

U. H. J. granting a Supply of £40000 : for his Majesty's Service and striking
Liber No. 35 £34015.6.0 : thereof in Bills of Credit, and raising a Fund for sinking
May 8 the same, thus subscribed.

8.th of May 1758: Read and assented to by the Lower House of Assembly

Signed p: Order M Macnemara Cl. Lo: Ho.

Read and assented to by this House and ordered to be so subscribed.

Adjourned 'till three of the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die post Meridiem

This House met again according to Adjournment.

Present as in the Morning

Samuel Chamberlaine Esq.^r from the Committee appointed to inspect the Office and Proceedings of the Commissioners for emitting Bills of Credit established by Act of Assembly, brings in the following Report :

Maryland ss.

At a Committee of both Houses of Assembly appointed to inspect the Office and Proceedings of the Commissioners for emitting Bills of Credit established by Act of Assembly

Were present

The honourable Samuel Chamberlaine Esq.^r of the Upper House. Mess.^{rs} Walter Dulany Michael Earle, Robert Lloyd, John Bracco, Alexander Williamson, Matthew Tilghman, Brice Thomas Beale Worthington, and John Hanson of the Lower House.

We make Choice of and appoint the honourable Samuel Chamberlaine Esq.^r Chairman and Richard Dorsey their Clerk.

Your Committee on an Inspection of the Books, and Accounts of the said Office, find them still kept in that irregular and indistinct manner which has been reported by former Committees, and therefore have not had it in their Power thoroughly to examine into the State and Condition of the same Office or into the Conduct and Behaviour of the said Commissioners or Trustees any further than to enable them to make the following Report. viz.^t

Your Committee have examined the Iron Chest or Cash Account N.^o 1. raised in the Books and find it closed to the 6.th Day of February last, by the following State of which it will appear that there remains a Ballance of £544.15.4 :

D.^r The Office for emitting Bills of Credit.
To Ballance in the Iron Chest 15 : Sep.^r 1756. as p } 616.. 5.. 9½
Report the 17.th of same Month..... }