

L. H. J. Wee Likewise Intreat your L^{dps} that no Sinister Representations from any psons Occasioned by their fears rather then facts be allowed to make any Impressions upon your L^{dps} Minds in regard to your faithfull Protestant Tenants Inhabitants of the Province of Maryland, on behalf of whom wee of your L^{dps} Upper & Lower Houses of Assembly begg leave to Subscribe our Selves your L^{dps} &c^a.

Signed p Order Philip Hammond Cl. Conf^r

The above representations is offered to the Considⁿ of the house

The House adjourns till one a Clock in the Afternoon.

Post Meridiam. The house meet According to Adjournm^t

p. 111 The following address to his Excy the Governour being Signed by the members of the upper House of Assembly was also Signed by the Members of this House and Ordred to be thus entred viz:

May it please you Excy

The upper and lower Houses of Assembly being sensible of the vast Expence your Excy has been put to in Defending us in our happy Establishment against the Attempts of those who Sought to wound it through your sides are by the Ties of duty to our Country and gratitude to its benefactors obliged to pray your Excy's favourable Acceptance of Two hundred pounds Sterling as a Reimbursement of Such part of what your Excy has so Generously and happily applied for our Advantage as the present Circumstances of Affairs permit us.

We Assure your Excy th^t We shall allways retain a gratefull Sense of the many Advantages that have accrued to this Province under your Excys most prudent Government & however deficient our Abilities may be our Endeavours will never be wanting upon all Occasions to approve our Selves &c^a

And Sent to the upper House by Col^o Mackall Coll^o Hynson Cap^t Mariarte Cap^t ffrisby M^r Lloyd & Col^o Scot with the following Message viz:

By the Lower House of Assembly May the 10th 1718

p. 112 May it please your Honours

We herewith Send the address Signd by the Majority of our House which We Desire may be presented to his Excy in the name of both Houses.

Signed p Order. M: Jenifer Cl lo. ho.