

The House adjourns till one a Clock in the Afternoon

The House met according to adjournment ^{Saturday Afternoon} present as in the morning
Mr Andrew Hamilton a member for the County of Essex absent from his further
Attendance this Session

Mr Thomas Bowdler from the Committee of Law, delivered Mr Speaker a
Bill for the better Administration of Justice in the several Courts for recovery of
small Debts preventing Com^{rs} and Clerks from pleading [&] Attorneys and for
Amazement in the several County Courts which was
Read the first time and Ordered a second Reading on Monday Morning the 16th
Instant

The House adjourns till ~~Monday~~ ^{Monday} Morning Eight a Clock
Monday morning 16th May 1715

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Mr Andrew Hamilton. Then was read the Proceeding of this House on Saturday
The following Bill prepared in Answer to the Message brought down from the
Excelly the Gov^l and Council on Saturday Last by Mr Addison and Mr Selghman
about the 12 of the 16th 1715

By the House of Delegates May the 16th 1715
That it please Excelly and Hon^{ble}
Your Honors of Saturday by the Hon^{ble} Mr Addison and Mr Selghman
about the 12 of the 16th 1715 we are glad to find you concur with us in
our Proposals at the same and must own that the kind and generous
offer made by his Excelly therein to settle the affair about reducing the
multiplicity of Officers for the Province in this Province for which
we returned his Excelly our most hearty thanks and intermeddled
in the good consequence we expect from his Excelly's efforts that way
We acquiesce without troubling his Excelly with any further applica-
tion at this time - We begg leave to defer the Consideration of
the 27th Article of his Excelly's Instructions communicated to us till
the Act of the said and for future yearly falling in this Province
is known

The same is sent to his Excelly the Gov^l and Council by Mr
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They returned and say they delivered the said Message
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