

Moved by a Member of this House and one of the Justices of the Provincials Court that he might be allowed for one day after the last Court being appointed by the said Court to settle the Boggett according to act of Assembly.

Ordered that he be allowed for such his days attendance.

The Committee appointed to inspect the severall papers his Ex^{ty} was pleased to deliver to Mr. Speaker at the beginning of this Session and to make report of what they find convenient and necessary to be ans^{er}ed by this House, bring in their Report which was read, viz^t -

With a Committee held at the State House the twenty eight of October Anno. Dom^o 1698. Especially appointed by the House of Delegates to inspect severall Letters and papers offered by his Ex^{ty} and Council for ^{the} full and were appointed.

Capt. Richard Hill, Maj^r Tho^s Ennalls and Mr. Mr. Jayland, who makes their Report thereon as followeth.

In a long Letter from the Lords of the Committee Trade and Plantations bearing date the second day of September 1697. This Committee have made the following Observations, on the severall papers and Letters therein.

1. As to the first part of what we find particularly directed to his Ex^{ty} and refers to another Letter from his Maj^{ty} dated the 27th of April 1697.
2. As to the second paragraph in the said Letter which mentions an address from the Assembly that the Estate of Lord Copley might make good the 4th part of the Revenue according to his Maj^{ty} order for Stores.
3. This House does not think it worth while to looke after it.
3. Concerning Stores and Magazines which his Maj^{ty} requires an acct. of this House humbly desires his Ex^{ty} whom this House humbly conceive has the use^s from the severall officers, for all such armes and Amunitions that he will be pleased to answer the same.
4. As to the Paragraph relating to money given to publick uses an acct. whereof is also required.

Ordered that the same be referred to the Committee Especially appointed to examine the said acct. to answer.

5. As to that paragraph relating to the Quota of Men, We do understand that since his Maj^{ty} Order therein mentioned the happy peace is concluded by which we hope we may be excus^d by an address of his Maj^{ty} for that purpose together with our apologies formerly made.
6. As to the Paragraph in the said Letter relating to the Boundaries of Maryland -

Whereas in our addresses to their L^{ds} the Lords of the Committee of Trade and Plantations we did desire that the said L^{ds} or Mr. Secretary the Lord Baltimore might be heard therein, but not finding any thing by his L^{ty}ship done concerning the same, this House humbly desires