

L. H. J. Answer to the Message of this Day from the Upper House, by John  
 Liber No. 54 Beale Bordley, Esq; the following Questions, among other Matters,  
 Nov. 16 be inserted in such Message? "Do your Honours esteem the several  
 Charges of fees by the Commissary General, upon Administrations  
 granted by his Deputies, and for which they are paid, an Abuse of  
 the old Regulation? Do your Honours esteem the Charge for record-  
 ing Papers by the Secretary and County Clerks, in Actions discon-  
 tinued, abated, struck off, or agreed, when they are not or need not  
 be recorded, an Abuse? Do your Honours esteem the Charge of  
 300lb of Tobacco, by Surveys, for laying down adjacent Tracts,  
 merely to find out and correct the Errors of an original Survey, an  
 Abuse? Do your Honours esteem the Charge of 300lb of Tobacco  
 as a Resurvey, by a Surveyor for surveying or laying down a Tract  
 or Tracts of Land, on a Warrant of Survey from the Provincial  
 Court, an Abuse? And also the like Charge of 300lb of Tobacco,  
 for any Tract laid down only for Illustration, an Abuse? Do your  
 Honours esteem the Charge by the Examiner General, on every Plot  
 laid down for Illustration, and on every separate Piece of Vacancy  
 added, as on separate or distinct Tracts, an Abuse? Do your Honours  
 esteem a Charge for a Service never performed, an Abuse?" Res-  
 solved in the Affirmative

## For the Affirmative

Mess. <sup>rs</sup>	{	Ringgold,	Tilghman,	W. Paca,	
		Chase,	Deye,	Wright,	
		Worthington,	J. Paca,	Dashiell,	
		Johnson,	Aq. Hall,	Lockett,	
		Griffith,	Beall,	Heugh,	
		Smallwood,	Tyler,	Wootton.	
		Ware,	Contee,		[22]
		Harrison,	J. Hall,		

## For the Negative

Mess. <sup>rs</sup>	{	Key,	Grahame,	Ward,	
		W. Thomas,	Adams,	Hollyday,	
		Eden,	Dickinson,	Hopper,	
		Buchanan,	N. Thomas,	Allen,	
		Bordley,	Steele,	Purnell.	
		Mackall,	Veazy,		[19]
		Gantt,	Baxter,		

Ordered, That M.<sup>r</sup> Johnson, M.<sup>r</sup> Chase, M.<sup>r</sup> Tilghman, M.<sup>r</sup> J. Hall, M.<sup>r</sup> W. Paca and M.<sup>r</sup> Ringgold, do prepare and bring in a Message, in Answer to the Message of the Upper House of this Day, by John Beale Bordley, Esq:

The House adjourns till To-Morrow Morning 8 O'Clock