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Capt. Francis Dallalude
Parice Georges County
Mr. Robert Tyles
Major Josiah Willson
M^r. John Bradfords
Bevill County
M^r. Matthew Vanderheyden
Major John Wards
M^r. Col^l. Eph^r. ang^r. Herman
M^r. Francis Bladen

Queen Anns County
M^r. John Whittington
M^r. Charles Wright
M^r. Solomon Clayton
M^r. Edwards Browne
Citty Annapolis
M^r. Amos Garrett
M^r. Benjamin Tasker.

Whereupon M^r. Tyles M^r. Rowley and
Colonell (Matthew Tilghman Wards are sent up to the Council
Chamber to acquaint his Excellency) the Governour that a
sufficient number of Members to make a house is convened.

They returned and say they acquainted his Excellency thereof.
Col^l. Holland Col^l. Courcy and M^r. Col^l. Samuel Gouge from the
Hon^{ble} Council and W. Bladen Esq^r Clerk of the Council enter
the house, and the said Councillors and Clerk administered
the Oaths of Allegiance, Supremacy and abjuration to all the said
Members and ye them severally subscribe the said oath of
abjuration and the Test and then withdrew.

Col^l. Addison from the Hon^{ble} Council acquainted the Members
convened that his Excellency required their attendance immedi-
ately in the Council Chamber. When his Excell^{ty} Commanded
them immediately to make choice of their Speaker, and present him
after which the said Members returned and there immediately and
unanimously made choice of Robert Unkle Esq^r a member
returned for Talbot County for their Speaker, who in his place
disabled himself to undergo soe mighty a charge and earnestly
desired them to proceed to a new choice which being denyed
and he placed in the Chair when he prayed they might give him
leave to disable himself to his Excellency. after which M^r. Garrett
M^r. Rowley and M^r. Tasker are sent to acquaint his Excellency that
the Delegates have made choice of their Speaker and to know
when his Excell^{ty} will have him presented for approbation.

Whereupon Col^l. Holland from his Excell^{ty} the Governour acquaint
the Delegates that his Excell^{ty} Commands them immediately to present
their Speaker before him in the Council Chamber, whereupon the
house repaired to the Council Chamber and presented Robert
Unkle Esq^r for their Speaker to his Excell^{ty} the Gov^r. when the said Speaker
(decently and submissively) addressing himself to his Excell^{ty} offered
several reasons disabling him from serving in that station and
therefore made humble suite to his Excell^{ty} to be discharged, and