

U. H. J. Col George Plater is sent to the Lower house to Acquaint the  
Liber No. 34 Speaker that his Excellency requires his immediate attendance with  
the Lower house in the Upper house

The Speaker and the Lower house attend and his Excellency is  
pleased to make the following Speech

Gentlemen of the Lower house of Assembly

I wish with all my heart you could have thought of any way of  
Answering his Majestys Expectations at this Time in Relation to  
Our Own Levies agreeable to the Zeal you have hitherto shewn upon  
the Like Occasions; but as you Represent it, impracticable for Us  
to raise or Advance any further Sum for the Payment of the said  
p. 219 Forces; nothing Remains for me to do, but to put an End to this  
Assembly

Gentlemen of both Houses I have therefore thought fit with the  
Advice of his Lordships Council of State to Prorogue this Assembly  
to the second Tuesday of May next, and you are to take Notice you  
are Prorogued to that Day accordingly

Thus Ends this Convention of Assembly begun and held at the  
City of Annapolis the 22<sup>d</sup> Day of December and Ending the 23<sup>d</sup>  
Day of the same month in the 33<sup>d</sup> Year of his Lordships Dominion  
and in the 21<sup>st</sup> year of his Majestys Reign Annoq Domini 1747

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