him safe keep in close confinement for his contemptuous Language L.H.J. and indecent behaviour to the Lower House of Assembly in general, Lib. No. 45 and to one of the Honourable Members thereof in particular, untill he shall make a Submission agreable to this House.

An order was made out and delivered into the hands of the Serjeant at Arms.

The Report concerning the Justices of Dorchester County relating to the refusing an Imparlance being read, the Justices ordered to attend the House; The Justices attended accordingly. The Report was again read to Them, and on Examination it appears to this House, the said Justices have acted contrary to Law in refusing the Imparlance required.

Resolved that the Governor be addressed on this Occasion.

M^r Walter Smith from the Committee for Inspecting the Arms and Ammunition and Accounts relating thereto Delivers Mr Speaker the following Report.

By the Committee for inspecting the Arms and Ammunition and p. 777 Accounts relating thereto 23^d May 1738.

Your Committee having viewed and inspected the quality and quantity of the Arms and Ammunition of this Province now in the City of Annapolis do find the same as follows (sst)

In the Powder House

Fifty Seven half Barrels and four Ouarter Barrels of Powder In the Room over the Conference Chamber

Ninety Two old Musketts

Nine old Carabines

Forty new short Muskets and Forty Eight Belts to them.

Forty one Bayonets and a Quarter of a Barrell of Gunpowder.

We find the arms aforesaid are all cleaned and that the old Arms Ammunition and Accoutrements in the said Room are in quality and Quantity as last year. That the Arms in the Council Chamber likewise remain fixt as they were and are Generally cleaned and in good order.

Signed p Order John Gibson Clk Com.

The House adjourned untill 2 of the clock in the afternoon

The Governour by his Proclamation Prorogued this Assembly to the second Tuesday in July next.

Thus Endeth this Meeting in Assembly this Twenty Third day of May in the Eleventh Year of his Majesty's Reign and in the Twenty fourth of his Lordships dominion Annoq Domini 1738. M Macnemara Ct. lo. Ho.

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