

They Return and Acquaint M^r Speaker they Delivered the Mes- L. H. J.
 sage. Colonel Lloyd and Rich^d Lee Esq^r from the Upper House Liber No. 46
 Acquaint M^r Speaker that the Governor Requires the Attendance
 of the Lower House of Assembly. M^r Speaker left the Chair and
 with the members of the Lower House went to the Upper House
 where His Excellency made the Following Speech (See page 421)

M^r Speaker and the other Mcmbers Return to thcir House. M^r p. 662
 Speaker resum'd the Chair

on Motion of a Member that M^r William Tilghman the Present
 Clerk of this House was Willing to Resign the Office to M^r Michael
 Macnemara.

The house Accepted this Resignation and made Choice of M^r
 Macnemara

M^r Key and M^r Richard Gresham were ordred to Acquaint his
 Excellency that this house had made Choice of M^r Macnemara for
 their Clerk and desires his Approbation. They Return and Acquaint
 M^r Speaker they deliver'd their Message and that the Governor Was
 Pleas'd to Approve the Choice

Mess^{rs} Key and Richard Gresham were sent to the Upper House
 to see M^r Macnemara Qualified as Clerk of this House they Return
 and Acquaint M^r Speaker that they saw the Clerk take the several
 Oaths to the Government required by Law Sign the Oath of Abju-
 ration and Repeat and sign the Test and take the Following Oath
 of Office Viz.

You Michael Macnemara do Swear that as Clerk of the Lower
 House of Assembly You shall true Entrys make of all such Matters
 and things as by the Honourable Speaker for the time being and that
 House shall be to you directed, the secrets of the said House you shall
 not Divulge to the Prejudice of the House or any Member thereof
 but shall in all things as Clerk to the said House well and truly
 Demean Yourself According to the best of Your knowledge, So help
 you God.

Colon^l Edward Sprigg one of the Agents appointed by an Act of
 Assembly Entituled an Act for Issuing and taking out of the Office
 of the Comm^{rs} or trustees Appointed for Emitting Bills of Credit &c.
 the sum of 4500th Current Money for Encouragement of such able
 Body'd Freemen as shall Voluntarily enlist themselves into his
 Majestys Service for the Intended Expedition against Canada &c,
 Lays before the House the following Acco^t

D ^r The Province of Maryland	}	11 s d
1746. To cash paid Twelve men in Capt. Crofts Com- pany as p Rec ^t		60..0..0
To Cash paid twenty Eight men in Capt. Jordans Comp ^a as p rec ^t	}	140..0..0
		£200..0..0