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Messrs	For the NEGATIVE,			
	J. Reeder, Hynson, Hammond, Gassaway, Reynolds,	Smallwood, Stoddert, Jenifer, J. Handy,	J. Goldsborough, M. Tilghman, Gray, Addison,	Frazer, Hawkins, Lloyd, E. Tilghman,
Messrs	For the AFFIRMATIVE,			
	Williamson, Carroll, Jordan,	R. Henry, Govane, Earle,	Baker, Bordley,	Dulany, Casson,

*The House adjourns until II of the Clock Afternoon.
Post-Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment, &c.
The House adjourns till the Morrow Morning at VIII of the Clock.*

THURSDAY MORNING, May 20, 1756.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Mr. Charles Goldsborough appeared in the House.
Richard Lee, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Bill entitled, *An Act for the Speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province, &c.* indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, May 20, 1756. Read the second Time, and will pass. Signed per Order, J. Ross, Cl. Up. Ho."

Which Bill was read here, and passed for ingrossing.

Benedict Calvert, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Bill entitled, *A further Supplementary Act to an Act entitled, An Act for quieting Possessions, enrolling Conveyances, &c.* indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, May 20, 1756. Read the second Time, and will pass, with the following Amendment: Leave out the first 16 Lines in the Bill, and to the Word *aforsaid* in the 17th Line, and insert the following, [Whereas no other than Deeds of Bargain and Sale are comprised within the Act of Assembly, For quieting Possessions, enrolling Conveyances, and securing the Estates of Purchasers: Be it therefore Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same.]" Signed per Order, J. Ross, Cl. Up. Ho."

Which Amendment was here Read, and with which this House doth not concur.

Mr. Matthew Tilghman, from the Committee of Laws, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill entitled, *An Act to empower the Justices of the several County Courts, to make Provision for the late Inhabitants of Nova-Scotia, and for Regulating their Conduct*; which was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Mr. Lloyd, from the Committee of Laws, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill entitled, *An Act for the Assessment and Payment of the Public Charge of this Province*; which was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

On Reading the second Time the Bill entitled, *An Act for Regulating the Militia of this Province*, the Question was put, Whether the following Clause, viz. [Provided always, and be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That nothing herein contained shall extend, or be construed to extend, to take away or prejudice any Right or Claim, which the People of this Province have, or ought to have, to any Monies heretofore or now levied by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of this Province, under Colour, as they apprehend, of an Act of Assembly, made in the Year Seventeen Hundred and Four, entitled, An Act for the Settlement of an annual Revenue upon her Majesty's Governor within this Province;] shall be struck out of the said Bill, or Not? Resolved in the Negative.

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