

L. H. J. M.^r John Hall, a Delegate returned for the City of Annapolis, and
Liber No. 54 M.^r John Hammond, a Delegate returned for Ann Arundel County,
Oct. 2 appear in the House.

Ordered, That M.^r Worthington and M.^r Johnson do go with those Gentlemen to the Upper House to see them qualified. They return and acquaint M.^r Speaker they saw them qualified in the usual Manner. The Gentlemen take their Seats in the House.

Ordered, That his Excellency's Speech (a Copy of which having been delivered to M.^r Speaker) be read; and the same was read accordingly

The House appointed M.^r Allen Quynn Serjeant at Arms, and M.^r Robert Reynolds Door Keeper.

Ordered, That they be qualified.

On Motion, the Question was put, That this House will sit during the present Session, in the Ball Room, and will pay for the Use of the said Room, two Committee Rooms, and the two Rooms adjoining, for the Honourable the Upper House, three Pounds ten Shillings Common Money per Day, at the close of the Session, by Way of Ordinance, or Bill? Resolved in the Negative

M.^r Paca acquaints M.^r Speaker that M.^r Allen Quynn took the several Oaths to the Government, signed the Oath of Abjuration, repeated and signed the Test, and took the following Oath Viz.^t "You Allen Quynn do swear that you will faithfully, diligently and honestly discharge the Office of Serjeant at Arms to the Lower House of Assembly; and that you shall not disclose or reveal the Secrets thereof

So help you God"

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ment, signed the Oath of Abjuration, repeated and signed the Test, and took the following Oath Viz.^t "You Robert Reynolds do swear that you will faithfully diligently and honestly discharge the Office of Door Keeper to the Lower House of Assembly; and that you shall not disclose or reveal the Secrets thereof. So help You God."

Resolved, That the Hours for Sitting for Dispatch of the publick Business, during this Session, be from 9 O'Clock in the Morning, until One in the Afternoon.

The House adjourns till To-Morrow Morning 9 O'Clock

Oct. 3

Thursday October 3.^d 1771

The House met.

All Members present as on Yesterday.

The Proceedings of Yesterday were read.

The House being informed that M.^r Thomas Wright and M.^r Solomon Wright two Delegates returned for Queen Anne's County,