

*Act for the Relief of Debtors and ascertaining the Manner of Tenders in Tobacco, &c.* Sent to the Upper House by Mr. Smith and Capt. Gale.

*The House Adjourns until 2 of the Clock in the Afternoon.*

*Post Meridiem.*

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Samuel Chamberlain, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers Mr. Speaker the Journal of Accounts; And the following Message:

*By the Upper House of Assembly, June 17. 1741.*

Gentlemen,

**W**E send you herewith the Journal of the Committee of Accounts, which we shall Assent to, when you shall have made the following Allowances,

21250 $\frac{1}{2}$  Tobacco to the Secretary,

5647 $\frac{1}{2}$  to ditto.

374 $\frac{1}{2}$  to ditto.

L.wt. 28000 to the Attorney General.

3033 Tobacco, and 120l. 7s. 9d. Currency to the Clerk of the Council, and 7l. 3s. 3d. Currency to the Printer: The Particulars of the above Charges are herewith sent; and whatever you may think of some of them, Part of that we propose to Mr. Rofs, and that to the Printer, are for Services of a like Nature to some that you have Allowed your own Clerk and the said Printer for.

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

The Bill, entituled, *An Act for raising Three Pence per Hogshead for purchasing Arms and Ammunition, &c.* was brought in with Amendments made, which was Read the Second Time, and with the Amendments Passed; which was sent to the Upper House by Col. Hanson and Col. Hooper.

The Governor communicated to Mr. Speaker the following Answer to the Address of this House, viz.

*Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,*

**I**N your Address presented to me this Day by Mr. Smith, you tell me “ that it has been reported to your House, that some of the Arms in the Council Chamber are but in indifferent Order, which you think it your Duty to acquaint me with, not doubting but I will give the necessary Direction that proper Care be taken, that the said Arms be put into and kept in good Order, by the Armourer or Person who hath the Care of the said Arms and receives a Salary for the same.”

As this seems to impute a Deficiency to me in a point of Duty that I ought to know something of, I think myself obliged to acquaint you, that I have not only given frequent Directions to the Proper Officer to

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