

may not be ill resented in us; for we are and always shall be ready to do any thing we can for the service of our Gods, King and Country, according to the best of our judgment and reason. and to shew our readiness to contribute to the utmost of our ability's to the service of Gods in building a Church and Free Schole at Annapolis.

We have proposed and Resolved that out of the Revenue raised for defraying the Charge of this Province by the 5th Act one year Revenue thereof be appropriated towards building the Church at Annapolis and that out of the 300th Sterl. to be returned to this Province by His Excellency, Gen^l Edm^d Andros after the 50th deducted for Sr^t Thomas Laurence, His Gallant as President &c. - 50th more to the S^r J^r Tho^s Laurence if the Church, Schole law and Coyne pass His Majesty's Royall Assent, The other 200th we are desirous it should be appropriated to the Free Schole at Annapolis, but in Case the said act of Religion Schole and Coyne do not pass - We are desirous that, that 50th also be appropriated to the use of the Free Schole to which we humbly pray His Excellency & Council's Concurrence.

We also humbly pray the hon^{ble} Council will with us interceed to His Excellency to joine with us in an Address to His Majesty for Reliefe of severall of His Majesty's loving Subjects in this Province under penall Navigation Bonds which we humbly hope for by what His Excellency was pleased to say to us at the beginning of this Sessions of Assembly.

Signed by Order W. Bladen Clk. Assembly

Sent for Major Dent, with severall other papers and Bills.

House Adjourned for an Hour.

Post Meridiem - House Meets

Message from His Majesty's hon^{ble} Council by the hon^{ble} Col^l Nicholas Greenberg, and James Frisby Esquire who bring down the Bills this day sent up.

By His Excellency the Gov^r and Council Sep^r 30th 1090.

The Message by Major Dent was received and here reads, and it is remarked that the House thinks that the proposall made for imposing another 3^d on the M^d was for a pious use, viz^t for building a Church at Annapolis for ye Use of the whole Country in Assembly and Provinciall Courts and other publique Meetings. His Excellency is pleased to signifye that he is not dogmaticall as to imagine His own opinion therein to be infallible or endued with the Eloquence enough to persuade the House ag^t their own Inclinations or to force peoples Conscience, Yet His Excellency is pleased together with His Majesty's hon^{ble} Council to assent to what the House has proposed thereabout, though they have given no Reason ag^t His Excellency's proposall.

As to the latter parte of the Message about interceeding with His Excellency to joine in an address to His Majesty for Reliefe of severall of His Majesty's