

For the Affirmative,

Williamson,  
Tilden,  
Gresham,  
Waggaman,  
Goldsborough,

Edmondson,  
Bowman,  
Sulivane,  
Travers,  
Dulany,

Steuart,  
Scarborough,  
B. Harris.

L. H. J.  
Liber No. 51  
Nov. 23

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For the Negative,

Greenfield,  
Hynson,  
Hammond,  
Gassaway,  
Beall,  
Carroll,  
Worthington,

Gantt,  
Hanson,  
Hopper,  
Dent,  
Stoddert,  
Cockey Deye,  
Govane,

T. Harris,  
J. H. Dorsey,  
Owings,  
Murdock,  
King,  
Chapline.

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The Address to his Excellency was Read, Approved, and Ordered to be Ingrossed.

Mr. Murdock brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following ingrossed Address, viz.

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 Excellency our Thanks for your Speech at the Opening of this Session.

As we have the Security of this Colony, and his Majesty's Service in general, most sincerely at Heart, we embrace, with the greatest Cheerfulness, every Opportunity your Excellency is pleased to give us of exerting our zealous Endeavours to concur in, and to the utmost of our Abilities support, every Measure conducive to those desirable Ends.

This House had, at their last Meeting, Resolved, That they would Reimburse General Forbes, out of the first Supplies that should be Granted for his Majesty's Service, all the Money he had or should reasonably advance on Account of the Troops of this Province, taken into his Majesty's Service, to the End of the Campaign, and a Bill to carry their Resolutions into Effect, might have been, by this Time, passed, or in great Forwardness, had not your Excellency prevented it by a Prorogation.

We shall take under our Consideration the General's Letter, and with Dispatch (which we hope will not be embarrassed by any un-