

ver to the Honourable Speaker, Mr. James Calder, Mr. Philip Hammond, Dr. Charles Carroll, Mr. Henry Hall, Mr. Thomas Worthington, Mr. John Magruder, Mr. Turnor Hootton, and Mr. Osborn Sprigg, or any Two or Three of them, distinct and particular Accounts of the amounts of the said Fourteen Pence Sterling *per* Ton on all Shipping or Vessels Trading into this Province, and not owned therein; as also of the said Twelve Pence Sterling *per* Hoghead on all Tobaccos exported out of this Province for Two Years then last past preceeding the said Session of Assembly, proved on their Corporal Oaths before proper Magistrates, and the same authenticated by your Excellency under the Great Seal, in such manner as to enable us to carry before his Lordship, or in case of need before his most Sacred Majesty in Council, the Address of this House complaining of sundry Aggrievances in the said Address mentioned.

Which was Read and Assented to, and Signed by Order of the House, by the Honourable Speaker.

Ordered, That Mr. Lloyd and Mr. R. Gresham acquaint the Governor, this House hath prepared an Address to him, and desires to know when and where he will receive it: They return, and acquaint Mr. Speaker, the Governor was ready to receive it in the Conference-Chamber.

Ordered, That William Stoughton, Esq; and Mr. Wootton present the Address: They return, and acquaint Mr. Speaker, they presented it.

Mr. Worthington delivers Mr. Speaker the following Report; *viz.*

At a Conference appointed by the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, June 4, 1744.

Were PRESENT,

The Honourable Philip Thomas, Esq;	}	of the Upper House,
The Honourable Daniel Dulany, Esq;		
Mr. Thomas Worthington,	}	of the Lower House.
Col. Robert King,		
Major Thomas Sberedine,		
Mr. Turnor Wootton,		

Who make choice of Philip Thomas, Esq; Chairman, and Richard Dorssey Clerk; and agree to make the following Report; *viz.*

IT appears to your Conferrees, that the Facts mentioned in the Report of the Lower House are true.

The Trustees not mentioning in their Accounts, from which of the Naval Officers they received the Bills, upon which the Charge of 13*l.* 7*s.* 8*d.* for Noting and Protesting Bills, has arisen, makes it difficult how, or to whom to apply for that Money, which appears to your Conferrees to belong of Right to the Country; and therefore think it would be proper to write to the Trustees, that they would mention in all their future Accounts, the Naval Officers from whom they shall receive any Bills of Exchange; and also that they send in an Account upon what Bills the said Charge arose, and who remitted them.

That the Representatives of Col. Levin Gale, be required to shew how the Money charged, as for Bills of Exchange drawn on Mr. Neil Buchanan, for the Years, 1737, 1738, 1739, and 1740, amounting in all to 315*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.* 2*q.* for which no Credit is given by the Trustees, has been paid.

That the Representatives of Philip Lee, Esq; deceased, be required to render an Account from the 29th of September, 1742; and to pay what shall