

U. H. of our sincere affection to them, and reall desire to promote
 Journal by all the fitting meanes that may be, their happiness and wel-
 1659-69 fare Soe we Doe hereby assure them, that vpon all occasions
 wee shall take to harte, and be ready to Concurr with them in
 any iust, and reasonable desire from them for the publick good
 of that Collony, and apply our authority there from tyme to
 tyme to relieve them, in any vniust Grievance or oppression
 vpon notice or Complaint thereof vnto vs. And wee now hope
 that the Inhabitants there will vnite themselves in their affec-
 tion and fidellity to vs, And as well avoide all ffactions, and
 divisions among themselves, as all such Cavilling persons and
 Councells as shall vnder what specious pretences soever, excite
 or tend to the division of the People there in their compliance
 with vs in all reasonable things. And in their Vnanimous, and
 cheerfull obedience to the Civill Government established there
 vnder vs, That as wee are all members of one Body Politique
 of that Province wee may haue also one minde in all Civill and
 temporall matters concerning that place, which is the most
 hopefull way of drawing downe Gods blessing vpon
 Endeavours who loveth Vnity, and therefore comānds vs, to loue
 one another: Christian Religion soe to doe for the
 accomplishment of Eternal happiness and human pollity also
 adviseth it our temporall felicity in this World. It being
 a Certaine and true Maxime which tells vs, that Concordia
 res parvæ Crescunt Discordia maxime di[la]buntur By Concord
 and Vnion a small Collony may growe into a great and re-
 nowned Nation, whereas by Experience it is found, that by
 discord and Dissention Great and glorious kingdomes and
 Common Wealths decline, and come to nothing.

Given at London vnder our hand and Greater Seale at
 Armes the Six and twentieth day of August in the Eighteenth
 yeare of our dominion over the said Province of Maryland
 Annoq Domini one thousand Six hundred fforty Nyne.

Liber A Was read the Act for setling the howse of Assembly by 2
 P. 363 distinct howses. & Orders for regulateing thereof, w^{ch} were
 vnanimously agreed unto, Signed & confirmed by the Gou^r.

An Act for the settling of this present Assembly

Bee it Enacted by the Lord Prop^r wth the aduise & consent
 of the Counsell & Burgesses of this prouince now assembled.
 That this p^rnt assembly during the continuance thereof bee
 held by way of Vpper & Lower howse to sitt in two distinct
 roomes a part, for the more convenient dispatch of the busi-
 nes therein to bee consulted of. And th^t the Gou^r & Secretary,