

Original Journal. The Hon^{ble} Coll: Robotham and Col: Addison bring downe the Bills yesterday sent up with remarques upon them.
House adjourned for 2 hours.

Post Merediem. House mett, and called over.

A Bill for the rectifying the ill practices of Attorneys of this province, and for the ascertaining of the Attorney Generalls and clk: of Indictments fees, in criminal causes read the first time and passed, and sent to comittee to be transcribed.

p. 183 An address to his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r to give leave to the repealing of certaine Laws and Impositions, read and approved of.

A Bill for securing the parochiall Librarys of this Province, read the first time and passed.

A Bill for reviveing Cecill County process read the first time and passed for Engrossing.

A Bill for restraining the extortions of Sherriffes Subsherriffes and Deputy Comissary's read the third time and passed for engrossing.

A Bill for Stay of Executions after the 10th day of May yearly, read the 3^d time and passed for engrossing.

A Bill empowering the Comissioners of the Severall County Courts to leavy money to defray their County charges, read the third time and passed for Engrossing.

A Bill for the better dividing of St Pauls and Shrewsbury parishes, read the third time and passed.

The address and Bills sent to his Ex^{cy} and his Maty^s hon^{ble} Council by M^r Ben: Hall, M^r Lane, M^r Willmer, M^r Clarke, M^r I^s Hall, M^r Hutchison, M^r Fferry, M^r Lloyd, M^r Caville M^r Campbell, Capt Haskins and M^r White.

The Journall of the Comittee of Acc^{ts} read out. It being represented that there is due to severall persons that went upon the Indian Treaty 2005³ of Toba^c as per the Journall of the Comittee for apportioning the publick leavy October 1697.

Resolved the same be paid the Gentlemen by the Treasurer of the Western Shore.

Comittee of Laws and Comittee of Acc^{ts} sent out.

Upon Reading the returne of the Gentlemen and Surveyor appointed to run out the divisionall lines of Anna Arundell and Baltmore County's, the same is well approved of and a Bill ordered to be drawn for the confirming thereof.

House adjourned till to Morrow Morning 7 Clock.

Thursday March 24th House Mett, and called over. Read over what was done yesterday.

A Bill for rectifying the ill practices of Attorneys &c. presented to the house By M^r Philip Clarke, which he read in his place this being the 2^d reading.