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appears in the house. Thereupon Ordered that Col<sup>o</sup> Woolford  
and Mr. Brammoch go with the said Mr. Taylor, to the upper house  
to see him qualify. They return and say they see him qualified.

His Excellency's Speech being read this House resolves to  
enter on the Debate thereof to morrow Morning.

Resolved that the house will sit to do business from eight of  
the clock till eleven in the forenoon and from one till five in the  
afternoon and Ordered the following Message be prepared viz<sup>t</sup>

By the Lower House of Assembly April 6<sup>th</sup> 1720  
May it please your Excy and Honour

This House in order to dispatch business as much as in  
them lies have entered a resolve to sit from eight of the clock till  
eleven in the forenoon and from one till five of the clock in the  
afternoon and Desire to know whether the times appointed be  
agreeable to your Excy and Honour

Signed by order, Mr. Fenwick Cl. Sec. Ho.

Sent to the upper house by Mr. Benjamin Marshall and Mr.  
Baldwell, They return and say they delivered it.

Resolved that Eighteen Members with the Speaker be a  
sufficient number to make an House, the Committees appointed  
and sent out, viz<sup>t</sup>

For the Committee of Elections and Priviledges, Col<sup>o</sup> John Mackall  
John Rowley Esq. Mr. James Lloyd Mr. Ralph Crabb, Capt. Rich<sup>d</sup>  
Colegate

For the Committee of Laws, James Stoddert Esq. Mr.  
Philip Lee, Mr. James Smith, Col<sup>o</sup> Roger Woolford, Col<sup>o</sup>  
John Mackall, Capt. Richard Colegate

Committee of Aggrievances, Mr. Robert Tyles,  
Capt. Daniell Mainarter, Mr. Charles Wright, Col<sup>o</sup> Nathaniell  
Hyndson and Mr. Thomas Fisher

Committee of Accounts, Mr. Joseph Hill,  
Capt. St. Leger Codd, Capt. John Pider, and Mr. James Laile

Ordered that the several Clerks of the several Committees  
take the Oaths to the Governour and subscribe the Test  
according to act of assembly and the following Oath, viz<sup>t</sup>

You do swear that as Clerk to the Committee of  
You shall true entry make of all such matters and  
things as by the said Committee shall be to you directed, the secrets  
of the said Committee you shall not reveal, divulge to the  
prejudice of any member of the Lower house of assembly  
and shall in all things as Clerk to the said Committee well and  
truly demean yourself according to the best of your knowledge