

The Honble Coll: John Courts and Rob: Smith Esq: and Mr: H: Bladen.
 Enter the House and inform Mr: Speaker that his Roy: has sent them to
 administer the Oathes to Mr: James Philips, who likewise did administer
 unto Mr: James Philips the Oathes appoynted by Act of Parliament. instead of
 the Oathes of Allegiance and Supremacy to Mr: James Philips, who having
 taken the same and Subscribed the Test and Association took his place accordingly.
 Major W: Dent enters the House and brings in the Act for Publication of

Marriages Ordered by them to prepare.

A Bill for Gratuity to Coll: Minian Beale, Read the first time.

A Bill for raising a supplye towards the Defaying of Publick Charge. Read
 the first time.

A Bill for Limitting the time of writts of Error and appeals being brought
 Read the first time.

A Bill for settling of Assemblies and Pro: Courts at Annapolis, Read the
 first time.

A Bill for Rectifying the Ill practice of Att: of this Province and settling the
 Att: Gen: offices, Read the first time.

A Bill for Speedy Justice for Small Debts, Read the first time.

Ordered that these six Bills be Read againe to Morrow Morning.

A Bill for Publication of Marriages read of first time and Rejected.

Put to the vote if any Limitation shall be put to the Bringing of writts
 of Error and appeals or not - Carried in the Negative.

The house adjourned till to Morrow Morning six of Clocke.

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The House met againe and were called over, Read what was done Yesterday.

A Bill for Rectifying the Ill practices of Att: in this Province and settling
 the Att: Gen: and Clk: of the Indictm: fees Read of second time.

A Bill for Speedy Justice for Small Debts, Read the second time.

A Bill for settling assemblies and Pro: Courts at Annapolis, Read of second time.

A Bill for raising a supplye to Defray of Publick Charge Read of second time.

A Bill of Gratuity to Coll: Minian Beale, Read the second time.

A Bill for Confirming 500 Acres of Land to Henry Wallace Read of second time.

Ordered that Mr: Walter Cambell Mr: Jacob Loocheuman, Coll: Minian
 Beale, Mr: John Boyman, Mr: Sand: Collins, Mr: James Smallwood, Carry

the said Bills to his Roy: and Councille.

who Returne and say they have delivered their Messages.

A Bill for recovering the fines due from the Publick officers Read of first time.

Ordered that Mr: John Carville Mr: W: Hutchison and Mr: Sand: Jones
 be added to the Committee of Laws.

By the House of Delegates July 18th 1699.

This House having appoynted some of their Members to Confer with some
 of the Members of his Mat: Honble Councille Concerning the building of the