

Monday Morning, May 14, 1744.

THE House met according to Adjournment, &c.

All Members appeared as on Saturday; except Mr. Philip Hammond, and Mr. Lloyd.

Mr. Osborn Sprigg appeared this Day.

Mr. Calder brings in an Address to the Governor, Ingrossed.

The Question was put, whether the Ingrossed Address be Assented to, or not? Resolved in the Affirmative.

For the Affirmative,

Mr. Waughop,
Mr. Swann,
Capt. Chesley,
Mr. Wilson,
Mr. Calder,
Dr. Carroll,
Maj. Hall,
Mr. Worthington,
Mr. Smallwood,
Capt. Harrison,

Mr. W. Wilkinson.
Col. King,
Mr. Stoughton,
Col. Gale,
Mr. Lecompte,
Col. Colvill,
Mr. Pearce,
Capt. Hyland,
Mr. Magruder,

Mr. Wootton,
Mr. O. Sprigg,
Capt. Gordon,
Mr. Pemberton,
Capt. Wright.
Mr. T. Hammond.
Capt. Purnell,
Capt. Robins,
Capt. Selby.

For the Negative,

Mr. Smith,
Mr. Weems,
Mr. Brome.

Mr. N. Goldsborough,
Major Trippe,
Capt. Ennalls,

Capt. Hindman,
Col. Tasker,
Col. Henry.

The Address was as followeth; viz.

To his Excellency THOMAS BLADEN, Esq; Governor of Maryland:

The humble ADDRESS of the HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

May it please your Excellency,

WE having taken into Consideration the Affair of the Land, whereon the House designed for the Residence of the Governor, for the Time being, is building, granted by the Lord Proprietary to Thomas Bordley, Esq; and by him devised in Fee to his Son Stephen; do agree, That in order to extinguish all Claims and Pretensions whatsoever, your Excellency should pay Two Hundred Pounds, the Price agreed upon, to the same Stephen, for Four Acres of the same Land, to be surveyed and laid out by the Surveyor of Anne-Arundel County, for the Time being; and butted and bounded by good Locust Posts, or large Stones, at each Corner; and take his Deed of Bargain and Sale for the same, so butted and bounded, expressing the Consideration paid, and the same Metes and Bounds, in your Excellency's Name, for the Use of the Public of Maryland; in which Deed we are contented, that no other Clause of Warranty be inserted, except against the same Stephen, his Heirs, and all Persons claiming under him. Upon the Execution of which Deed, we apprehend the Right of the same Land will be sufficiently secured to the Public, by Virtue of an Act of Assembly of last Sessions, and sundry other Acts made before that Time.

Which Address was Indorsed, "Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly, and Signed by Order of the House, by the Honourable Speaker."