

accounts now due in order to receive the several records that are to be conveyed to the said officers and further for the safe keeping the Records the several windows of the said Gate House ought to be well mended they being now much broken as well the shutters as the Panes and further the said a Lock on the North Side of the said house in the Roof, just at the Stair head, and the several officers ordered a most of them wants good Locks and Keys all which we refer to the Consideration of the house — signed by order John Boyle Esq. Secy. in ca. Whose being read it is ordered that the Secy. appointed by the order repairing the Records see the said officers repaired accordingly. The house proceeded to consider of John Rousley Esq. account of the 3 & 4th Feb. for assns and amunition and thereupon the following Message being prepared was ordered to be sent. *Print*

By the Lower house of Assembly Aug 14th 1716

May it please yr. Seny. *John Rousley Esq.* pursuant to your Seny. Directions was said before this house his account of the 3 & 4th Feb. appropriated by the late Assembly for the purchase of Arms &c. for the defence of this Province which is from the 19th day of November in the year 1707 to the 28th day of October 1715 amounts in the whole to 1909. 5. 9. 3/4. out of which we find the said John Rousley Embury to the tenure of the Receiver Emighon granted to George Carter Esq. by King William and Queen Mary and the said for out of the said 3 & 4th was assigned account the full Receiver's Salary of 100^l. *Print* per annum.

The Secy. leave to refer your Seny. to the Embry of the said Emighon granted to the said George Carter made in the Secretary's office and to the Resolution of the House of Delegates on the 9th November 1709 and on the 13th of May 1715 and of your Seny. and the Hon. the Council of the 14th of the same month past to the 26th article of the late Majesty's Instructions to your Seny. on Consideration of which it is hoped your Seny. will be of opinion that the said John Rousley's deduction of 100^l. *Print* Salary by account out of the said 3 & 4th is unnecessary he acting pursuant to the Emighon and now other and that therefore your Seny. will order such measures to be taken as will oblige the said John Rousley to account for and pay the said 3 & 4th Feb. at least without Deductions any more than its proportion of the Receiver's Salary and we cannot pray that yr. Seny. will order that the money arising due by the said 3 & 4th Feb. since the said 28th day of October 1715 be accounted for and the payment thereof secured in order to be ready to answer the said demands designed for *signed by order Tho. Macnemasa Esq. Secy. Ho.*

Sent up by Mr. Maccall Mr. Harman Washfield and Mr. Bond. They return and say they delivered it.

For Consey and For Whittington from the Upper house deliver Mr. Speaker The Bill for repairing and repairing the records &c. With the following Message *Print*