

all bee necessary th^t a Committee bee Bill con- L. H.
 concerning hogstealers ins- Acts now in force bee Journal
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howse M^r Clock And that Soe much
 howse, by th^t time

Vppon some priuate busines of M^r Speakers wth the
 Vpper howse

The howse adiornd for halfe an howre.

The howse mett againe all p^rnt, Except as afore.

M^r Speaker informes the howse how th^t a Certaine summe
 of Tob. hath beene rayسد & payd by the whole Country (as
 hee supposes) towards the building of a Prison, Stocks & Duck-
 ing Stoole here att S^t Maries. Jn whose hands the Tob lyeth,
 hee knoweth not And therefore hee iudgeth it meete to know
 where the Tob is deposited, or how disposed of, by the then
 Sheriffs

Whereuppon M^r Speaker Ordered Will^m Caluert Esq a
 Messenger to the Vpper howse, to entreate the Leiu^t Gräll
 th^t Co^{ll} Will^m Euans may come to this howse. They hauing
 some certaine questions to demand of him concerning th^t Tob.
 afores^d Who att that time was Sheriffe of S^t Maries County,
 when the Tob. was pay^d

Who returnes. Co^{ll} Will^m Euans along Then M^r p. 9
 Speaker demands of Co^{ll} towards the building of a
 Prison, Stocks

Co^{ll} Will^m Euans answers, that into the hands of Will^m
 Smyth Ordinar to the building of Stocks Pillory &
 the s^t Smyth for the building of the knows nothing of
 it. Hee being fore the time for payment

And Will^m Smyth denyes th^t Tob
 Speaker than the Vpper would satisfy them
 receaued by the Sheriffs, towards the Building

Ducking Stoole here att St. Maries Anō 1664 yea or noe?

Who returning makes report from the L^t Gräll, That nothing
 was rayسد to th^t end, vppon the perticular or generall account
 eyther for Prison, Stocks or Ducking Stoole here att St.
 Maries.

And the howse rested satisfied th^t nothing was receaued or
 payd to the end afores^d

Then a Member of the howse motions Concerning the
 appoynting Viewers in each County for the Viewing of Tob.
 And Vppon debate thereof. That busines throwne out
 of the howse.

Another Member allso motions Concerning the weight of
 Tob Cask, w^{ch} as a Custome the merchant allowes (60^l or 62^l
 Tare) & the cask weighs perhaps 100^l or thereabouts, whereby