

L. H. J.  
Liber No. 47  
December 14

To The Right Honourable Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore in the Kingdom of Ireland

The Humble Address of the Delegates of the Province of Maryland.

We his Majestys most Dutifull and Loyal Subjects the Delegates of the Freemen of your Province of Maryland in Assembly convened beg leave to Embrace this opportunity of Condoling your Lordship on the Death of your noble Father our late Lord Proprietor, and at the same time to Congratulate your Lordship in your succeeding to the Proprietorship of this Province since under your Lordship We hope to Enjoy all the Blessings arising from a Wise and Prudent Administration We return your Lordship our Sincere Thanks for your Continuing his Excellency Samuel Ogle Esq<sup>r</sup> in this Government as from his good Inclinations towards us we have the greatest reasons to Expect a Mild and Just Execution of the Power of that Station

Which was read approved and ordered to be Ingrossed.

On motion that an Address be prepared to his Excellency the Governor, requesting him to transmit to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary the Address of this House; Ordered, That the Committee of Laws do prepare and bring in the same.

Richard Lee, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the following Message; viz. (See page 646)

Mr. Tilghman, from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker an Ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act for the dividing of certain Warehouses in Talbot County, therein named; which was read and assented to, and sent to the Upper House, with the Paper Bill thereof, by Mr. Charles Goldsborough and Mr. Tilghman.

Ordered, That Col. Harrison and Mr. George do acquaint his Excellency that this House hath prepared an Address to him, and desires to know when and where he will be pleased to receive it: They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, that the Governor was pleased to signify that he was ready to receive the Address immediately in the Conference Chamber.

Ordered, That Mr. James John Mackall, with three more, do present the Address to his Excellency.

The following Message;

By the Lower House of Assembly, December 14, 1751.

[This message does not appear in U. H. J.]

May it please your Honours,  
This House having considered your Message of the 12th Instant, in Relation to the House designed for a Governor, have Resolved not to intermeddle therewith, or interfere in any Thing relating thereto at present. We apprehend the Loss cannot be retrieved, nor the Public benefitted, by being at any further Expence about it.

Signed per Order, M. Macnemara, Cl. Lo. Ho.