

U. H. J. that we may proceed to some other Business than sending Messages
Calvert backwards and forwards, we do tell you plainly, our unalterable
Paper Resolution is, not to read any other Bill on our Table, before you
No. 735 send us the Bill for Arms &c^a agreeable to the Conferees Report;
from this fixed Determination we will not recede on any Consideration
whatever, and therefore every minute employed about Messages before that is sent to Us, will be trifling away our own Time
and the Countrys Money

Signed p order John Ross Ct Up Ho.

A Message from the Lower House by Mess^{rs} Lloyd and Sprigg.

By the Lower House of Assembly 2^d June 1740

May it please Your Honours

We think this Session too far spent to consider the Purport of your Message of the 30th of May last by Cot Hammond and propose the Consideration thereof may be referred to the next Meeting of Assembly

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct Lo H.

The following Message is sent by Edmund Jenings Esq^r

By the Upper House of Assembly 2^d June 1740

p. 96 Gentlemen

As your House, in a Message to Ours the ninth of June last, in Relation to the three pence p hogshead on Tobacco for Arms &c alledged, that upwards of £2500 Sterling, raised by that Duty, was unaccounted for in any manner. We desire you'l appoint some of your Members to joyn some of Ours to examine into the State of that Fund, and how the money raised thereby has been applied since the Administration of the Government of the Province was last restored to the Right honourable the Lord Proprietor, that Justice may be done as well to the Country, as the Characters of those Gentlemen concerned in laying out the said Money

Signed p Order John Ross Ct Up H.

Adjourned till two of the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die post Meridiem

This House met again according to Adjournment Present as in the Morning

Adjourned till to Morrow Morning ten of the Clock