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Hutchinson and Mr. Richard Tulghman be a Committee appointed for inspecting the Law for Officers Fees and Make Reports thereof to the House.

Proposed whether it be not reasonable that the Journall of the last Sessions be inspected to discover w^h References there are to this Assembly.

Resolved that the Clerk make search into of Journall and so send to the House a list of such References as shall be found.

The Journall being accordingly inspected and one Reference found relating to Horse Rangers &c. which being read.

It is resolved that a Bill be prepared for that purpose.

Another Reference upon the petition of Edward Laddimore of Cecil County was read, the further Consideration whereof is deferred till the said Laddimore and his Wife appear here according to a former Order of this House.

The Hon^{ble} Thom^s Brooke Esq^r Coll^o J^r Addison, Col^o John Cant^o, Col^o Edw^d Lloyd, Mr James Saunders and Col^o W^m Holland Enter the House and deliver the following Message to Mr^r Speaker.

By his Exc^o of the Governour and Council (March 17th 170^o).

Gent^l:-
The Law proposed for Establishment of Religious Worship in this Province returned from his Most Sacred Maty^{ty} with the Right hon^{ble} the Lords Comm^{rs} of Trade and Plantations &c. therein as alsoe his Maty^{ty} &c. requiring yo^r Contribution to the defence of the Frontiers of yo^r Province of New York by a Quota of Men and Money which his Exc^o recommended to you in what he was pleased to say last Night to you upon yo^r coming up are now sent downe unto you for Consideration.

And your concurrence and Resolutions thereupon are desired with as much Speed as conveniently may be.

Signed by Order.

W. Bladen. Sec^y Council

Which being read it is Resolved that for as much as it is a matter of great Moment and weight and not having a full House the Members of two Counties being wanting the Consideration thereof is further referred till there be a full House.

And Ordered that Major M^r Dent and Major Thos. Smith. & immediately attend his Exc^o and Council to Communicate to them full of occasion of not returning soe Speedy an Answer as might otherwise be expected.

A Reference of the last Sessions relating to the Grand Jurys and their Speedy attendance on the Prov^l Court &c. was here read.

And Resolved by the House that the Committee of Laws prepare A Bill for that purpose.