

The same is ordered to be read to Morrow Morning.

Then the House adjourned till to Morrow Morning Eight o'Clock.

Wednesday Morning 27th April 1715

The House met according to Adjournment, and the Members were present as Yesterday. Col^o Matthew Delphman Ward, Col^o Mathale, Mr. Thomas Robins, Mr. Taster Turbutt, Mr. Thomas Bowdley and Capt. Richard Colgate are appointed a Committee of Laws.

Col^o Mathale, Capt. Codd, Major Milson, Mr. James Harris and Mr. John Baker are appointed a Committee of Elections and Privileges.

Mr. Tyler, Mr. John Whittington, Capt. Daniel Marante, Capt. Jupp and Mr. Alex^r Paman are appointed a Committee of Aggravances.

Mr. Joseph Hill, Capt. Thomas Truman Greenfield, Major John Bradford and Mr. James Phillips are appointed a Committee of Accounts.

Ordered That the Committee of ^{Laws} ~~Accounts~~ prepare an Answer to his City's Speech with all convenient Speed.

The Petition of the Co. Heirs of Arnold Paramore being read praying Leave to bring in a Bill to vest an Estate in fee in them of the Land called Weytison Leave is given to bring in a Bill accordingly.

Then Mr. Speaker with the rest of the Members of this House as usual withdrew to attend his Excellency the Governor and the Hon^{ble} the Council to St. Ann's Church to hear Divine Service imploring Gods Blessing on the Debates and Councils of this Assembly.

Ordered That the following Message be sent to his City the Gov. and Council Viz^t

By the House of Delegates April the 27th 1715

This House in Order to dispatch Business as much as possibly may be has made a Resolution to sit from Eight o'Clock till Eleven in the Forenoon and from One in the Afternoon till five every Day during this Session and desires to know whether the Time Resolved on be agreeable to your City and Honour.

Signed & Order Tho^s Mainemara S^r Ho. Del.

Sent up by Capt. Marante and Capt. Dent. They return and say they delivered the same. Mr. Peter Taylor a Member for Dorchester County appeared this Day in the House - and Ordered that Capt. Triggs and Mr. John Hudson go up along with him to the Council Chamber to see him qualified by taking the usual Oath appointed by Act of Parliament. They return and say they see him qualified accordingly.