## L. H. J. May it please your Excellency

Since We acquainted your Excellency by two Members of our House this Morning that an Address was prepared to be presented to your Excellency the Bill for Encouragement of his Majestys Levies hath been sent to us passed by the Upper House, whereby the Cause for that Address is in some measure removed

We therefore desire to be excused from presenting the said Address

The Address to his Excellency being Ingrossed, and Signed by the honourable Speaker on behalf and by Order of the House, Colo King and Colo Hanson were Ordered to Present it

M<sup>r</sup> Speaker communicated to the House his Excellencys Answer to the Address Presented by Col<sup>o</sup> King and Col<sup>o</sup> Hanson viz.

## Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly.

Since I understand by your Address just now delivered to me by Col<sup>o</sup> King, that the other Address you intended to have presented was in Relation to the Bill for encouragement of his Majestys Levies, I have only to assure you, that I have no less Zeal for his Majestys Service than the two Houses, and am very willing to pass the said Bill as soon as it can be got ready for that Purpose

Sam Ogle

The Question was put, Whether the Bill for Arms &ca shall be read a second Time, before the Upper House sends down the Reviving and Re-enacting Bills now before them, with their usual Duration, or not.

Resolved in the Negative

## For the Negative

Mr Waughop,	Mr Courts,	M <sup>r</sup> Sheredine
Read,	King,	Mathews
Swann,	Stoughton	Caswell
Wilson,	Goldsborough	Edw <sup>d</sup> Sprigg
Calder,	Edward Lloyd	Wootton
Carroll,	Robert Lloyd	Osborn Sprigg
Denton,	Thomas	Magruder
Henry Hall,	Ennalls	Pemberton
Smith,	Brannock	R. N. Wright
Weems,	Colvill	
Joseph Hall,	Rumsey	
Brome,	Pearce	