

L. H. J.
Liber No. 47
February 26

Ordered, That the Gentlemen who were of the several Committees from this House last Session, be continued thereon this Session.

The House adjourns till the morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.

February 27

Wednesday, February 27, 1754.

p. 386 The House met according to Adjournment: The Members were called and all appeared as Yesterday. The Proceedings were read.

On reading his Excellency's Speech, at the Opening of this Session,

Ordered, That the Committee of Laws do prepare an Address thereon.

On motion, Resolved, That this House will take into Consideration, on the morrow Morning, the Subject Matter contained in his Excellency's Speech.

The House adjourns until 2 of the Clock Afternoon.

Post-Meridiem.

The House met according to Adjournment, &c.

Mr. George, and Major Travers, appeared in the House.

Mr. Tilghman from the Committee of Laws, delivers to Mr. Speaker an address to his Excellency, which was read, approved, and ordered to be ingrossed.

Doctor Carroll from the Committee of Laws, 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 loyal and dutiful Subjects, the Delegates of the Freemen of the Province of Maryland, in Assembly convened, return your Excellency our Thanks for your kind Speech, at the Opening of this Session.

Though the Time and Season of the Year be inconvenient to us, yet we shall chearfully attend the Service of our Constituents.

We will, with a just Regard to his Majesty's Interest, our own Safety, and that of our Neighbours, consider the several Letters laid before us by your Excellency, and we hope the Result will be such, as will meet your Approbation, and answer the Expectations of those we Represent.

Which was read and assented to, and signed, by Order of the House, by the Honourable Speaker.

Ordered, That Mr. Tilghman and Major Barnes, do acquaint his Excellency, that this House hath prepared an Address to him, and