

U. H. J. thereunto belonging, Was read at the Board & ordered to be Endorsed will pass Nemine Contradicente

Again the af^d Bill was ordered a Second reading and being read & Endorsed, Read the second time & passed Was ordered to be carried to the House of Delegates by all the members of this Board

Charles Carrol Esq^r the Lord Proprietary's Agent Major Hicks & Benjamin Woodward by their Council appeared according to notice given them

But M^r John Brannock who said he was of Council for the said Woodward alledging that M^r Wornell Hunt the Person originally employed to Sollicit the Bill is gone to Philadelphia And that he is not prepared with Sufficient Council further time is given him till five of the Clock to morrow in the Evening at which time the said Bill is ordered to be read & all Party's to attend

The Board adjourned till nine of the Clock to morrow morning

Wednesday May the 4th 1715

The Honble his Majesty's Council in Assembly Sate. Present as Yesterday save M^r Philemon Lloyd

His Excell was pleased to communicate to the Board the 69th Article of his Instructions Viz

You are to take especial Care fitt Store Houses be Settled throughout this our Province for receiving and keeping the publick Arms & Ammunition and all other publick Stores

p. 27 Also the 67th Article of his Instructions in the following Tenour Viz.

You are to demand an Account from all persons concerned of the Arms & Ammunition and Stores sent to our said Province from the Office of Ordinance here as likewise what other Arms Ammunition & Stores have been bought with the publick mony for the Service of our said Province, and how the same have been employed, And whither any of them and how many of them have been sold, spent Lost, decayed, or disposed of, and to whom & to what uses, which account is to commence from the time that the last Account was delivered in to the late Governour of that Province and you are to transmitt the said Account to us And to our Comm^{rs} for Trade and Plantations as af^d

Whereupon It is ordered that the Colonels of the Militia in the several Countys forthwith enquire what publick Arms & Ammunition there is in their Several Countys, And what