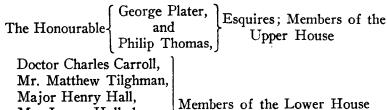
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L.H.J. Doctor Carroll, from the Conference appointed by both Houses, Liber No. 47 May 25 delivers to Mr. Speaker the following Report, viz.

At a Conference appointed by the Honourable the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, May 24, 1754, and met in the Paper Office.

Were Present;



of Assembly.

Mr. James Hollyday, Mr. William Murdock, and

Mr. John Goldsborough,

Who make choice of the Honourable George

Who make choice of the Honourable George Plater, Esq; Chairman, and William Wilkins Clerk.

The Conferees of the Upper House moved (as the Lower House had desired the Conference), to know what your Conferees had to propose, upon which your Conferees entered upon the Business as follows, viz.

May it please your Honours,

The House of Delegates have desired this Conference, on the proposed Amendments of your House, to the Bill, for his Majesty's Service, in Hopes thereby to expedite the same, that it may be carried into Execution, and notwithstanding their undoubted Right of forming Money Bills, and granting Money, have agreed to several Amendments to that Bill proposed by your House, in Order to give Dispatch thereto, which Concessions they Hope will not be drawn into Precedent.

And we are instructed to acquaint your Honours, that the House cannot depart from their Resolution of not agreeing to the proposed Amendment, set forth in our first Reason, and that there is a Mistake in omitting to insert the Sum of 3000 l. in the Bill, in the 4th Line of the 3d Page, which it is desired may be inserted in its proper Place, your Conferees then delivered the following Reasons, viz.

To the Second Amendment our House cannot agree, because by the Bill, as sent up, a Mode was ascertained for Recovery of the Tax imposed upon Hawkers and Pedlars, and an Encouragement given to Informers to prosecute, both which are struck out by the Amendment, and no Mode prescribed for the Recovery of the Tax: As this House had no Inclination to draw his Lordship's Claim to Fines and Forfeitures into Question, upon this Occasion (which seems to be