.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill to add to the Duty on Rum Imported from any Place except the Place of Growth.

George Plater, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers the Petitions of Levin Hill and Richard Dalton, languishing Prisoners in Ann-Arundel County Goal, Referred by the Upper House; which were here Read and Granted.

*The House Adjourn'd to the Morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.*

Saturday Morning, May 26. 1739.

THE House Met according to Adjournment.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill for applying a larger Sum of Money than was raised by a former Act towards Repairs of the Council-House, the Stadt-House, and the Parade in Annapolis.

On Motion, Leave given to bring in a Bill for the better and more effectual Payment of his Lordship's Quit-Rents and Alienation Fines.

On Motion to bring in a Bill to empower the Sheriff, with the assistance of Two of the Justices of the County, and the Surveyor, to Summon a Jury to return a Plat in all Actions in Ejectment brought in the Provincial

Court