

Ord'd that M^r James Crauford & M^r Ioⁿ Lowe acquaint his Ex^{cy} that this house have made Choice of M^r Nobbs for their Chapline dureing this Sessions if not otherwise Comanded by his Ex^{cy} Original
Journal.

Who returne and say that his Ex^{cy} was pleased to tell them that he sent for him on that Acco^t

Resolved that Daniel Cannon attend this house as Serjeant Attendent

Resolved Cap^t Rich^d Hill Mr Symon Wilmore & M^r Rich^d Tilghman be a Committee to inspect all the Lawes of this province & to Drawe out pticuler Lists of all Laws that are perpetuall all the Laws th^t are Temporary all the Laws that are Repealled & all the Laws that are Expired and returne the Same as soone as possible.

The Hon^{ble} Coll Henry Jowles Thomas Tench Esq^r & Coll John Courts three of his Maj^{tyes} Honb^{le} Covncill & M^r W^m Bladen Clk of his Maj^{tyes} Council Enter the house

Where the Honb: Coll: Henry Iowles informed Mr Speaker & the house that it was his Ex^{cy's} Command that pursuant to his Maj^{tyes} instructions Mr Speaker and the house should Take the Oathes appointed by Act of Parliam^t instead of the Oathes of Allegiance & Supremacey & Subscribe the Test and the Association.

The Tenn^r of w^{ch} instructions was read by M^r W^m Bladen where upon Mr Speaker desired them to withdraw that the house might Consider thereof and wth all desired a Copy of such his Maj^{tyes} Royall instruction

The Gent: of his Maj^{tyes} Covncill wthdrew & Ord^r M^r W^m Bladen to Deliver to the House the Copy of the s^d instruction

M^r W^m Bladen Enters the house & P^rsents to M^r Speaker the Copy of his Maj^{tyes} Royall instruction the Tenno^r whereof followes in these words Viz

Coppy of one of his Ma^{tyes} Royall instructions to his Ex^{cy} the Gov^r upon his Accession to this Gov^m^t

You shall Administer or Cause to be Administred the Oathes appointed By Act of parliment to be taken Instead of the Oathes of Allegiance and Supremacey as allsoe the test p. 4
unto the Members and officers of his Maj^{tyes} Said Council and of the Assembly and to all Iudges and Iustices and all other p^rsons that hold any office or place of Trust and profit in the s^d province wheither by vertue of any Patent vnder the Great Seal of England or the publick Seale of Maryland or otherwise and likewise require them to Subscribe the aforementioned association without which you are not to Admitt any p^rson what Soev^r into any publick office nor Suffer them that have been Admitted formerly to Continue therein
Vera Copia W Bladen Clk Council,