

if you think his Majesty's Service or the Safety and Happiness of the Province can be in any manner promoted by a Conference, we do most cheerfully agree to it.

Signed per Order, *J. Rojs*, Cl. Up. Ho.

*The House Adjourns to the Morrow Morning at 9 of the Clock.*

Friday Morning, May 16. 1740.

**T**He House Met according to Adjournment.

*Mr. Swann* appeared in the House.

*Mr. Harris* hath Leave of the House to go Home.

The Address to his Excellency, Approved Yesterday, was brought in Ingrossed; which by Order and on Behalf of the House, was Signed by the Honourable Speaker.

*Col. Hanson* and *Mr. Hynson*, are Ordered to acquaint his Excellency this House hath prepared an Address to him, and desires to know when and where he will receive it.

They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker the Governor is ready to receive the Address immediately in the Conference Chamber.

*Col. Hanson* and *Mr. Hynson* sent to Present the Address to the Governor.

*Col. Hanson*, from the Committee of Elections and Privileges, delivers Mr. Speaker the following Report :

*By the Committee of Elections and Privileges, May 16. 1740.*

**Y**Our Committee having Examined the Writs, and Inspected the several Indentures of the Members returned to Serve in this present General Assembly, Do find, that the several Writs directed to the several Sheriffs in *Ann-Arundel, Calvert, and Queen-Ann's*, Counties, are duly returned.

We likewise find, that *Mr. Henry Hall*, a Member returned for *Ann-Arundel* County, is duly Elected.

That *Mr. John Brome*, a Member returned for *Calvert* County, is duly Elected.

And that *Mr. Robert Norrest Wright*, a Member returned for *Queen-Ann's* County, is duly Elected.

All which, your Committee humbly submit to the Consideration of the House.

Signed per Order, *Tho. Jennings*, Cl. Com.

*The House Adjourns to 2 of the Clock in the Afternoon.*

*Post Meridiem.*

The House met according to Adjournment.

*Edmund Fenings*, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers Mr. Speaker the following Message :

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