

P. R. O.
Colonial
Papers.

Maryland.

20th August 1689.

Declaration of Calvert
County for not choosing
Burgesses till against Oct^{er}

Rec^d 16th Dec^{er} 1689.

P. R. O. Extract of a Letter from Coll: Spencer, secretary of Virginia
Col. Entry to M^r Blathwayt dated the 10th of Iune 1689.
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The Inhabitants of Maryland most Protestants are rageingly earnest for the Proclaiming their present Majesty's and will not believe but orders have come to that government as well as to this for Proclaiming their Majesty's and that the Govern- ment have concealed the commands and are sometimes very positive they will proclaime their Majesty's without the order of the Government, which if so will unhinge the whole consti- tution of that Government and dissolve the whole frame of it

Mem^d Upon Reading this letter My Lord Baltmore was ordered to attend the Committee which was signified to his Lordship as follows,

Councill Chamber the 30th May 1689.

My Lord,

Upon the Receipt of Letter from Virginia concerning Mary- land His Majesty is pleased to Order your Lordship to attend the Committee of Plantations tomorrow being Saturday at 11 a Clock in the Morning

I am etc

W. B.

My Lord Baltmore attending the Committee on the 30th August 1689 Gives their Lordships an Account that he had sent Orders to Maryland for proclaiming their Majesties not- withstanding those orders were not arrived there.

Whereupon my Lord Baltmore is ordered to prepare directions for the proclaiming the King and Queen in Mary- land and the King will provide a Messenger whose charges is to be defrayed by my Lord and M^r Pen which is signified to his Lordships as follows

Councill Chamber 31st Augst 1689.

My Lord,

The Lords of the Committee of Plantations having taken notice that although the Orders be arrived in Virginia for proclaiming their Masjesties, which has been performed there