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County called Sectar was read the first and second Time by special Order  
and ordered to be thus indorsed viz<sup>s</sup>

By the House of Delegates 2<sup>d</sup> July 1714

Read the first and second Time by special Order and will pass —  
Signed of Order Tho. Mannomara R. Ho. Sec.

Sent up to her Majesty's Council by Capt. Rodd and Mr. James Mackale.

They return and say they delivered the same

A Bill for laying an Imposition of 3<sup>d</sup> p<sup>ts</sup> on Tob<sup>o</sup> for defraying the  
Charge of the Province

By the House of Delegates 2<sup>d</sup> July 1714

Read the 3<sup>d</sup> Time with the Amendments and ordered to be engrossed.

Signed of Order Tho. Mannomara R. Ho. Sec.

Colo. Wm. Holland and Philomon Lloyd Esq<sup>s</sup> from the Honble Council enter the  
House and deliver Mr. Speaker an engrossed Bill for revising and continuing  
an Act of Assembly of this Province entitled an Act for the ordering and regu-  
-lating the Militia of this Province for the better Security and Defense thereof  
and for supplying some Defects therein with the following Indorsement viz<sup>s</sup>

July 2<sup>d</sup> 1714. Read and reported to by her Majesty's Honble Council, and

Signed of Order W. Bladen R. Hon.

Ordered that the following Address be prepared and sent to his Excellency the Gov<sup>r</sup>  
by Mr. Lloyd Major Woolford Major Spigg Mr. James Mackale Mr. Charles Wright  
and Mr. John Purnell viz<sup>s</sup>

By the Honble House of Delegates 2<sup>d</sup> July 1714

May it please your Excellency

As her Sacred Majesty out of her great Grace and Princely  
Regard of us has been pleased to order that the Sum of 3<sup>d</sup> p<sup>ts</sup> of an Imposition  
of 12<sup>d</sup> p<sup>ts</sup> laid and settled by Act of Assembly on Tobacco to be exported out of  
this Province on her Majesty for Support of Government should be applied for  
purchasing Arms and Ammunition for the Defense of this Province and having  
also out of her Princely Favour given us Leave to require the Accounts of the  
same and all other Supplies to be granted to be laid before us. We humbly pray  
your Excellency to order the several Officers concerned in the Receipt and Application of  
the Said 3<sup>d</sup> p<sup>ts</sup> to lay their Accounts of the same before this House next Session  
of Assembly We believe that on your Account a considerable Sum will be found  
due to the Public and pray your Excellency will agree to apply Part thereof for building  
such publick Storehouses hereabouts as shall be necessary