

State of Maryland on their contemplated visit to the President.

WHEREAS, It has come to the knowledge of the General Assembly of Maryland that Their Majesties, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth of Great Britain, will visit the President of the United States during the year 1939, and

WHEREAS, His Majesty's predecessor, King Charles I, was pleased to grant unto Cecilius Calvert, Baron of Baltimore, on the twentieth day of June in the year 1683, the land and waters now known as the State of Maryland, and

WHEREAS, The said Cecilius Calvert and his heirs were constituted absolute lords and proprietors of the said Province of Maryland, conditioned only upon the delivery by him and his heirs of "two Indian arrows of those parts", therefore, be it *Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That His Excellency Herbert R. O'Connor, Governor of Maryland, be and he is hereby requested and authorized to name a committee, with himself as chairman thereof, and including the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and such number of members of the two branches of the General Assembly and others as he may deem appropriate, for the purpose of arranging for a welcome to Their Majesties upon entering the State of Maryland on their contemplated visit to the President of the United States, and be it further

*Resolved*, That, upon this occasion, His Excellency the Governor shall present to His Majesty the King "two Indian arrows" found in the State of Maryland, commemorative of the happy event of the granting of its charter, as an evidence of good will toward Their Majesties and in appreciation of the manifest benefits derived from the Mother Country by the people of this State, and be it further

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of State of Maryland be and he is hereby directed to forward under the Great Seal of the State of Maryland a copy of these resolutions to the Secretary of State of the United States with the request that he have it transmitted through the proper officials to Their Majesties.

Approved April 26, 1939.