

Ordered, That Mr. J. J. Mackall and Mr. Hanson do acquaint the Governor, That this House hath prepared an Address, to be presented to him, and desires to know when and where he will receive it. They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, That the Governor signified he would receive the Address in about Half an Hour's Time in the Council Chamber.

Ordered, That Philip Hammond, Esq; with Five more, do present the Address to the Governor, with the following Resolves, viz.

FRIDAY, 6th April, 1759.

RESOLVED, That this House will make Provision for Levying, Cloathing, and Paying 1000 Men, to act in Conjunction with the Forces under the Command of Brigadier General STANWIX, the ensuing Campaign.

Resolved, That the Sum of £. 12 Bounty Money, be paid to each able-bodied Man that shall be enlisted by any Officer, and shall pass Muster, and serve under the Command of Brigadier General STANWIX; and 20 s. be paid to each Officer who shall enlist such able-bodied Man.

Resolved, That 100 Men be raised, to act as Rangers, for the Protection of the Inhabitants on the Western Frontier of this Province.

SATURDAY, 7th April, 1759.

Resolved, That the Sum of £. 5 Bounty Money be paid, out of the Supplies to be raised, to each able-bodied Man who shall voluntarily enlist to act as a Ranger, for the Protection of the Inhabitants on the Western Frontier of this Province.

Resolved, That this House will, out of the first Supplies that shall be granted for his Majesty's Service; appropriate a Sum sufficient to repay the Money advanced last Year by General FORBES, for the Pay, Victualling and Cloathing of the Troops, formerly in the Pay of this Province, from the Time the Money granted for the Pay, Subsistence and Cloathing of the said Men, was expended, till the said Troops were taken into his Majesty's Service last Year by the said General FORBES, so far as the same shall appear to this House to be just and reasonable.

And it is further Resolved, That if it shall appear that General FORBES has not paid all the Money that may be due for the Pay, Victualling and Cloathing of the said Men, from the Time the Money granted for that Purpose was expended, till the Time they were taken into his Majesty's Service, that then this House will make a Provision for what further Sum may be due for the Pay, Victualling and Cloathing of the said Men.

Resolved, That this House will, out of the first Supplies that shall be granted for his Majesty's Service, appropriate a Sum sufficient to pay the Money advanced last Year by General FORBES, for the Pay and Cloathing of the Troops formerly in the Pay of this Province, and by him taken into his Majesty's Service, from the Time those Troops entered into the said Service, to the End of the last Campaign, so far as the same shall appear to this House just and reasonable.

Resolved, That this House will make Provision for paying such of the Inhabitants of this Province as have, in Consequence of the Governor's Request, marched from any of the Counties of this Province, for the Defence of the Frontiers of this Province, since the March of General Braddock from Frederick-Town in Frederick County, or have Garrisoned the Forts of this Province since the Forces that have been raised by this Province, were taken by General FORBES from the said Forts into his Majesty's Service. And also that this House will make Provision for paying such Persons as have supplied Provisions and other Necessaries for the Use of the said Men, who have marched as aforesaid, or Garrisoned the said Forts, and for the Expence of the Carriage of such Provisions and other Necessaries.

Resolved, That such Provision be by the Appropriation of a Sum sufficient for the said Purposes, out of the first Supplies which shall be granted for his Majesty's Service.

Resolved also, That out of the said Supplies, shall be appropriated the following Sums, viz.

A Sum sufficient to reimburse such Persons as have been necessarily put to Expences on Account of Quartering his Majesty's Regular Troops in Cecil, Kent and Anne-Arundel Counties.

A Sum not exceeding Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds, for clearing a Road from Fort Frederick to Fort Cumberland, thro' this Province, for his Majesty's Service, agreeable to the Report of a Committee appointed last Session to enquire into the Utility of such a Road.

Resolved, That the Sum of 60,000 l. be granted for his Majesty's Service, and the Defence and Protection of the Inhabitants of this Province.