

Original will after the Duty of the morning Service is over Sitt in Coun-  
Journal. cill the rest of the day.

M<sup>r</sup> Leach and M<sup>r</sup> Phillips bring up the Journall of the Comittee of Accounts which was ordered to lye on the Table for Inspection and Consideration.

M<sup>r</sup> Macklaster brings from the house as follows, Viz.

By the House of Delegates April 10th 1707

In answ<sup>r</sup> to the Message what shall be good Evidence to prove fforeign and other Debts. This house are of Opinion that that Branch of the said Act mentioned in the Message: Viz<sup>t</sup> goods Sold work done money Lent &c is well Enough and has no need of Amendment And as to that relating to the Clergye Wee believe that that Matter is well Enough Settled and Secured allready by the Law, and therefore wee are unwilling to make any alteration therein, And as to the Quakers, Wee take them to be Comprehended within the Law of the millitia allready, and there is no reason to make  
p. 80 Subjects in this Province as to the Militia Affairs And as to all other Matters Relating to the Militia, We are of Opinion that the Law is well Enough as it is and needs no manner of Alteration. Signed p order W Taylard Cl ho D

The following Reply to a former Message from the house was Sent them by Coll Hamond Col Jenkins Col Lloyd and Col Ennalls viz<sup>t</sup>

By his Ex<sup>ncy</sup> the Gov<sup>r</sup> & Council in Assembly Ap<sup>ll</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> 1707

In answ<sup>r</sup> to Your Message that You Cannot Agree to the Report from the Conference held for the Security of the Publiq Armes & Amunition at Annapolis, Wee Acquaint you that Wee are of Opinion the Publiq Armes and Amunition Especially at this time ought to be well Preserved & Secured, And therefore his Ex<sup>ncy</sup> is Pleased to declare that this being a Concerne of the greatest moment and whereon Depends the Defence and Security of the Province, He must (thô very desirous to avoid all Occasions of Exposing the Country to any Charge) take care and give Proper directions for the Security of the Magazine & well hoped the house would have Advised and Assisted him therein Since by their desire and approbation he had taken Care to have so good and Serviceable a Quantity both of Armes and Amunition bought & Imported.