

with any Consistency quit it and fall upon another Method for the raising Mony so that it will be quite fruitless to call them together for that purpose; and therefore I think the best Method that can be taken by the Government as Matters are circumstanced is to dissolve them and call a new Set of Men who may probably think different from the present Gentlemen. Indeed I cannot conceive from the Offence the Conduct of this House in many Instances has given the people, but many of them will be left out, and if they are not the Governor will be justified in having done all in his power for the Alteration of such obstinate Measures which seem calculated rather to gratify Prejudice & Resentment than to forward the real Service and genuine Interest of the Country. I really think that this Measure ought to have been taken the last Spring, but hope it may not be too late now.

I am with much Respect

Sir your most obedient humble Servant

To the honourable  
Benj<sup>n</sup> Tasker Esq<sup>r</sup>

W<sup>m</sup> Goldsborough

25<sup>th</sup> of September 1758.

Ordered by his Excellency the Governor with the Advice of his Lordship's Council of State that the present General Assembly of this Province which was appointed to be held at the City of Annapolis on Tuesday the third Day of October next be prorogued to Monday the sixteenth Day of the said October and proclamation issued accordingly

6<sup>th</sup> of October 1758:

Ordered by his Excellency the Governor with the Advice of his Lordship's Council of State that the present General Assembly of this Province which stands prorogued to Monday the sixteenth Day of the said October be further prorogued to Monday the twenty third Day of the same Month and Proclamations issued accordingly.

At a Council held at the City of Annapolis on Monday the sixth Day of November in the eighth year of his Lordship's Dominion, Annoque Domini 1758. p. 258

Present

His Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esq<sup>r</sup> Governor.

The honourable { Benjamin Tasker Esq<sup>r</sup>  
Col: Benjamin Tasker } Daniel Dunlany Esq<sup>r</sup>  
Col: William Goldsborough