

Lib. 41. Col^o William Holland & James Sanders Esq^{rs} enters the House & delivers the following Bills.

Bill for rebuilding the Stadt House.

Bill suspending the Prosecution of Jesuits &^{ta}

Bill declaring the Act Entituled an Act erecting Ann Arundel & Oxford Towns into Ports &^{ta}

Bill declaring the Act for punishing Persons suborning Witnesses &^{ta} to be in force.

Bill declaring an Act Entituled an Act concerning Indians to be in force. And the Bill declaring an Act Entituled an Act for sanctifying & keeping Holy the Lords Day &^{ta} Indorsed Eodem Die

Read the first & second Times in Council & do pass

W Bladen Cl. Council.

And likewise the following ingrossed Bills viz.

Ingrossed Bill for Division of Saint Paul's Parish &^{ta}

And Ingrossed Bill declaring an Act Entituled an Act ascertaining the Bounds of Land to be in force.

Both indorsed December the 9th 1704.

Read and assented to by her Majesty's Hon^{ble} Council.

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This House being informed by their Clerk that duplicate Transcripts of the Journals are to be transcribed at his Charge and forasmuch as there has been one long Assembly this Year together with this present Sessions that has engaged him in extraordinary Services for the Public beside what has been allowed him before this Session it is ordered that he be allowed three thousand Pounds of Tobacco more.

Put to the Question whether an additional Duty of 6^d p Hhd. shall be raised towards the Charge of rebuilding the Stadt House or not? Carried of Majority of Votes that such a Duty be raised for that Use. And ordered that the Committee of Laws bring in a Bill for that Purpose.

The House adjourned till two o'Clock in the Afternoon.

Post Meridiem. The House met again according to Adjournment. Being called over were present as in the Morning.

The following ingrossed Bills brought into the House and ordered to be read viz.

Ingrossed Bill declaring the Act for Punishment of psons suborning witnesses. Indorsed p Order December the 9th 1704. Read & assented to by the House of Delegates

W. Taylard Cl. Ho. Del.