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which if you approve of, we are ready, to join some of the Members of our House with such of your Members as you shall appoint, as a Committee to prepare the said Address.

Signed per Order, J. Rofs, Cl. Up. Ho.

Col. Hollyday, from the Upper House, delivers Mr. Speaker the following Message:

By the Upper House of Assembly, July 18. 1740.

Gentlemen,

One of the Executors of Col. Young late Treasurer of the Western Shore being come to Town, with the Books of Accounts relating to the Three pence per Hoghead for Purchasing Arms and Ammunition, we have now Appointed the Honourable Col. Matthew Tilghman Ward, Benjamin Tasker, Esq; and Col. James Hollyday, to join such Members of your House as you shall Appoint to enquire into the State and Application of that Fund.

Signed per Order, J. Rofs, Cl. Up. Ho.

The following Message,

By the Lower House of Assembly, July 18. 1740.

May it please your Honours,

WE have appointed Col. Robert King, Mr. Walter Smith, Capt. Thomas Sheredine, Maj. Edward Sprigg, Mr. Vachel Denton, and Mr. Turnor Wootton, to join the Members appointed by your House to enquire into the State and Application of the Fund relating to the Three pence per Hoghead raised for Purchasing Arms and Ammunition, who will be ready to attend when and where your Honours shall Appoint.

Signed per Order, M. Macnemara, Cl. Lo. Ho.

Sent to the Upper House by Messieurs Denton and Wootton.

The House Adjourns to 2 of the Clock in the Afternoon.

Post Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, *An Act for Raising and Issuing Money for maintaining his Majesty's Forces to be Raised in this Province, and for Transporting them to the Place of Rendezvous in the West-Indies*, was Read and Assented to, and sent to the Upper House by Mr. Smith and Twelve more.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, *An Act for the Indemnity of such Persons as shall be employed in Transporting his Majesty's Troops to be Raised in this Province to the general Rendezvous in the West-Indies*, was Read and Assented to, and sent to the Upper House by Col. Hanson and Mr. Weems.

The following Message:

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