Upon reading the foregoing Message, Ordered the Bills therein mentioned be again read in the House.

Bill reviving the Act for Limitation of Officers Fees Read

and ordered to be indorsed

By the House of Delegates 16th December 1708 Read the second Time and will pass Signed p Order Richd Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.

Bill reviving the Act for ordering and regulating the Militia Read and debated. Put to the Question whether the Bill shall pass or not?

Carryed by Majority of Votes in the Affirmative.

Ordered the said Bill be indorsed.

By the House of Delegates 16th December 1708 Read the third Time and will pass Signed p Order Richd Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.

Ordered That M' Hill and M' Tyler carry the said Bills up to the Honble Council with the following Message

By the House of Delegates 16th December 1708.

In Answer to your Message by the Honble Col^o Holland relating to the reviving the Bill for Limitation of Officers Fees, and the Act for ordering and regulating the Militia, this House had prepared Bills for that Purpose, to which they desire the Concurrence of the Honble Council

Signed p Order Richd Dallam Cl. Ho. Del.

They return and say they delivered the same Bills and Mes-

The Honble Thomas Greenfield Esq enters the House and delivers Mr Speaker the following Message.

By the Council in Assembly December 16th 1708.

His Excellency and this Board do recommend to the House of Delegates that the Country Arms be lodged in the Court House in the first Room on the left Hand up one Pair of Stairs where they will be safer and it may be done at a very small Charge only of putting up the Racks &ta and 'twill save the Country the Rent of the House they are now lodged in which