

To His Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, Esq.  
Governor and Commander in Chief in and over  
the Province of MARYLAND:

The humble ADDRESS of the UPPER  
HOUSE of ASSEMBLY.

May it please your Excellency,

WE beg Leave to return your Excellency our  
sincere Thanks for your Speech at the  
opening of this Session; and to express our Gra-  
titude to that Almighty Being, who has so conspicu-  
ously Conducted the Fleets and Armies of our  
most gracious Sovereign, to the many, great, and  
signal Successes obtained through the course of the  
last Year.

These we hope may be considered as an impor-  
tant Step towards inclining the French King, to  
listen to, and accept of Peace, upon such Terms  
as may be Consistent with the Honour of our most  
gracious Sovereign, and the Interest, Security, and  
Happiness of all his Subjects.

But for the Accomplishment of this great and  
salutary Purpose, his Majesty being still obliged to  
keep his Sword unheathed, and having called up-  
on us, amongst his other faithful and brave Subjects  
on this Continent, at this juncture, cheerfully to  
co-operate with, and second to the utmost, the  
extraordinary Succours supplied by our Mother  
Country for our Preservation and future Security,  
we beg leave to assure your Excellency, that we  
shall, with all imaginable Chearfulness and Dil-  
patch, do every thing in our Power, to answer his  
Royal Expectations.

And we are willing to hope, that while the  
neighbouring Colonies are affording the strongest  
Proofs of their Loyalty and Affection to the Beit  
of Kings, by their ready Compliance with his just  
and reasonable Demands, and of their Prudence  
in taking Care of their own immediate Security,  
by exerting their most vigorous Efforts in his Ser-  
vice; we of this Province shall not again be the  
single Instance in this part of his Majesty's Do-  
minions, of an ungrateful Non-compliance with  
those Demands, so necessarily tending to the Main-  
tenance of his Majesty's Honour, and the Security  
and Happiness of his Dominions in general, and  
of this Province in particular.

May the Rock whereon we have heretofore Split,  
at this Time be cautiously avoided, that so the  
Conclusion of this Session may efface the Remem-  
brance of all past Failures; and the People of this  
Province be restored to their former Rank amongst  
his Majesty's most dutiful and affectionate Subjects.

B. TASKER, President.

March 25, 1760.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Upper House of Assembly,

I RETURN you Thanks for your Address, and  
the Assurance you are pleased to give me, that  
you will, with all imaginable Chearfulness and Dil-  
patch, do every Thing in your Power to answer the  
Expectations of our most gracious Sovereign.

HOR. SHARPE.

To His Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, Esq.  
Governor and Commander in Chief in and over  
the Province of MARYLAND:

The humble ADDRESS of the HOUSE  
of DELEGATES.

May it please your Excellency,

WE, his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal  
Subjects, the Delegates of the Freemen of  
Maryland, in Assembly convened, return your Ex-  
cellency our Thanks for your Speech at the Open-  
ing of this Session.

With the greatest Pleasure we embrace the Op-  
portunity you have now afforded us, of Congratu-  
lating you on the many and extraordinary Successes,  
which, by the Favour of Divine Providence, have  
attended his Majesty's Fleets and Armies, through-  
out the Course of the last Year, in whatever Part  
of the World employed; and which, it might rea-  
sonably be hoped, would have inclined his Maje-  
sty's Enemies to Peace, upon Terms consistent  
with the Honour and Dignity of his Crown, and  
securative of the Interests of all his Subjects: But  
as that great and desirable End has not been obtain-  
ed, and the French King, infligated by his bound-  
less Ambition, seems determined by fresh and vi-  
gorous Efforts, to prosecute his hostile Views; we  
cannot but gratefully acknowledge the vigilant  
Care of our most gracious Sovereign, in command-  
ing General Amherst to proceed in the Reduction of  
Canada; in Order, as well to render the Designs  
of his Enemies abortive, as to improve the great  
and

and important Advantages gained the last Cam-  
paign in North-America.

The Letters your Excellency has been pleased to  
lay before us, shall immediately be taken into  
Consideration; and we hope our Proceedings there-  
upon will shew, as we flatter ourselves our Pro-  
ceedings always have done, that whatever Censure  
upon the Behaviour of this Province, the unhappy  
Issue of the late Sessions may have given Room for,  
it was not in the least owing to any Want in Us, of  
Loyalty, Affection, or Gratitude to our most gra-  
cious Sovereign, the best of Kings.

We observe your Excellency's pathetic and par-  
ticular Admonition to us, to avoid, with Caution,  
the Rock on which we have heretofore split; and  
as you have thought proper to communicate to us  
the Opinion of his Majesty's Attorney-General,  
(tho' given, as we presume, only as private Coun-  
sel to the Lord Proprietary), relative to the two  
Bills offered by us to the Upper House, for raising  
Supplies, being desirous to pay it all due Regard,  
we cannot but wish that Opinion had been accom-  
panied with the State of the Case upon which it  
was founded; especially as we are not at present  
convinced, that the Gentlemen of the Upper House  
could not have Assented to those Bills without a  
Breach of their Duty, and a Violation of our Con-  
stitution: And we hope, the Bill we shall now  
Frame for raising Supplies for his Majesty's Service,  
will be consistent with the Liberties and Privileges  
of British Subjects, and justifiable upon the Prin-  
ciples of our Constitution, and consequently dem-  
onstrate, that the Representatives of his Majesty's  
faithful and loyal Subjects of this Province, "are  
animated with the same laudable Spirit, which  
hath, since the Beginning of this War, so remark-  
ably excited their Fellow-Subjects to exert their  
most vigorous Efforts."

H. HOOPER, Speaker.

March 25, 1760.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,

I THANK you for your Promise to take the  
Letters, which I laid before you at the Opening  
of this Session, into immediate Consideration; and as  
you say you are desirous to pay all due Regard to the  
Opinion of his Majesty's Attorney-General (given on  
the Supply-Bill that was about two Years ago re-  
jected by the Upper House, and on what passed between  
the two Houses thereupon), I flatter myself that your  
Proceedings at this Time, will be such as may meet  
with the Approbation of our most gracious Sovereign,  
as well as of your Constituents.

HOR. SHARPE.

Last Monday came to Town, from the North-  
ward, the Honourable Col. WILLIAM HOWE,  
of the LVIIIth Regiment (Member of the British  
Parliament for Nottingham) on a Visit to his Ex-  
cellency our Governor.

After the most strict and diligent search and enquiry,  
throughout all this Town, we cannot find, that the  
SMALL-POX is any where in it, except in one Family,  
near Severn, at a Distance from Neighbours; nor has it  
been in any Part of the Town, that Family only excepted,  
since last Fall. There is little or no Danger of its  
Spreading in Town, (except it should be by Inoculation)  
for almost all the Inhabitants have had that Distemper.

JUST IMPORTED in the PHOENIX,  
Captain Mc GACHIN, from LONDON,  
and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store at  
George-Town, at Rock-Creek, the Head of Po-  
towmack,

TWO Hundred Pieces of English Sail Cloth  
sorted, Numb. 1. to Numb. 8; Grapnels  
and Anchors from Half a Hundred to 500 Wt.  
sorted; Brags and Wood Compasses; Bunting;  
Log Lines; Sand Glasses; hand Pumps; Scupper,  
and Pump Nails; hand Leads and Lines; Trum-  
pets; Oakum; Pump Leather; Sail, and Bolt Rope,  
Twine; Houline and Marline; Hambro', and  
deep Sea Lines; some Cordage; sheathing Paper;  
Flock Beds; Sailor's ready made Cloaths; and  
other Ship Chandlery.

LIKEWISE, Variety of European and India  
Goods, Rum, Sugar, &c. very Cheap, for Ready  
Money, or short Credit, Bills, Tobacco, Wheat,  
Corn, &c.

STEPHEN WEST.

N. B. George-Town is very conveniently situa-  
ted for either Virginia or Maryland; a good Landing  
Navigable for Vessels of any Burthen. I expect eve-  
ry Day a large parcel of Rum, Sugar, Mellasses, Caf-  
fee, Cotton, Chocolate, Wine, &c. and shall be con-  
stantly supplied with these Commodities.

By PERMISSION of his EXCELLENCY,

This present Evening,

At the THEATRE in this City, will be presented,

a TRAGEDY, (written by Dr. YOUNG, Author  
of the NIGHT THOUGHTS). call'd, The

R E V E N G E. X

And a FARCE (by Command) call'd,

T H E L Y I N G V A L E T.

A N D,

On Saturday Evening next, being the 29th Instant,

will be presented, a COMEDY, call'd,

A B O L D S T R O K E F O R A W I F E.

Sir Philip Modelove, Mr. MURRAY: Periwinkle,  
Mr. PALMER: Tradelove, Mr. MORRIS:  
Obadiah Prim, Mr. SCOTT: Colonel Fainwell,  
Mr. DOUGLASS: Freeman, Mr. HALLAM:  
Sackbut, Mr. SCOTT: Quaking Boy, Mr. A.  
HALLAM.

Mrs. Lovely, Mrs. DOUGLASS: Mrs. Prim, Mrs.  
MORRIS: Betty, Mrs. DOWTHAITT: Mask'd  
Lady, Miss DOWTHAITT.

To which will be added, a Pastoral FARCE, call'd,  
D A M O N A N D P H I L I D A;  
Being the last Time of Acting 'til the Easter  
Holidays.

No Money will be received at the Door on any  
Account; nor any Persons admitted without  
TICKETS, which may be had at the PRINTING  
OFFICE, and at the Bar of Mr. Middleton's Tavern.

BOXES 10s. PIT 7/6. GALLERY 5s.

No Person to be admitted behind the Scenes.

To begin exactly at VI o'Clock.

March 26, 1760.

RAN away last Night from the Baltimore  
Iron-Works, on Patapsco in Maryland, two  
Convict Servant Men, viz.

Thomas Wanscock, a thin faced Englishman, about  
30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high,  
dark Complexion, short brown Hair, stoops in his  
Walk, and snuffles in his Speech. Had on when  
he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oz-  
nabrig Shirt, Country Shoes nailed round the Sole,  
Yarn Stockings, a knit Yarn Cap, and old Hat.

Lawrence Farrole, an Irishman, a lusty, well-set  
Fellow, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches  
high, black Hair, has a long sharp Nose, and lub-  
berly Walk. Had on when he went away, a Cot-  
ton Jacket and Breeches, Oznabrig Shirt, speckled  
Yarn Stockings, Country Shoes, and Felt Hat.

Whoever secures the said Servants, so that they  
may be had again, shall have, if taken in Baltimore  
County, Forty Shillings for each; if in any other  
County of the Province, Fifty Shillings; and if  
out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward for each  
or either of them; and reasonable Charges if  
brought home.

R. CROXALL.

N. B. They may steal other Cloaths, and  
change their Names.

THERE is in the Possession of William Green,  
at the Plantation of Samuel Meek, at the  
Head of Severn, a very small dark Bay Mare, a-  
bout 3 Years old, has no Brand that can be per-  
ceiv'd, a white Face, and one white hind Foot.

The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges. 1/2 5/9

THERE is at the Plantation of Samuel Naylor,  
near the Woodyard, in Prince-George's Coun-  
ty, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare about 13  
Hands high, has four white Feet with black Hairs  
above her Foot-locks, has a Star in her Forehead, a  
Snip on her Nose, several Saddle Spots, branded  
on the near Thigh something like C. 1/2 5/9

The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges. X

THERE is at the Plantation of Charles Cheney,  
at Antistam, in Frederick County, taken up  
as a Stray, a Chestnut Sorrel Mare, branded with  
TH (join'd in one) on the near Thigh, a small  
Star in her Forehead, a Saddle Spot on her Back;  
and has a last Spring's Sorrel Colt with her. X

The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges. 1/2 5/9

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Clark,  
on Captain-John's Run, in Frederick County,  
taken up as a Stray, a black Mare with a Star in  
her Forehead, about 13 Hands high, has 3 white  
Spots over her near Eye, and is branded with S D  
on the near Buttock.

The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges. 1/2 5/9

THERE is at the Plantation of Benjamin Biggs  
at Mancoaly, near Tom's-Creek in Frederick  
County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dark Bay  
Mare, branded on the near Buttock and Shoulder  
with R, and has some white Hairs on each Flank.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges. 1/2 5/9

THERE is at the Plantation of Cha. Cheney, junr.  
at Antistam, in Frederick County, taken up  
as a Stray, a black Horse branded on the left But-  
tock C, and has a few white Hairs in his Forehead.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges. 1/2 5/9

THERE is in the Possession of Andrew Mac-  
guyer, living on the Bear-Branch, a draught  
of Great Pipe Creek, taken up as a Stray, a black  
Mare with a grey Tail, branded on the near But-  
tock with something like QE join'd back to back  
and E join'd at the Bottom.

The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Bal-  
timore-Town, a Convict Servant Lad named  
Hugh Pugh, about 19 or 20 Years of Age, of a  
middling Stature, fair Complexion, mark'd with  
the Small-Pox, and stoops in his Walking. Had  
on when he went away, a Felt Hat and Linen  
Cap, a Coat, Jacket and Breeches of green Half-  
thick, an Oznabrig Shirt, coarse Stockings and  
Shoes, and a pair of Steel Buckles.

Whoever apprehends said Servant, and brings  
him home, shall have (if taken within 20 Miles of  
home) Thirty Shillings; if further, Forty Shillings,  
Reward.

JOHN ORRICK.

Upper-Marlborough, March 18, 1760.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscribers, in  
Account of above one Year's standing, are  
desired to make immediate Payment, or they may  
expect to be sued without further Notice.

ALEXANDER and ANDREW SYMMER.

March 20, 1760.

ANY Person qualified to take the Command  
of a small Sea Sloop, bound for New-York,  
and can come well recommended, may meet with  
Employment, by applying to the Subscriber now  
at Annapolis.

JOHN HANSON, junior.

STRAYED away from the Subscriber, at Major  
Thomas Harwood's, in Prince-George's County,  
near Queen-Anne, on the 15th of February past, a  
Roanish colour'd Horse, about 14 Hands high,  
has a white Mane and Tail, and has a small Brand  
B on the near Buttock.

Whoever takes up the said Horse, and brings  
him to the Subscriber, living near the Rev. Mr.  
Brogden's Chapel, shall have Twenty Shillings Re-  
ward if taken within 20 Miles of his Plantation,  
or a Pistole if taken at a further Distance.

SAMUEL TYLER, junr.

THERE is in the Possession of Ignatius Lucas,  
living on Mr. Carroll's Manor in Anne-Arun-  
del County, taken up as a Stray, a dark Bay Gel-  
ding, about 12 1/2 Hands high, branded on the near  
Shoulder H, has some Saddle Spots on the near  
Side, trots and gallops, and the Mane hangs on  
the near Side.

The Owner may have him again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

THE PATENT of a Tract of Land called  
The Diamond, granted to Thomas Roper, in  
the Year 1703, for 400 Acres of Land lying in  
Prince-George's County, has passed through several  
Hands and cannot be found, and by a diligent  
Search the Patent appears to be cut out of the Re-  
cord. It was delivered to one George Buchannan,  
and cannot be heard of since.

Whosoever will deliver the said Patent to the  
Subscriber, or give him Notice, so that he may  
have it, shall receive a Pistole Reward; and for  
the Certificate of the said Land from the Record,  
Half a Pistole Reward, paid by

SAMUEL TAWNEHILL.

THERE is at the Plantation of Christian Miller,  
in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a  
Bay Mare about 14 Hands high, has a Star in her  
Forehead, Paces, and has no perceivable Brand;  
had on an old broken Bell, with a Leather Collar  
and double Buckle.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges.