

Mr. *Murdock* brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the Address to his Excellency Ingrossed; which was Read and Assented to, and Signed, by Order of the House, by the Honourable Speaker.

Ordered, That Mr. *Lloyd* and Mr. *Gantt* do acquaint his Excellency, That this House hath prepared an Address, to be presented to him, and desires to know when and where he will please to receive it. They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, That the Governor signified he would receive the Address in a Quarter of an Hour in the Council Chamber.

Ordered, That Mr. *Murdock*, with Five more, do present the Address to the Governor.

Mr. *Govane* and Mr. *Matthew Tilghman*, on their Application to the House, have Leave of Absence until Monday next.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment.

The House adjourns till Monday Morning at IX of the Clock.

M O N D A Y, September 29, 1760.

THE House met according to Adjournment. The Members were called, and all appeared as on Saturday, except Major *Hynson*, Mr. *Lloyd*, and Mr. *Matthew Tilghman*. The Proceedings were Read.

Mr. *Wilson*, Mr. *Waters*, and Mr. *Gibson*, appeared in the House.

His Excellency the Governor communicated to Mr. Speaker, the following Message, *viz.*

G E N T L E M E N of the Lower House of A S S E M B L Y,

BE pleased to accept my Acknowledgments for the Hopes your Address gives me, that you will cheerfully embrace this Opportunity of promoting the Service of our most Gracious Sovereign, by contributing to the Preservation of his Majesty's Rights on Lake *Erie*, and the *Ohio*, and to the future Security of these his Dominions. Such a Proceeding will shew that your Professions of Duty and Loyalty are unfeigned, and as his Majesty's Ministers and Generals will be thereby inclined to entertain a favourable Opinion of your Constituents, I flatter myself, that your Compliance with General *MONCKTON*'s Requisition will meet with their Approbation.

H O R °. S H A R P E.

Which Message was Read.

His Excellency the Governor communicated to Mr. Speaker, the following Message, *viz.*

G E N T L E M E N of the Lower House of A S S E M B L Y,

HAVING since you adjourned last Saturday, had the Satisfaction to receive a Letter from General *AMHERST*, dated at *Montreal* the 9th Instant, wherein his Excellency hath been pleased to give me an Account of the Motions of the King's Forces under his Command since the 26th of *August*, and to inform me, that, in Consequence thereof, the whole Country of *Canada* was yielded to the Dominion of his Majesty, our most Gracious Sovereign, on the 8th of this Month, it is with the highest Satisfaction I now communicate to you this Intelligence; and being assured that your Joy thereat will not be exceeded by the Joy of any of his Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects on this Occasion, I most sincerely congratulate you on so interesting and happy an Event.

The 29th of September, 1760.

H O R °. S H A R P E.

Which was Read, and Ordered to lie on the Table.

The House adjourns till II of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem. The House met according to Adjournment.

Col. *Tilghman* brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, a Bill, entituled, *An Act for Easing the Inhabitants of this Province, from the great and unequal Burthen of the additional Land-Tax*; which was Read the first and second Time by an especial Order, and will Pass; and was sent to the Upper House by Col. *Tilghman* and Mr. *Charles Goldsborough*.

The House adjourns till the Morrow Morning at IX of the Clock.

T U E S D A Y, September 30, 1760.

THE House met according to Adjournment. All the Members appeared as Yesterday. The Proceedings were Read.

On Reading the second Time his Excellency's Message of Yesterday, relative to the Success of his Majesty's Arms in *Canada*;

Ordered,