

Dr.	<i>The Office for emitting Bills of Credit.</i>	Cr.
To Money paid by Dr. John Jackson, for Costs of Suit on William Ward and William Douglas; their Bonds,	18 17 9 0	
	<u>£. 2302 18 2 3</u>	
		By Ballance of Coined or Signed Money, now in the Chest, 940 8 8 1
		<u>£. 2302 18 2 3</u>

It appears to your Committee, That there is still a Ballance due to the Office, for Money paid out of the said Office by Virtue of several Acts of Assembly, for raising and transporting his Majesty's Forces (which is to be replaced by Ordinary Licenses and Fines) the Sum of 4071 l. 4 d. 1 q.

Your Committee have seen burnt to Ashes the following torn and defaced Bills of Old Money, which have been changed for new Bills of the Old Tenor; viz.

5 Bills of 20 s. Value each,	5 0 0
16 Ditto of 15 s. Ditto,	12 0 0
43 Ditto of 10 s. Ditto,	21 10 0
90 Ditto of 5 s. Ditto,	22 10 0
113 Ditto of 2 s. 6 d. Ditto,	14 2 6
256 Ditto of 1 s. 6 d. Ditto,	19 4 0
306 Ditto of 1 s. Ditto,	15 6 0

£. 109 12 6

And also the following torn and defaced Bills of new Money, distinguished by the Words *New Bill*; with new Bills of the same Tenor, dated April 6, 1751; viz.

3 Bills of 10 s. Value each,	1 10 0
2 Ditto of 5 s. Ditto,	0 10 0
7 Ditto of 2 s. 6 d. Ditto,	0 17 6
33 Ditto of 1 s. 6 d. Ditto,	2 9 6
56 Ditto of 1 s. Ditto,	2 16 0

£. 8 3 0

Your Committee find by the following Account, that there remains of the 59990 l. 10 s. therein mentioned, a Ballance of 4015 l. 6 s. yet in the Office, which the Commissioners say they have no Authority to apply to any Use.

<i>Paper Currency Office</i>		Dr.
October 1. 1748.	To Money brought in, distinguished by the Words <i>New Bill</i> , for sinking the Old Money, as per Account of Books Entered appears,	59990 10 0
1748, and 1749.	To Bills of Exchange drawn upon Messieurs William Hunt, Joseph Adams, and John Hanbury, Trustees in London, as per List of Bills appears; amounting to 20990 l. 14 s. which in Currency, at 33 1/3 per Cent. is	27987 12 0
		<u>£. 87978 2 0</u>
	<i>Per Contra,</i>	Cr.
1748, and 1749.	By Old Money brought in,	83962 16 0
	By Ballance remaining in the Office in New Money,	4015 6 0
		<u>£. 87978 2 0</u>

All which is submitted to the Consideration of both Houses of Assembly this 7th Day of June, 1751, by
 RICHARD LEE,
 THO. COLVILL,
 JOHN HENRY,
 A. BARNES,
 ZACH. BOND.

On reading the said Report, the same is referred for the Consideration of next Assembly.

Col. Hooper delivers to M. Speaker the following Report; viz.

By the Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice, June 7, 1751.

IN Pursuance of an Order of your Honourable House, your Committee have proceeded to make the necessary Enquiries agreeable to that Order; and do find, that the Attorneys do not annex Executions to their Lists of Fees put into the Sheriffs Hands to collect, as they are under Execution by Law: That the Clerks of the Provincial, and Anne Arundel County Courts, tax their Costs on all Judgments and Actions brought agreeable to Law; making the proper Deductions since the Inspecting Law took Place: Neither do we find their Entries or Oaths are lengthened, or more made than formerly, or any other Charge of Fees contrary to Law. But we are informed, that the Clerk of Dorchester County charges ten Pounds of Tobacco for making a Search, altho' the Thing searched for be not found; which we conceive is contrary to the apparent Intent of the Law.

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

Signed per Order, Wm. Wilkins, Clerk.

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

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