

languishing Prisoner in Pr. George's County Goal. Indorsed, "By
" the Upper House of Assembly, June 8, 1748, Read the second
" Time, and will not pass.

" Signed per Order, *J. Ross*, Cl. Up. Ho."

Mr. *Smith* from the Committee appointed to inspect the Arms
and Ammunition, &c. delivers to Mr. Speaker the following Re-
port, *viz.*

By the Committee appointed to inspect the Arms, Ammunition, and Accounts relating thereto,
June 8, 1748.

Your Committee having inspected the Arms and Ammunition in the City of *Annapolis*, do
find the same as followeth; *viz.*

In the Powder-House, 134 Sword Belts, 42 Carbines, 1 Box of Flints, 133 Cags of
Leaden Balls, 6 Barrels and 8 half Barrels of new Powder, 13 half Barrels of old Ditto.

Under the Conference Chamber, 2700 lb. of Ball, 300 lb. of large Shot, 980 lb. of
Bar Lead.

In the Room over the Conference Chamber, 90 old Musquets and Carbines, much out of
Repair, 23 Pair of Holsters, 11 Musquets, 145 Swords, 25 Bayonets, 65 new Sword
Belts, 15 old Cutlasses, 6 Drums, 4 Chests of Match, 8 Pistols.

In the Council Chamber, 375 Musquets and Carbines, 71 Pistols, 22 Trumpets, 9
Drums, 27 Swords, 44 Cartouch Boxes and Belts, and 9 old Ditto, 49 Halberts and
Pikes, 46 Buckets and Slings, 50 Sword Blades, 10 Daggers.

Your Committee further certify, that they have applied to the Committee of Accounts, in
order to inspect the Treasurers Account; and are informed by said Committee that no
Treasurers Accounts lie before them.

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

Signed per Order, *Thomas Howard, junior*, Cl. Com.

The House adjourns until Tomorrow Morning at 9 a Clock

Thursday Morning, June 9, 1748.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c.

All present as Yesterday, except Mr. *Tilgman* and Mr.
Thomas Hammond.

Mr. *Philip Hammond* appeared in the House.

On reading the second Time the Bill entituled, *An Act conti-
nuing an Act entituled, An Act for raising a Duty of three Half-
pence Sterling, &c.* The Question was put, Whether the said
Bill shall pass, or not? *Resolved* in the Affirmative.

For the AFFIRMATIVE,

Messieurs {
Key,
Barnes,
Bond,
Mills,
J. Gresham,
R. Gresham,
Harris,

Middleton,
King,
Dashiell,
Handy,
R. J. Henry,
Thomas,
Hooper,

Ennalls,
George,
Lecompte,
Bayard,
Sheredine,
J. Hall,

Gordon,
Dulany,
Robins,
J. Henry,
Scarborough,
Purnell.

For