

At a C O U N C I L

Held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER,

On Wednesday the First Day of August, Anno Domini, 1739.

P R E S E N T,

His Excellency the GOVERNOR,

The Honourable {
Col. Ward,
Benjamin Tasker, Esq;
Philip Lee, Esq;
George Plater, Esq;
Edmund Fenings, Esq;
James Hollyday, Esq;
Col. Hammond,
Col. Gale,
James Harris, Esq;

THE Secretary and Judge of the Land-Office, laid before the Board the several following Letters:

‘ S I R,

‘ *The following, are (among several others) Resolves and Orders of*
 ‘ *the House of Delegates of the Province of Maryland, dated June the*
 ‘ *9th. 1739. Viz.*

‘ And forasmuch as it will be necessary, for carrying on the said
 ‘ *Addresses in Great-Britain, to send thither several Copies of Records*
 ‘ *from this Province, and other necessary Papers, It is therefore Or-*
 ‘ *dered by this House, that Mr. James Calder, Dr. Charles Carroll,*
 ‘ *Mr. Vachel Denton, Capt. Thomas Gassarway, Mr. Philip Hammond,*
 ‘ *Major Edward Sprigg, Mr. Turnor Wootton, Mr. Osborn Sprigg, and*
 ‘ *Mr. John Magruder, Members of this House, or any Two of them,*
 ‘ *do prepare with all possible Dispatch, Authentick Copies of all such*
 ‘ *Matters, they, or any two of them, shall think necessary for said Pur-*
 ‘ *poses.*

‘ *Ordered, That the Members of this House appointed to negotiate the*
 ‘ *foregoing Affairs, they, or the major part, or any two of them, apply*
 ‘ *to the several Officers and Offices of this Province, and demand and*
 ‘ *take on the Publick Account, Authentick Copies of any Acts of As-*
 ‘ *sembly, Conditions of Plantation, or other Matter, or Papers whatso-*
 ‘ *ever,*