

L. H. J.
Liber No. 46 M^r Speaker receives from his Excellency the Duke of Newcastle Letter mentioned in his Speech, which was read, and ordered to lie for the Perusal of the Members

The House adjourns til 2 of the Clock

Post Meridiam

The House met according to Adjournment. M^r Dennis appears in the House. The House resolves it self into A Committee of the whole House, and M^r Speaker leaves the Chair. M^r Speaker resumes the Chair and M^r George from the Committee of the whole House reports to the House the following resolution agreed upon by the said Committee, which were ordered to lie for a further Consideration Viz.

Resolved, That a Sum of Money not exceeding Four thousand five hundred Pounds be taken out of the Loan office for the Purposes following Viz.

Resolved, That fifteen hundred Pounds, part thereof, be applied as Bounty money for Three Hundred able bodied men who shall voluntarily enlist themselves in his Majesty's Service for the intended Expedition against Canada, at five pounds per man

p. 581 Resolved That three Thousand Pounds the Residue be applied to support and convey the said men till they arrive at Albany, or such other place of Rendezvous as shall by M^r Gooch, Lieutenant Governor of Virginia be appointed.

Resolved, That the said Sums, amounting in the whole to four Thousand five Hundred Pounds, be replaced in the Loan Office by an Ordinary License Bill to be prepared for that purpose, which Bill shall include this his Majesty's Service. The House adjourns 'til To-morrow Morning 9 of the Clock

June 19

Thursday Morning June 19. 1746.

The House met according to adjournment, and the Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

Capt. Ennalls appears in the House. Ordered that the Committee appointed to inspect the state and Condition of the Arms and Ammunition &c do enquire what Quantity of Arms and warlike Stores there is in the Province belonging to the Public, and that they immediately make report thereof to the House. M^r [Wilson] and M^r Nicholas Goldsborough added to the Committee of Aggrievances &c M^r Speaker Communicates to the House the Governors Answer to their Address on his speech which is as follows Viz.

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly

Your Address gives me much Satisfaction: I can make no doubt but that you will Act upon the present important Occasion as be-