

Who make Choice of the Hon. *Richard Lee*, Esq; their Chairman; and *Richard Dorsey* their Clerk.  
**Y**our Committee, upon Inspection into the State and Condition of the Office aforesaid, take Leave to report, That your Committee cannot find that the Trustees in *London*, appointed by Act of Assembly, for emitting and making current Ninety thousand Pounds Current Money of *Maryland*, in Bills of Credit, have ever transmitted to the Commissioners or Trustees in this Province, proper Testimonials from the Bank, of the Entries and Transfers, mentioned by the Accounts of the said Trustees in *London*, to be there made; tho' directed and enjoyned by the said Act (as your Committee apprehend) to transmit such Testimonials, with their said Accounts, yearly.

Your Committee take Leave to observe, that the above *Richard Lee*, Esq; refusing to join in the above Report, they therefore think it their indispensable Duty to report this separately.

All which is submitted to the Consideration of the Honourable House.

JOHN HENRY,  
 JOHN STODDERT,  
 EDWARD TILGHMAN,  
 ABRAHAM BARNES,  
 JOHN HALL.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

*The House adjourns 'til Tomorrow Morning 9 of the Clock.*

Saturday Morning, *June 28*, 1746.

**T**HE House met according to Adjournment, and the Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

Col. *Hall* hath Leave of the House to go home.

On reading the second Time the Bill entituled, *An Act for raising Sterling per Hoghead on all Tobacco to be exported, for purchasing Arms and Ammunition, and for an immediate Supply of Arms for the Defence of this Province*; the Question was put, Whether the Duty to be laid on Tobacco shall be Four Pence Sterling per Hoghead, or Three Pence? *Resolved*, That it be Four Pence.

*For the Four Pence per Hoghead.*

*Messieurs* Wilson, Harris, P. Hammond, Carroll, Worthington, H. Hall, Smith, Brome, Mackall, Joseph Hall, Courts, Smallwood, Harrison, N. Goldsborough, Lloyd, J. Goldsborough, Hooper, Ennalls, Pearce, Hyland, Bayard, Sheredine, John Hall, Buchanan, Paca, Wootton, Addison, Stoddert, T. Hammond, Hopper, Tilghman.

*For the Three Pence per Hoghead.*

*Messieurs* Barnes, Bond, Mills, J. Gresham, R. Gresham, Stoughton, King, Dashiell, Dennis, Thomas, Lecompte, George, Gordon, Dulany, Henry, Purnell, Robins, Scarborough.

A further Question was put, Whether that Part of the Bill which relates to the Payment of an Armourer should be altered? *Resolved* in the Negative.

*For the NEGATIVE.*

*Messieurs* Bond, Mills, Wilson, Harris, P. Hammond, Carroll, Worthington, H. Hall, Smith, Brome, Mackall, Joseph Hall, Courts, Smallwood, Harrison, N. Goldsborough, Lloyd, J. Goldsborough, Hooper, Ennalls, Pearce, Hyland, Bayard, Sheredine, John Hall, Buchanan, Paca, Wootton, Addison, Stoddert, Hopper, Tilghman, Henry.

*For the AFFIRMATIVE.*

*Messieurs* Barnes, J. Gresham, R. Gresham, Stoughton, King, Dashiell, Dennis, Thomas, Lecompte, George, Gordon, Dulany, T. Hammond, Purnell, Robins, Scarborough.

The Bill being read, it was passed.

*The House adjourns until Monday Morning 9 of the Clock.*

Monday Morning, *June 30*, 1746.

**T**HE House met according to Adjournment, and the Proceedings of Yesterday were read; all Members being present as on Saturday, except Mr. *John Gresham*, Mr. *Richard Gresham*, and Col. *Hall*.

Mr. *Pemberton*, a Member returned for *Queen Anne's* County, appears in the House.

Mr. *Hopper*