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Forasmuch as it appears to this Board that his
Royal Highness the Prince hath been proclaimed at
Boston New York and Philadelphia notwithstanding
his Excellency hath not regular Notice from England it
is the opinion of this Board that he be here proclaimed
and thereupon resolved that his Royal Highness
Prince George Prince of Wales be this day at Twelve of the
Clock proclaimed King in this City King of Great
Britain France and Ireland Defender of the Faith &c
Whereupon the following Proclamation was read
and approved of us

Maryland &c

By his Excellency Benedict
Leonard Calvert Esq^r Captain General
and Lieutenant Governor &c

A Proclamation

Whereas it hath Pleas'd Almighty God to
call to his Mercy our late Sovereign Lord King George
of blessed memory by whose decease the Imperial Crowns
of Great Britain France and Ireland as also the Supreme
Dominion and Sovereign Right of the Province of
Maryland and all other his late Majesty's Dominions
and Territories in America are solely and rightfully come
to the high and mighty Prince George Prince of Wales
we therefore the Lieutenant Governor and Council being
here assisted with divers other Magistrates Gentlemen
and principal Inhabitants of the said Province with
the Mayor Recorder Aldermen and Common Council