

L. H. J. the Use of the Governor; which was read the first Time, and ordered
 Liber No. 47 to lie on the Table.
 November 1

George Plater, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Bill intituled, An Act for the speedy Recovery of small Debts out of Court, &c. indorsed “By the Upper House of Assembly, November 1, 1753. Read the second Time, and will pass, with the following Amendments; instead of Three Pounds Current Money in the 7th, 28th, and 32d Lines of the Bill, put Fifty Shillings Current Money.”

Which Bill was read here, and with the Amendments proposed, passed for ingrossing.

Benedict Calvert, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Petition of the Rector, the Vestrymen, and Churchwardens of Saint Anne’s Parish, in Anne Arundel County; indorsed, “By the Upper House of Assembly, referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly,”

Which said Petition, praying that a Sum of Money, or Tobacco, may be raised by a Public Levy, for erecting a commodious Building, wherein to fix a Bell and Clock, for the Use of the Public; was here read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Richard Lee, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Bill intituled, A Supplementary Act to the Act intituled, An Act to enable the Justices of Charles County, to Levy, &c. indorsed, “By the Upper House of Assembly, November 1, 1753. Read the second Time and will pass.” Which was read here and passed for
 p. 319 ingrossing.

The House adjourns till 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

A Bill intituled, An Act for the Relief of Thomas Barkley, a languishing Prisoner, &c. was read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table.

The Petition of the Vestrymen and Churchwardens of Saint Mary’s White-Chapel Parish, praying that the Parishioners may be assessed in the Sum of 550 l. Current Money, to be applied to the Building a new Church; was read and rejected.

The following Message:

By the Lower House of Assembly, November 1, 1753.

May it please your Honours,

By a Report from the Committee of Accounts, made last Session, a Copy of which we sent to your Honours, it appears, that Col. George Gale, Administrator of Levin Gale, has over paid a Debt due to the Province from the aforesaid Levin Gale, the Sum of Eight