
  
**Votes and Proceedings**  
 OF  
*The Lower House of Assembly*  
 OF THE  
**Province of MARYLAND.**


**A** Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of *Annapolis*, on Tuesday the 8th Day of *May*, in the Year of our Lord God 1750, and in the 36th Year of the Dominion of the Right Honourable CHARLES, Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of MARYLAND and AVALON, Lord Baron of *Baltimore*, &c. by several Prorogations from the 24th Day of *June* last; his Excellency *Samuel Ogle*, Esq; being Governor; appeared in the Lower House of Assembly,

The Honourable PHILIP HAMMOND, Esq; Speaker;

For *Kent* County,  
 Mr. NICHOLAS SMITH,  
 Mr. RICHARD LLOYD,  
 Mr. SIMON WILMER;  
 For *Anne Arundel* County,  
 Dr. CHARLES CARROLL,  
 Mr. THOMAS WORTHINGTON,  
 Mr. STEPHEN BORDLEY;  
 For *Calvert* County,  
 Mr. BENJAMIN MACKALE,  
 Mr. JAMES HEIGHE,  
 Mr. BENSON BOND;  
 For *Charles* County,  
 Mr. BAYNE SMALLWOOD,  
 Mr. JOHN STODDERT,  
 Capt. ARTHUR LEE,  
 Mr. JONATHAN WILSON;

For *Somerset* County,  
 Col. ROBERT KING,  
 Col. ROBERT JENCKINS HENRY,  
 Capt. ISAAC HANDY,  
 Mr. HENRY WAGGAMAN;  
 For *Talbot* County,  
 Mr. NICHOLAS GOLDBROUGH,  
 Mr. JOHN GOLDSBOROUGH,  
 Mr. ROBERT LLOYD,  
 Mr. EDWARD OLDHAM;  
 For *Dorchester* County,  
 Mr. DANIEL SULLIVANE,  
 Col. HENRY HOOPER,  
 Capt. MATTHEW TTAVERS;  
 For *Baltimore* County,  
 Capt. JOHN PACA;  
 For *Prince George's* County,  
 Mr. TURNOR WOOTTON,

Mr. WILLIAM MURDOCK;  
 For the City of *Annapolis*,  
 Capt. ROBERT GORDON,  
 Mr. WALTER DULANY;  
 For *Queen Anne's* County,  
 Capt. WILLIAM HOPPER,  
 Mr. THOMAS WILKINSON,  
 Mr. JOHN DAVIS;  
 For *Worcester* County,  
 Capt. THOMAS ROBINS,  
 Mr. JOHN SELBY,  
 Col. JOHN CARBOROUGH,  
 Col. JOHN HENRY;  
 For *Frederick* County,  
 Capt. THOMAS OWEN,  
 Mr. JOHN SMITH PRATHER.

A sufficient Number of the Members of the Lower House of Assembly being convened at the Stadt House; *Ordered*, That Col. *King* and Col. *Hooper* do acquaint his Excellency the Governor therewith. - They return, and acquaint Mr. Speaker, they delivered the Message.

*George Plater* and *Daniel Dulany*, Esquires, from the Upper House, acquaint Mr. Speaker, that his Excellency the Governor requires the Attendance of the Lower House immediately in the Upper House.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and, attended by the Members of the Lower House, went to the Upper House; where his Excellency made the following Speech:

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*Gentlemen*