

That the said Committee be ordered to consult there, with those other Committees, on the present Circumstances of the Colonies, and the Difficulties which they are, and must be reduced to, by the Operation of the Acts of Parliament, for levying Duties and Taxes on the Colonies, and to consider of a general, united, dutiful, loyal, and humble Representation of their Condition, to his Majesty and the Parliament, and to implore Relief.

That the Result of their Consultation, shall, at their Return, be immediately laid before the House, to be confirm'd or not, as the House may think proper.

And the said Report being delivered in at the Clerk's Table, and Read a second Time, the Question was severally put, That the House do agree to the First, Second, and Third Paragraphs of the said Report. It was Resolved in the Affirmative.

F R I D A Y, *August 2, 1765.*

Motion being made, RESOLVED, That this House will provide a Sum sufficient to defray the Charges and Expences of a Committee of Three Gentlemen, on Account of their going to, continuing at, and returning from, the Meeting of the several Committees proposed to assemble at *New-York*, on the First Tuesday in *October* next, to consult there with those other Committees, on the present Circumstances of the Colonies, and the Difficulties which they are, and must be reduced to, by the Operation of the Acts of Parliament, for levying Duties and Taxes on the Colonies, and to consider of a general, united, loyal, dutiful, and humble Representation of their Condition to his Majesty and the Parliament, and to implore Relief.

ORDERED, That the Public Treasurer do advance out of any Monies in his Hands, to the said Committee, a Sum not exceeding Six Hundred Pounds Sterling, for the Purposes aforesaid.

RESOLVED, That this House will reimburse the Treasurer the said Sum.

ORDERED, That the following Gentlemen be appointed a Committee, for the Purposes aforesaid, *viz.*

*Mr. Thomas Lynch, Mr. Christopher Gadsden, Mr. John Rutledge.*

T H U R S D A Y, *August 8, 1765.*

ORDERED, That the Speaker do inform *Thomas Lynch, Christopher Gadsden, and John Rutledge*, Esquires, that they are appointed a Committee, to meet the Committees of the several other Colonies on this Continent, on the first Tuesday in *October* next, at *New-York*, and that he do acquaint them, it is the desire of the House, that they repair to *New-York*, on the said First Tuesday in *October* next, for the Purposes mentioned in the Report of the Committee, as agreed to by this House, on Friday the 26th Day of *July* last.

ORDERED,