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assistance you will agree to present. Such others as are still wanting
and shall be consonant to the writs by which you are here met that
I may pass them likewise.

And when you Gent^s of the House of delegates are ready - I shall
Order to be laid before you the Petition especially - Concerning -
1st The Church - 2^d the Indians - 3^d the Militia, 4th the Schools, 5th about
altering the winter County Courts, 6th and a certain Method of holding
Assemblies.

After which Mr. Speaker and the rest of the House having taken
their Leaves of his Exc^{ty} - Mr. Speaker took the Chair.

And Resolved by the House that during the sitting thereof they will go to
prayers abt. 10 or 11 of the Clock each Morning and then to dinner.

The Generall Members of the House being called appeared for
9th Mans City, Capt. Thomas Haughop.

9 th Mans County -	Calvert County -
Mr. Philip Clarke,	Mr. James Crauford,
Maj. John Lowe,	Maj. Walter Smith,
Mr. Jacob Moreland,	Maj. Elisha Hall,
Mr. Tho. Neale.	Mr. John Leech.

Hent County -	Charles County
Mr. Michael Miller,	Mr. James Smallwood,
Maj. Tho. Smith,	Capt. Philip Hopkins,
Maj. Geo. Whittington,	Mr. Henry Hawkins,
Mr. Simon Williams	Mr. Benjamin Hall.

Ann Arundell County.	Baltimore County.
Maj. John Hammonds,	Mr. John Hall,
Capt. Rich. Hill,	Mr. George Ashman,
Mr. James Sanders,	Mr. Thomas Staley,
Mr. Samuel Gourg.	Mr. Rich. Tighman.

None of Somerset and Dorchester Counties.	S. Georges County.
Carroll County -	Mr. William Houtchiford,
Mr. William Harris,	Col. Minian Beale
Col. Hans Hanson,	Mr. John White.
Col. John Thompson,	
Mr. John Conishe	

Ordered that Mr. Thomas Reynolds attend this House as Sec^y at arms
and he being called in Mr. Speaker delivered him the Message

Appointed of the Committee of Elections and Privileges.

Major Hammonds, Mr. John Hawkins - Capt. Philip Hopkins
Mr. William Harris - and Mr. Michael Miller -

House adjourned till 7 of y^e Clock to morrow Morning -
Friday March 11th 1697.