

Col^o Thomas Emmalls enters the House and delivers Mr Speaker the following Message
 By his Excellency the Governor and Council in Assembly April 7th 1707
 Upon the House's Message by Mr Trisby and five others desiring a Conference with some of her
 Majesty's Honble Council in Order to consult the placing and securing the publick Arms &
 Ammunition his Excellency has directed the Honble Colo John Hammond, Colo Francis Jenkins,
 Colo Edward Lloyd, and Colo Thomas Emmalls to confer with the Members appointed by
 the House of Delegates to settle that Matter upon the first Notice given them the Place
 to be appointed by the Conference Signed by Order W Bladen Secy

Upon Reading the aforesaid Message it is ordered that Colo John Contee, Mr Greenfield,
 Mr Young, and Colo Pearce attend the Conference, and make Report thereof to the House.
 Colo Edward Lloyd enters the House and delivers Mr Speaker a Bill against forging and
 counterfeiting of foreign Coin of Gold or Silver.

Ordered to be read in the Afternoon.

John Francis Holland, a German his Petition praying a Bill for Naturalization. was
 read and granted; and ordered a Bill be brought in as prayed.

The House adjourns till two O'Clock Afternoon -

Post Meridie. The House met again according to Adjournment. Being called
 over were present as in the Morning

The Petition of Thomas Manning of Calvert County being read in the House and granted
 that a Bill be brought in according to the Petitioner's Prayer.

The Gentlemen appointed on a Conference this Day for placing and securing the publick
 Arms and Ammunition made their Report which was ordered to be entered as follows

Maryland J^t At a Conference hold the 7th Day of April 1707 for placing and
 securing the publick Arms and Ammunition of the Province aforesaid

Present

Of her Majesty's Honble Council } Colo John Hammond, Colo Francis Jenkins, Colo Edw. Lloyd,
 and Thomas Emmalls Esq;
 Of the House of Delegates - } Colo John Contee, Colo Thomas Greenfield, Saml Young, Esq;
 and Colo William Pearce -

We do report that the Arms appoitioned for the use of Ann Arundel County shall be secured
 in such Order and Room as his Excellency the Governor shall think fit in the lower Room of
 the Court House and the Remainder of the Arms to be lodged in the first Room up Stairs on
 the Right Hand as formerly agreed on by way of Message.

And further we^{do} report That the Ammunition be and remain in the Powder House where
 it's now plac'd with such Guards as his Excellency the Governor shall think fit to appoint
 for the Security thereof Signed by Order John Beale Secy

Which being read and debated in the House the following Message was ordered to be
 sent up to his Excellency.

By the House of Delegates April 7th 1707.

The House have considered the Report of the Conference (relating to the Gunpowder) reported