

And requesting that the House will take the same into Consideration, and grant such Allowances for the same, as they shall think just and reasonable.

And the same was read,

read.

Resolved, that so soon as Colonel *Shaw*, shall produce to this House proper Vouchers for the Sums paid by him before this Time, to the Militia, and for Provisions, Fire, Candles, Wood and Ammunition supplied, that the House will then take the same into Consideration for Payment thereof.

Resolution thereon.

A Message from his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, by Mr. Secretary of the Province,

Message from the Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Speaker,

“The Lieutenant-Governor having taken into Consideration the extraordinary Expences attending the Duty of the puisne Judges of the Supreme Court, recommends to the House the establishing a proper and permanent Salary for their Services, agreeable to the Promises and Engagements formerly made by this House.”

Ordered, That the several Resolutions and Votes agreed to by this House for Payments to be made sundry Persons, be sent to his Majesty's Council for Concurrence.

Resolution & Votes sent to the Council.

A Message came from his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, requiring the Attendance of the House in the Council-Chamber.

Message from the Lieute. Governor.

And Mr. Speaker with the House, having attended accordingly, his Honor was pleased to give his Assent to the following Bills, viz.

The House attend his Honor in the Council-Chamber.

An Act to restrain the exorbitant Price of Labour.

An Act for regulating the Prices of certain Provisions in the Township of Halifax,

Bills assented to.

An Act in further Addition to an Act, made in the 3d Year of his Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act to enable the several Townships within this Province to maintain their Poor.

An Act in further Addition to the Act, made in the 5th Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the Choice of Town Officers and for regulating Townships.

An Act for more effectually preventing the Desertion of Seamen and Soldiers from his Majesty's Navy and Army in this Province.

An Act in Addition to the Act for preventing Trespasses.

An Act in Amendment of the several Acts for regulating Juries.

An Act for the more effectually securing Prisoners committed for Crimes against his Majesty and Government, and for the Tryal of such Offenders.

An Act for continuing the several Acts relating to the Duty on Wheel-Carriages within the Peninsula of Halifax.

An Act for the making perpetual an Act, made in the 11th Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, an Act to avoid the double Payment of Debts.

An Act in Amendment of an Act, made in the 2d Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the better regulating the Militia on actual Service in Time of War.

Then the House adjourned till To-morrow Morning 9 o'Clock.

Tuesday June 24th, 1777.

His Majesty's Council sent down the following Resolution,
“That the Taxes imposed and set by the several Laws of this Province

Resolution from the Council relating to Ministers not being taxed for making and repairing Highways,