

Answer of this House to his Excellency's proposals to his Excellency and Council.

They return and say they delivered their Message.

The Committee of Aggravances Enter and present their Report in Writing to Mr. Speaker.

Ordered that the Game be referred till to morrow Morning.

The House adjournes till to morrow Morning Eight of Clock.
 Dies Veneris Nov. 7. 4. 1098.

The House Mett againe, and were called over, Absent Mr. Philip Clarke, Mr. Eliza Hall, Mr. George Affman, and Mr. J. Hensley.

Read over what was done yesterday.

Ordered that those bills referred to this Morning to be read, be referred till to morrow Morning, and that the Committee of Laws bring in all of bills that are by them prepared to be then read likewise.

The Committee of acc^{ts} Enter the house and presents their Journall so far as they have proceeded which was ordered to be read and accordingly was read.

The Committee likewise presents an acc^{ts} of Mr. John Taylors Sheriffe of Dorchester County of severall delinquents or persons taxed in the County which are deserted the Province of which he prays allowance of this House,

Resolved that the severall Justices of the severall Counties as it hath been usual for them in assessing and Levying the County Charges to make allowance to the Sheriffes for such delinquents and to pay them out of the County Levy, and that they shall in like manner defray such Charge.

The House adjournes till one of Clock.

God die The House Mett againe were present as before.

Read the Report of the Committee of Aggravances.

Whereas his Maty. out of his Princely Care to know how his Subjects in these remote parts of his dominions are Governed has Comanded that a Journall as well as of the House of Delegates as of his Council be sent to the Lords &c. that his Exc^{ty} would grant that the House may cause a Copy maybe transcribed during the Session and Sealed and sent by the House to accords all Jealousies and Suspensions of having our Letters and addresses and other publick accounts changed or altered through the Mistake or deficiency of Clerkes in handwriting or otherwise.

That your Exc^{ty} would abstaine hereafter Implicitly or Expressly to Menace, deten. or over awe the House or any Member of the same from freely debating Matters in the House.

That noe Member of the House be declared Malignant nor Comanded before the Council nor any other wayes disturbed or Sumoned by his Maty. writ of Beurre, for, their free Speaking in