

Mr. Speaker communicates to this House His Honour the Governour's Answer to the Address of this House, of Yesterday, viz.

Mr. Speaker,

**P**LEASE to return my hearty Thanks to your House, for their kind Ad- drels to me, and assure them I have no greater Pleasure than in laying hold of all Op- portunities to do the Country Service.

I am your Humble Servant,

October 9, 1725.

Charles Calvert.

To the Honourable Robert Ungle, Esq; Speaker of the Lower Houle of Assembly.

The Resolves of the Lower House of Assembly, made the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of October, Anno Dom. 1722, were Read and unanimously approved of.

**T**HE Petition and Representation of the Inhabitants of Talbot County, Praying, that Two Delegates only, instead of the Four, for the several Counties, may be Elected, was Read and rejected, *Nemine contradicente*.

The following Message is prepared, viz.

By the Lower House of Assembly, October 22, 1725.

May it please your Honours,

**T**HIS House taking Notice, that it does not any ways appear to them whether your Honours have Assented to the ingross Bill, to prevent several Irregularities complain'd of, by the People called *Quakers*, nor to the ingross Bill to confirm an Estate in Fee Simple, to such Persons as already have, or hereafter shall purchase any of the Lands lying in the *New-Town, &c.* and to the Supplementry ingross Bill to the Act empowering Trustees to Sell the Lands late of *William Harris*, of *Calvert County*, Deceased &c. or not, We therefore desire that your Honours wou'd be pleas'd to send Us down those ingross Bills, that your Honours Assent may appear to this House in the same Manner our Assent appears to your Honours, according to the ancient Practice of the Legislature of this Province. which has never been interrupted till very lately, and which is the most Parliamentary Course, by which the Priviledge of this House is best secured, We pray may be restored.

Sign'd per Order, M. J. Cl. Lo. Ho.

Which was sent to the Upper House by Capt. *Rider*, and Mr. *Goldsborough*. They return, and say they deliver'd it.

*John Hall*, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers Mr. Speaker the following Message, viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly, October 22, 1725.

Gentlemen,

**I**N Answer to your Message by Mr. *Rider* and Mr. *Goldsborough*, we do acquaint you, that the Three ingross'd Bills in that Message mentioned, are assented to by this House, which (we hope) will be sufficient for your Satisfaction;