

L. H. J. within this Province and drawn together by any Officer or Officers thereto duly Authorized by Commission from his Majesty and as no Commissions have as Yet come to my hands in Order that such Officers may be Authorized as the Act mentions and as several Persons who have entered themselves as Soldiers are now in Town and others daily expected and applications have been made to me that they may be subsisted and maintained I hope that if such Soldiers by the Words of the one Law cannot be maintained or by the Words of the other have the Benefit of the Bounty that You will bring in a Bill to remove any such doubts which may otherwise discourage Men from Inlisting and impede his Majestys Service Sam: Ogle

Ordered that An Address to his Excellency be prepared in Answer to his Message

An Address to his Excellency was brought in Read and Approved and Ordered to be Ingrossed (See page 91)

The Address to his Excellency was brought in Ingrossed and was Signed by Order and on Behalf of the House by the Honourable Speaker

Col^o King and Col^o Colvil Ordered to acquaint his Excellency this House hath prepared An Address to him and desires to know when and where he will receive it

They return and acquaint M^r Speaker the Governor will be ready to receive it in the Conference Chamber immediately

The Address sent to his Excellency by Col^o King and five more

Edmund Jenings and James Holliday Esq^r from the Upper House acquaint M^r Speaker the Governor requires the Attendance of the Lower House immediately

M^r Speaker with the rest of the Members of the Lower House sent to the Upper House where his Excellency Passed the several following Ingrossed Bills, Assented to by both Houses into Laws By affixing severally to them the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary his Greater Seal at Arms and Indorsing them thus on Behalf of the Lord Proprietary I will this be a Law (for the list of these laws see page 78)

After which his Excellency made A Speech to both Houses of Assembly A Copy of which was not delivered to M^r Speaker

M^r Speaker and the rest of the Members returned into the Lower House M^r Speaker Re-assumed the Chair and acquainted the House that the Governor had by Advice of his Lordships Council of State Prorogued this Assembly to the second Tuesday in November next

So Endeth this second Session of Assembly this twenty ninth day of July In the twenty sixth Year of the Dominion of Charles Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore and in the Year of Our Lord God 1740

Test M Macnemara Cl. lo. ho :