

Mr. Dulany, Mr. Hammond and Doct. Carroll appointed to prepare an Address to the Governor on his Speech. Ordered that a Bill be brought in to repeal the several Laws for the Encouragement of William Parks Printer, and that Mr. Denton prepare and bring in a Bill accordingly.

The House adjourns until three of the Clock in the afternoon  
Post meridiem — The House met according to Adjournment.

Mr. Edward Lloyd, Mr. Robert Lloyd and Mr. William Thomas three of the returned Members for Talbot County appeared in the House this afternoon, Mr. Matthews and Mr. Samuel Smith sent to the Upper House to see them qualified, They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker they saw them qualified, by their taking the several Oaths to the Government required by Law, and by signing the Oaths, and by repeating and signing the Test — The Gentlemen took their places in the House accordingly.

Mr. Denton brings in a Bill, intitled an Act, repealing an Act intitled an Act for the speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province, and for the Encouragement of Mr. Parks of the City of Annapolis Printer, as a Law and other Act, intitled an Act, reviving an Act of Assembly intitled an Act for the speedy and effectual publication of the Laws of this Province, and for the Encouragement of Mr. Parks of the City of Annapolis Printer, and also one other Act intitled a Supplementary Act to the Act, an Act for the speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province and for the Encouragement of William Parks of the City of Annapolis Printer

Which Bill was read the first time and ordered to lye on the Table.

Mr. Benjamin Mackall a Member returned to serve for Calvert County appeared in the House this afternoon, Mr. Walter Smith and Mr. James Neoms ordered to go to the Upper House and see him qualified, They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, They saw him qualified by taking the several Oaths to the Government required by Law, and by signing the Oaths and by repeating and signing the Test.

The Gentleman took his Place in the House accordingly.

Mr. Nicholas Goldborough a Member returned to serve for Talbot County appeared in the House this afternoon, Mr. Edward Lloyd and Mr. Robert Lloyd ordered to go to the Upper House and see him qualified, They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker They saw him qualified by taking the several Oaths to the Government required by Law and by signing said Oaths, and by repeating and signing the Test.

The Gentleman took his place in the House accordingly.

Mr. Denton ordered to acquaint the Rev. Mr. Humphrys that he is desired by the House to read Divine Service for morning and Evening during this Session  
The House adjourns until to morrow morning at 6 of the Clock.

### Friday morning May 6<sup>th</sup> 1738.

The House met according to Adjournment — All present as on yesterday

The Bill intitled an Act, repealing an Act entituled an Act for the speedy and effectual publication of the Laws of this Province or was read the second time and passed and sent to the Upper House by Mr. Denton and Mr. Robert Lloyd.

It was also reported by the returns from the Sheriff of Annapolis County and likewise from the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis that Daniel Dulany Esq. returned to serve in this Assembly for both Places.

The Question was put whether a day shall be assigned, beyond which no Complaints shall be received against the returning Officers for Annapolis County, to prevent the same to be made in the City for one of the two places, for or not? resolved in the Negative.  
The Question was put whether Mr. Dulany be oblig'd to make his Election by Monday or Tuesday? Resolved that he make his Election by Monday