There were 150 Muskets sent hence to the Carolina Troops the L.H.J. Summer before last: Col. Innes, as appears by the Armourer's Liber No. 48 Account, has returned only 132, but 28 of them have Bayonets, and are much better than what he borrowed.

4th March 1756

Hor.º Sharpe.

On Motion, That an Address be prepared to his Excellency, requesting him to give Directions to the proper Officers to lay before this House an Account of the Exports and Imports of every Kind, for five Years last past, ending at the first Day of January last: Ordered, That the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in such Address.

The House Adjourned till tomorrow morning at 8 of the Clock.

Friday Morning, 5th March, 1756.

March 5

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

All appeared as Yesterday except Mr. Hammond.

On Motion, That an Address be prepared to his Excellency, in Answer to his Message of the 2d Instant:

Ordered, That the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in an Address accordingly.

The House adjourns till 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

On Motion, Resolved, That the Sum of £500 be taken out of the Loan-Office, to be applied for the immediate Assistance of the Inhabitants on the Western Frontier of this Province: Ordered, That the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in an Ordinance accordingly, and a Message to the Upper House of Assembly (to be sent therewith) requesting their Concurrence.

Ordered, That M.r Benjamin Mackall be added to the Committee for inspecting the Arms and Ammunition, and Accounts relating thereto.

M. Dulany, from the Committee appointed to inspect the Accounts and Proceedings of the Commissioners or Trustees, for emitting Bills of Credit, established by Act of Assembly, &c. delivers to M.^r Speaker the following Report, viz.^t

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Which was Read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

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