

M^r. Thomas Nolley is continued Speaker to the Lower house of Assembly
Richard Boughton is continued Clerk to the Upper house, and Robert
Ridgley to the Lower house

The house is adjourned till one o'clock in the afternoon
The house mett present as in the Morning

Lower house of Assembly 12th February 1671

This house taking into their consideration that there is no return to
this house of the Burgesses Names for Cecil County, Whereby they cannot for
want of them make an Order for setting the house, and a Member of this
house and M^r. Charles James Governor of Cecil County having informed this
house, that M^r. John Vanhook M^r. Henry Wild M^r. Abraham Wilde & M^r.
Thomas Salmon were elected Burgesses for the said County, and since that
it cannot be a general Assembly and the Names of one County totally omitted
in the Journal of this house, Ordered that Major Brooks and M^r. Bent attend
his Excellency and Upper house & desire to know of his Excellency. Whether
the aforesaid Names do agree with his Excellencies Letter from the Sheriff of
the County. If they do then that his Excellency would satisfy this house therein
and further to desire his Excellency that if in case he shall not think the said
Persons to be duly elected, whether this house shall Wave the said County
in their Orders for setting this house

Upper house 12th February 1671

In Answer to the Paper from the Lower house Touching the Return
of the Burgesses Names for Cecil County his Excellency doth hereby satisfy
the Lower house that the Burgesses Names for the said County Mentioned
in their Paper are the very same with the Names Mentioned in the Letter
sent to him by the Sheriff of the said County and further saith that it not
appearing as yet whether the said Burgesses were duly elected or no: It
is his Excellencies desire that they would Wave the said County in their
Orders for setting their house

The house is adjourned till 9 of the Clock to Morrow Morning
Saturday 13th of February the house mett
Present as yesterday

The Sheriff of Cecil County appears and informs the house that the
Burgesses for the said County being duly elected by the Major part of the County
have made their appearance in the Lower house. But the Burgesses of
Baltimore County not as yet appearing and the Lower house thinking it
for that reason is adjourned this house is likewise adjourned till 9 of the Clock
Monday Morning

The house is adjourned till 9 of the Clock on Monday Morning
Monday 13th February the house mett
Present

The Hon^{ble} Governor & Peter Bane Esq^r Sec^y to the Governor
Charles Alexander Esq^r Sec^y to the Governor
James Logg Esq^r Sec^y to the Governor