

“ That many very confiderable Debts remain outstanding,
 “ and will be finally loft, if they are not immediately fecured.

“ That the Houfe moft humble request his Honor will pleafe
 “ to appoint one or more Members of the Houfe of Affembly on
 “ all Audits of the publick Accounts, in Conjunction with fuch
 “ Members of his Majefty’s Council as may be on fuch Service,
 “ and that no Accounts be allowed or paid before they have
 “ paffed fuch an Audit.

“ That the Houfe moft earnestly intreat his Honor will
 “ pleafe to caufe the Laws to be put into Execution, fo that
 “ the Revenue may be fully and equally collected, and that fuch
 “ Officers as may be found delinquent, be difplaced, and caufed
 “ to pay the juft Demands of Government.

“ That we are in a more particular manner obliged to prefs
 “ thefe Matters, as our Conftituents are unable to bear any
 “ new Tax, and that by fuch a Meafure we might loofe fome
 “ of the beft and moft valuable of our Settlers, already too few
 “ to fupport Government, unlefs fixed on the ftrictest Plan of
 “ œconomy.

“ And that this appears ftill more obvious, when we confider
 “ that his Majefty’s Quit-Rents are now demanded, and if our
 “ Solicitations for its Application to the ufe and Service of the
 “ Province fhould not fucceed, we have the greateft Reafon to
 “ fear the Burthen will be too great for the People to bear in
 “ their prefent Circumftances.

to be prefented by
 a Committee.

Ordered, That the faid Addrefs be prefented by a Commit-
 tee To-morrow Morning.

Then the Houfe adjourned till To-morrow Mor-
 ning 10 o’Clock.

Wednesday *July* 8th, 1772.

Report of the Com-
 mittee, who prelen-
 ted Addrefs to the
 Lieut. Governor.

The Committee appointed to prefent the Addrefs, *refolved*
 on Yefterday, to his Honor the Lieutenant Governor, *reported*,
 that they had prefented the fame accordingly, and that his Ho-
 nor had been pleafed to fay,

“ That he would take the fame into Confideration, and do all
 “ in his Power to remedy the ill Confequences attending the fe-
 “ veral matters therein fet-forth.

Upon a Motion that, whereas feveral of the Members of this
 Houfe do not attend their Duty at the Seflions of the General-
 Affembly,