

At an Assembly held by Prorogation from the 15th Day of June Anno Dom 1676 untill the 15th Day of May Anno Dom 1677 and from thence by several Prorogations continued and Prorogued untill the 6th Day of May Anno Dom 1679 but for divers weighty and urgent Affairs relating to the State and Welfare of the Province then before Intervening, and by the honourable the Governor and Council of this Province taken into Consideration (called by Proclamation bearing Date the 28th Day of August Anno Dom 1678 to meet at the City of St. Maries the 20th Day of October then next following, which accordingly mett the said 20th Day of October 1678 at the City of St. Maries and there sat till the 15th Day of November then next following, and from thence was Prorogued untill the 2. Tuesday in May Anno 1679 and from thence by severall Prorogations till the 16th Day of August last past which accordingly then assembled and sat till the 17th Day of September then next following, and was from thence again Prorogued untill the first Day of November then next following which then also assembled and sat at the City of St. Maries untill the Twelfth Day of the same Month, and was from thence Prorogued unto this 25th Day of April in the Seventh Year of the Dominion of the Right Honourable Charles Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. Annoq3 Domini 1682 —

At which said five and Twentieth Day of April the Upper House of Assembly mett at the Council Chamber at the City of St. Maries where appeared —

The Right Honourable Charles Lord Baltimore Lord Proprietary

The Honourable	Philip Calvert Esq. Chanc. Secy.	Wm. Calvert Esq. Princip. Secy.	Coll: William Stevens
And Absented themselves	The honble	Coll: Henry Darnall — in England	
		Coll: Henry Coursey —	
		Coll: Vincent Lowe — Sick	

The Speaker and others the Members of the Lower house having Notice Given them that the Upper house sat at the Council Chamber at the City of St. Maries and that his Lordship was there ready to receive them, Presented themselves all in their Places to his Lordship in his Upper house where his Lordship in a short Speech communicates to them the reason of his calling them together at this Time and that was to Advise with them how and in what manner we should behave ourselves towards the Northern Indians in case of their Making any appearance among us as was very probably expected or rather indeed in case of such appearance how we should behave ourselves towards the Piscattaway Indians our articted friends; That his Lordship au. g. m. —