

Original Journal. p. 9 same time had Administered Unto him the Oathes appointed by Act of Parliament instead of the Oathes of Allegiance & Supremacy, as also the Usual Oath of Clerke of that house & likewise subscribed to the Test the which was Signified to the house by the said Lomax whoe had Likewise Coppy of the Clerks Oath given him for Satisfaction of the House.

Post Meridien

Read Proclamation relateing to the ffast which being Approved off by the Board was Ordered to be prepared ready to pass the seale & Authentick Coppys of the same made to be sent to the severall Counties of the province, in Order to be published.

Adjourne till to Morrow Morning Eight a Clock

September 22th 1694:

Covncill again sate & were Present as Yesterday

Clerke of this board sent to the house of Assembly to acquaint them that his Ex^{ncy} expected their Attendance at the Covncill Chamber to heare his Maj^{ties} Royall Comission to him for being Governo^r of Maryland Read, Whoe returns & sayes that they will waite upon his Ex^{ncy} Accordingly Proclamacōn appointing the fast &^{ca} passed the Broad Seale.

Ordered to be published in the Citty this Morning:

The House of Assembly come up to whome his Ex^{ncy} declared that he Understood it was Usual to have the Kings Comission publickly read in the Assembly and for that Cause he had now sent for them, the which was accordingly produced & Read Unto them as likewise Comission of Vice Admirall

Post Meridien.

Again Sate & were present as before Except Coll Robotham

Message from the House by M^r Boothby & Three other Members Signifyeing their being Mett yesterday & To day pursuant to an Instruction yesterday sent them therefore desired to know what his Ex^{ncy} had to impart Unto them.

His Ex^{ncy} acquaints them that they shall have an Acco^t p^rsently

The following Instructions Ordered to be drawne forth Viz^t

- 1st Conversion of Negros & Indians Recomend.
- 2^{dly} ffor restraining Masters in humane severities ag^t Christian Servants.
- 3^{dly} Table of Marriages.