

On Motion of Mr. Wilson, The Committee of Accounts are appointed to enquire into the Expences attending the Sitting of Assembly, since the Passing of the last Journal, and to Report the same to the House; and that they should particularly Report the Expence of the Committee-Rooms.

The House adjourns till the Morrow Morning at IX of the Clock.

## F R I D A Y, November 22.

ALL Members appeared as Yesterday, except Mr. Mackall.  
On Motion, Col. Lloyd, Mr. R. Goldsborough, Mr. Sothoron, and Capt. Winder, have Leave of Absence.

The Bill entitled, *A Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act for the Limitation of certain Actions, for avoiding Suits at Law*; was Read the second Time, and will pass; and was sent to the Upper House, by Mr. Grabame, and Mr. Beall.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock.

POST-MERIDIEM. The House met.

The Bill entitled, *An Act for the more speedy Foreclosure of Mortgages*; was Read the second Time, and committed for Amendments.

On Motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Grabame, and Mr. Beall, be added to the Committee appointed to enquire into the Allegations and Facts, contained in the Petition of *Josua Beall*, and Capt. *Ware*; and in the Petition of *Rezin Beall*; and in the Petition of *Barton Lucas*.

The House adjourns till the Morrow Morning at IX of the Clock.

## S A T U R D A Y, November 23.

THE House met. All the Members appeared as Yesterday, except Mr. Hanson, Col. Cresap, Col. Lloyd, Capt. Winder, and Mr. Robert Goldsborough.

The Bill entitled, *An Act for the speedy Payment of sundry Persons, several Sums of Money allowed to them on Account of the late War*; was Read the second Time, and committed for Amendments.

The Petition of *Thomas Schley*, and *John Jeremiah Myar*; and the Petition of *Thomas Schley*; were severally Read the second Time, and thereupon, Ordered, That Mr. Chapline, Mr. Gantt, Mr. Johnson, and Mr. Beall, be appointed a Committee to enquire into the Allegations and Facts contained in the said Petitions, and Report the same to the House.

On Reading the second Time, the Report on the Petition of *Mary Covington*, made by the Committee appointed for that Purpose; and the Petition being Read a second Time, on Consideration thereof, the same was Granted; and Leave given to the Petitioner to bring in a Bill according to Prayer.

The Petition of *Henry Troth*, of *Talbot County*, praying Leave to have a Main-Road to the Ferry which he keeps, over *Choptank Ferry*; was Read the second Time, and Granted:

ORDERED, That Mr. *J. Goldsborough*, and *J. Hollyday*, Esq; do prepare and bring in a Bill according to the Petitioner's Prayer.

On Reading the Petition of *Cornelius Howard*, of *Baltimore County*, Leave is given to the Petitioner to bring in a Bill according to Prayer.

The Petition of the Rector, Vestry-men, Church-wardens, and Protestant Inhabitants of *All-Faith's Parish*, in *St. Mary's County*, praying Leave to have a Quantity of Tobacco to be levied on the taxable Inhabitants, in not less than Three Years, and for other Purposes therein mentioned; was Read, and Granted:

ORDERED, That *Edmund Key*, *Daniel Wolstenholme*, *George Plater*, Esqrs. and Mr. *Sothoron*, do prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

*Daniel Dulany*, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Bill entitled, *An Act to prevent the Mischiefs arising from the Multiplicity of useless Dogs, &c.* Indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly, November 23, 1765. Read the second Time, and will pass; with the Amendments annexed. Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Up. Ho."

And the following Amendments:

1. LEAVE out the Preamble.
2. In the 8<sup>th</sup> Line of the first Page, after the Word *Plantation*, add the following Words, viz. Or by him or her permitted or suffered to be kept thereon, by any Servant or Servants, Slave or Slaves.
3. In the 9<sup>th</sup> Line of the first Page, after the Word *kept*, add the following Words, viz. Or permitted or suffered to be kept, as aforesaid.
4. In the 14<sup>th</sup> Line of the first Page, leave out the Words *which Owner or Keeper of Dogs*, and insert in the Place thereof, the following Words, viz. And the Person or Persons liable to the Payment of the Sums of Money.
5. In the 16<sup>th</sup> Line of the first Page, strike out the Words *Ex Officio*; and after the Word *collected*, in the 17<sup>th</sup> Line, add the following Words, viz. For making out of which Copy,