

Invasion thereof, have, at this Time of imminent Danger, Resolved, That the Sum of £3100 be laid out and applied in the Purchase of Arms and Ammunition for the Defence of this Province: And have accordingly made a Provision in the Act, entituled, An Act for his Majesty's Service, and further Defence and Security of this Province.

L. H. J.
Liber No. 48
October 5

The House adjourns until the Morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.

Wednesday Morning, 6th October, 1756.

October 6

The House met according to Adjournment: All the Members appeared as Yesterday, except M.^r Thomas Reeder.

The Bill, entituled, An Act empowering the Justices of Somerset County to levy not exceeding 20,000 lbs. of Tobacco upon the taxable Inhabitants, &c. was Read the second Time, and will pass; and was sent to the Upper House by Col. Henry and Capt. Handy.

His Excellency communicated to M.^r Speaker the following Message, viz.

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,

Herewith you receive a Petition from several of the Inhabitants of Charles County, who complain of an irregular and undue Election of Inspectors for Piles's Warehouse. I submit the Petition to your Consideration, and recommend it to you to prepare a Bill for Remedying the Evil by the Petitioners complained of.

October 6, 1756.

Hor.^o Sharpe.

His Excellency communicated to M.^r Speaker the following Message, viz.

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,

The inclosed Accounts for Provisions and sundry Things, impressed in Baltimore County for the Detachment of Militia that marched thence to the Frontiers under the Command of Capt. Stansbury, you will be pleased to examine, and make the Persons, from whom such Things were taken, a reasonable Allowance.

October 6, 1756.

Hor.^o Sharpe.

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

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Post-Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

M.^r Reynolds appeared in the House.

On Reading the second Time the Bill, entituled, An Act for Regulating the Militia of the Province of Maryland, the Question, was put, Whether the Sum of Five Pounds shall be Levied upon the Goods and Chattels of any Person absconding and carrying away