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Edmond Parrish.
and Capt. Cornwallis.

answered.
and Capt. Cornwallis exhibited it proper for him.

They read Affidavit of War, John Rodin, and John Galt, and read their
rights to Justinian Snow; and appeared separately.

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Andrew Chappell
Cyprian Throughgood } read & played words of freedom, & were admitted.

They went being told, the President declared that it would be fitting to adjourn,
they went for a longer time; till the laws were ready, they would proceed to the Lord
Proprietor when made ready, with them would take a vote of, & in the meantime
the company might attend their other business &c.

Capt. Cornwallis replied they would not spend their time in any business better than
in the for the country's good: and one of the planters demanded the reason why it
could be adjourned, & said they were willing to leave their other business to attend it.

The President replied he would be accountable to no man for its adjourning of it.

Then Capt. Cornwallis moved that at least a Committee might be appointed
that should take charge of preparing the laws till they could meet again. And
being put to the vote, they agreed that three Committees should be appointed, each
should nominate separately of 3. Committees; the President had 46. votes,
Capt. Cornwallis had 56. votes; Capt. Eddin 44. votes; Mr. Swyde 31. votes,
and Snow had 5. votes; and Captain Fleet 4. votes.

They was it ordered that writs of habeas corpus for their persons should not
be allowed till the next meeting of the Assembly.

Then the President adjourned the court till the 25th of February.