

U. H. J.
Liber No. 36
Sept. 26

The Humble Address of the Upper House of Assembly
May it please your Excellency—

We his Majestys most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Upper House of Assembly return your Excellency Thanks, for your Speech at the Opening of this Session—

It was very Obliging in your Excellency to be influenced by such Considerations to meet the General Assembly at this Season, when it is most convenient and agreeable to us to attend the Public Business; and your Assurance that the Sanction of your Authority shall, with the utmost Alacrity and Satisfaction, be given to all such Regulations as may be thought most conducive to the Prosperity of this Province, demands our grateful Acknowledgments.

Permit us, Sir, to assure You, that we shall, on our part give due Attention to all matters that may come before Us, and contribute every thing in our power to bring the Business of this Session to a happy Conclusion.

Which was Read, approved of, and ordered to be Engrossed.

The Engrossed Address being prepared was Read and Assented to, and Signed by Order of the House by the Honourable Charles Hammond Esq.^r

Ordered that Col.^o Fitzhugh do wait on his Excellency, and acquaint him that this House hath prepared an Address to be presented to him, and desires to know when and where he will be pleased to receive it—Col.^o Fitzhugh returns and acquaints this House, that his Excellency was pleased to signify he would receive the Address immediately, in the Conference Chamber.

Ordered that Benedict Calvert Esq.^r attended by the whole House do present the Address.

p. 448 Read and referred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly the Petition of Abraham Barnes—so Endorsed and Sent by William Fitzhugh Esq.^r

Adjourned until to Morrow Morning 10 of the Clock.

Sept. 27 Thursday Morning 27.th Sept.^r 1770.

The House met again according to Adjournment.

Present as Yesterday.

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Sept. 28 Friday Morning 28.th Sept.^r 1770.

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Mess.^{rs} Grahame and Steele, from the Lower House, bring up A Bill entitled “An Act continuing an Act entitled an Act for Amend-