L.H.J. Houses, and with great Industry propagate their Doctrine, will, if Liber No. 47 not timely prevented, endanger the fundamental Constitution of our p. 174 Church, as well as the Peace of this Government.

Inasmuch as by the Laws of this Province very good Provision is made for faithful and able Ministers, labouring in the Work of the Gospel, to come, reside, and teach amongst us: And as his Majesty's Protestant Subjects here have been at great Expence in erecting Churches and Chapels, for public Worship and Service of Almighty God; in order therefore that the People may be the better instructed, comforted, and edified, we humbly pray that your Excellency will induct into Church Livings none but Ministers of Orthodox Faith, and such as are well learned and of exemplary good Lives; who, as well by their Teaching as Example, may answer the great and desirable End of our holy Religion.

We further humbly pray, that your Excellency will put into all Places of Trust and Profit none but faithful Protestant Subjects, known as such by their Religious and Civil Principles.

The great Confidence we have in your Excellency's Good Will for his Majesty's faithful Subjects within this Province, leaves no Room to doubt, but that you will take due Care that the Laws may be duly executed for their Safety, Protection, and Encouragement, as well as for the Preservation of this his Majesty's Dominion.

The Question was put, Whether the said Address be approved; or Not? Resolved in the Affirmative.

For the Affirmative.

M ^r Carroll	M ^r Waggaman	Mr Matthews
Bordley	N. Goldsborough	Addison
J. J. Mackall	J. Goldsborough	Murdock
Heighe	Lloyd	Hopper
B. Mackall	Oldham	Davis
Reynolds	Hooper	Tillotson
Smallwood	Travers	Robins
Stoddert	Hyland	Selby
Lee	W. Smith	Crabb
Wilson	Franklin	

For the Negative.

Mr Bond	M ^r R. J. Henry	M ^r Gordon
Mills	Sulivane	Dulany
Barnes	Lecompte	J. Henry
Key	Colvill	Chaplain
N. Smith	Baker	Prather
Worthington	Wootton	
King	Sprigg	