ty of Twenty Shillings Currency per Head on the same Ninety-one Convicts. And it also appears by the same List of Entries in said Port of Annapolis, that during the Course of last Year's Importation, and since the 29th April, 1756, sundry Persons paid to the said Naval-Officer of Port Annapolis, the Duty of Twenty Shillings per Head on Convicts, and Convicts to serve for Seven Years and upwards. And we submit it, whether the said Naval-Officers ought not to have collected the Duty of Twenty Shillings Currency per Head on the Convicts and Servants Imported as aforesaid.

Your Committee likewise observe, that no Account hath been rendered, or Money paid, by the Naval-

Officer of Patuxent, from the 14th Day of March, 1755, to the 29th Day of September thereafter.

All which is submitted to the Consideration of both Houses of Assembly.

N. B. No Money hath been paid into the Office by any Person, in Discharge of the Money said to be in the Hands of the Widow of William Rumsey, late of Cacil County, deceased, by the Report in October Session, 1756.

Benedict Calvert,
John Henry,
Michael Earle,
Josiah Beall,
John Bracco,
Robert Lloyd,
Alexander Williamson,
John Paca.

BENJAMIN BONNETT, of London, Notary-Public, by Royal Authority duly admitted and sworn, do hereby certify and attest unto all whom it may concern, That on the Day of the Date hereof, I went to the Transfer Office of Stock, of and in the Capital Stock of the Bank of England, and there applying to one of the Clerks belonging to that Office, he exhibited to me a Ledger marked (R) wherein, at Folio (701) I saw and read the Account of William Hunt and John Hanbury, both of London, Esquires, whereby they are Credned in their joint Names for Nineteen Thousand Five Hundred Pounds Stock, of and in the Capital Stock of the Bank of England aforesaid; which I attest for Truth, and have granted this Att thereof under my Notarial Seal in London, the Seventh Day of May, 1755.

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In Testimonium Veritatis,
BEN. BONNETT, Not. Pub. 1755.

At a COMMITTEE of both HOUSES of ASSEMBLY, appointed to Inspect the Office and Proceedings of the Commissioners for Emitting Bills of Credit, established by Act of Assembly, April 27th, 1757.

## WERE PRESENT,

The Honourable BENEDICT CALVERT, Esq; of the Upper House,

Col. John Henry,

Mr. MICHAEL EARLE,

Mr. Josiah Beall,

Mr. John Bracco,

Mr. ROBERT LLOYD,

Capt. ALEXANDER WILLIAMSON, and

Mr. John Paca,

of the Lower House

Who make Choice of and Appoint the Honourable Benedict Calvert, Esq; Chairman; and Richard Dorsey, their Clerk; and agree to make the following further Report.

OUR Committee find, That there remains of the 34015 1.6 s. struck and emitted by the Act for his Majesty's Service, passed in May Session, 1756, a Ballance in the Iron-Chest, No. 2, of 15389 1.1 s. 4 d. 3979 1.10 s. whereof is appropriated as a Reward for Scalps, and not yet applied; and the surther Sum of 939 1.14 s. remains to be drawn for by the Agents on the Act for his Majesty's Service past in October. 1756. We also find that there hath been paid into the Office, on the several Funds raised by the Forty Thousand Pound Act, towards Replacing the Sum of 5984 1.14 s. Borrowed of the Public by that Act, the Sum of 1493 1.2 s. 1½. as per the following Account; which leaves a Ballance still to be Replaced of 4491 1.11 s. 10½.

[April Session, 1757.]