

to your Conferees, but it appears to be an Article Charged in Mr. *Hyde's* Account Current for that Year, and we presume by the great distance of Time the Vouchers may be lost.

That we find in the Year 1719, an Order of Governor and Council to Col. *Richard Tilghman* for 187*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.* Sterling, to Purchase Arms for the use of the Province from *Richard Bennett*, Esq; and Company, upon which Order another appears to be drawn by the said Col. *Richard Tilghman* for the above Sum of 187*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.* on *Robert Ungle*, Esq; Treasurer of the Eastern Shore, for which the said *Ungle* in his Account Charges the Publick in 1720: Your Conferees further find by the Council Proceedings, that in the Year 1729 Mr. *Bennett* appeared before the then Governor and Council, and produced the above Order, and deposed, that he had not received the above Sum of Money or any part of it, nor any thing in Satisfaction thereof; upon which it appears that another Order issued to the said *Bennett*, drawn on Col. *Samuel Young* for the aforesaid Sum of 187*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.* Sterling, by which it is conceived that the Publick has been Twice Charged for one and the same Sum, tho' it appears by the Oath of the said *Bennett* not to have been paid him by Mr. *Ungle*.

That with respect to an Article of 238*l.* 15*s.* 10*d.* part of the Sum remitted to Mr. *Hyde*, and mentioned in the Account hereunto annexed mark'd B, we do not find by his Accounts Current yet produced, any Charge to the Publick for that Sum; but upon inspecting into *Samuel Young's* Treasurers Accounts, we find the Article Charged there as so much paid his Excellency *Samuel Ogle*, Esq; Governor the Balance of 3*d.* per Hogshhead raised for the use of the Province between the 29th Sept. 1732 and 29th Sept. 1733, deducting Charges on Foreign Bills for Purchasing Arms, &c.

That it appears to your Conferees, that the following Articles in the Treasurer's Account hereunto annexed, Fol. 1. *Viz.*

1718. Oct. 6. To Bills of Exchange paid his Excellency <i>John Hart</i> , Esq; in full for his Order dated May 6. 1718,	l. s. d.
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was paid towards Building and Finishing the Magazine for Arms.

That it does not appear to your Conferees what the following Articles in the Treasurer's Account hereunto annexed, Fol. 2. was expended for, *viz.*

1720, May. To Bills of Exchange paid his Excellency *John Hart* per Order Council for 182*l.* 1*s.* 8*d.* he al-

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