

U. H. J. By the Lower House of Assembly 1 June 1744

May it please your Honours

In Answer to your Message of this day by Samuel Chamberlain Esq^r We hope this Session is near a Conclusion and that therefore You will Excuse Us from Entering into any Dispute on a Subject
 p 40 matter which has been fully considered and determined by this House, and We must therefore acquaint You that We have resolved not to give the Bill for Arms and Ammunition in any other Form than that sent up to your House this Session, as the same sufficiently provided for the Purpose Signed p Order M Macnemara Cl Lo Ho.

The Journal of Accounts is sent with the following Message by Edmund Jenings Esq^r

By the Upper House of Assembly 1 June 1744

Gentlemen

Upon perusal of the Journal of Accounts We find the several Omissions and Wrong Allowances viz. 1st By a Copy of the Governors Account laid before Your Committee of Accounts amounting to 30960th of Tobacco, We find You have only allowed the Quantity of 21810th of Tobacco, nor can We conceive any just Reason for disallowing any Part of the Quantity of 30960th except the two Articles of 120th Tobacco Each for the Death Warrants of John Lillingston & William Hill, for which the Masters of those Servants may be liable

2^{dly} We are informed Your Committee in the last Session refused to allow 1440th Tobacco due to the late Governor Ogle for 12 Proclamations concerning surplus Lands

3^{dly} You have not made Allowances of the Charges and Expences so necessarily incurred for the Preservation of the Peace and Safety of the Province in discovery and preventing the ill Consequences of the late Indian Conspiracy in Dorset, and Somerset Counties

4^{thly} We do not find that you have allowed the late Attorney General his fees for the Prosecution of several Criminals amounting to 28000th Tobacco in 1737 and 2000th Tobacco since

5^{thly} There is no Allowance to the Secretary for fees due to him on the Prosecution of the said Criminals amounting to 21250th Tobacco, nor have You allowed the said Secretary his fees due on the Conviction of Basnett and Conolly, nor does any Reason appear why you have deducted the Quantity of 1641½th Tobacco from his other fees.

6^{thly} There are several Accounts laid before this House by the Printer, and sent now to your House, which We hope You will think proper to allow

7^{thly} We send You two Accounts due to M^r Ross Clerk of the Council and this House for publick services, the One for 3033